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Balt. 2/24.75-

Dear Allen

While rec^d returning my
check for \$45⁰⁰. I have
dedicated \$250 for the Horse
Buggy & Harness, bot by thee,
& now enclose my check
for \$202⁰⁰ in place of the other
check.

I wrote thee fully about Thrushes,
 & presume my letter is now
 rec^d - take a moderate hunt
 & a vollice.

Then must need a passport.
Stop me - line by which
route then will pass -
B & O - or Potomac - or stop
over if there best time.

I hope I can get to N. C. on some general occasion in the Spring or Summer.

Love to all - affly M. V. King

Cont'd 2/17/75

Wm. Allen:

I sent off the checks
+ my letter to them yesterday
Today I have my second
letter about the house &c.

I will say \$250 for the Horse, Buggy & harness - instead of \$264 as they propose. Send me back the larger check & I will send them a new one.

It strikes me very favor-
ably, for Martha & the boys
to remain quietly where
they are during thy absence,
the least unsettling arrange-
ment for the time thou art
absent. So give us a sight
of thee in passing thro' if con-
venient for thee. thy friend