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Letter from Mordecai Bartley to James B. Finley

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Rev. A. B. Finley

my Dear Sir

At the request of Robert Bowland Egger Senr., I send to you the enclosed paper. You will see by a reading of it that it was written by an anxious Father in vindication of the conduct of our unfortunate son. All I can now say is, that from a hasty perusal of the paper, I have no hesitation to pronounce it as a correct statement of facts in the case referred to by the Old Gentlemen.

It is the old gentlemen's request, that you will be so good as to show it to Col. Dewey, & such other gentlemen as you may deem friends, who will sympathize with him, in his affliction.

Newfield 24th Feb. 1847

Truly yours

Wm. Bartley