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The Hon. Secy - George Tucker

Warrens St

Amherst

Henry Morris
July 13th 1818.
P.S. August 12th

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Morrisania July 13 1818

My very Dear Sir

Often have I attempted to thank you for your last kind favor - and, as often have been called off - Since my Fireman's throat was cut I have not a minute to myself - My only domestic is a girl 11 years old and this moment I finished washing plates etc - Sweeping and grinding coffee - Unless I appear frequently on the Terrace, farm work stands still, and each man gets his dollar - My dear husband left me in great affliction but I have given up my claims to D - & - credit - I fancy the Gentleman who wrote to you last winter winter was me & those who do not dare oppose

Mr. Ogden on acct. of his own
acts - Don't believe much
"my dear Sir, in the Honesty of
a person who will excuse
Fraud by saying another's
"necessities drove him"

Mr. Ogden's "necessities
drove him" to swindle nearly
\$200,000 and then pass for
a bankrupt -

My pen will scarcely
make a letter -

present me tenderly
to Mrs. Tucker and dear
Polly - I sewed up Polly's
screen in a French Cotton
Blanket - and then in a
new wicker one -

Martin Wickins joins
in wishing Mr. Hamilton's
relocation - I hear

Is it not an uncommon case
an agent dismissed for
ill conduct - refuses to re-
turn any paper entrusted
to his care, for less than
\$10,000 - Mr. Kent applied
as acting executor and Mr.
Hamilton refused him the
papers -

Wm. Hamilton
E. C. M.
1832

Tell Mr. Cabell if I die
he must come to fetch
you - God bless you all
most truly Y^r grateful
a. c. m