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Dear friend
James Harrison

London the 10. of Jber 1686

My dear and tender love in our Lord Jesus Christ is
hereby signified and dearly remembered unto thee and
to thy dear wife, and to all thine in G^o in their parts
whos love and love in the same Grace mercy and peace true
love and patience with all other graces and things pertaining
unto life and Godliness by daily added to, and increased amongst you
from our Jesus Christ. Amen saith my soul.
And now dear James the occasion of my writing to thee
at this time is on the behalfs of my Cousin Thomas Bond
son of Thomas Bond and Brother of Robert Bond of Crayke. he tells
me his hath been lately at John Taycocks lately about the
same in Pennsylvania, and that thou wrote a letter to Henry
Coward that if they did not sell it or take some course with it
it would be gone, and the most that John Taycock would give
on thy behalf is but 28 pounds. I acquainted yo. Governor W. P.
with it and he advised thee to let it alone till he comes over
I showed him a letter also which lately I recd from my friend
Charles Wager giving me a cert that he had taken up my
City Lot in Philadelphia, and had left you 60th in Money and
goods to build a little Brick house and Char on the Back of
front &c. & Wm Cox told me that 20 foot front was worth
20 quincys but Charles writes more having by yo. Surveyor
been granted 10 foot more which I intend to agree wth
Wm Cox. Now dear James thou knowest that Thomas Bond was
a true and faithful Man in his day, and left a good favour
behind him, & I heard him say that he committed his son
Robert to thy care and charge which I hope thou wilt trust
and carefully perform, as well for the fatherless & Motherless
children who are now living, as thou did for his son Robert
short while he was alive. And I remember thou wrote me
England that thou had taken up two good tracts of land for
Thomas Bond containing 1250 Acres, which he had bought
of Wm Cox and paid for it besides 25 pounds which he had put into
the Society's stock. I also hear that my Cousin Robert had
built upon a part of the plantation, and had planted upon it
and fenced it about &c. Now this friend I want to see that
such a plantation set out and built upon should be in Hazard
to be lost, besides he must have a lot in the City w^{ch} should have
been taken up for them; and if my lot in the City be worth 20 quincys
as yo. Governor saith, surely Tho. Bond's must be worth as much if
not more, for I have but 1000 Acres & his is 1250, as said before
So I do not conclude from all these things that Tho. Bond's concern
in Pennsylvania must be much more worth than 28 pounds. I
desire noe more from thee dear James but to see in this Matter
as if it were thy own care & concern, soe commending thee
and thine, and us all to Gods holy protection I rest
Thy true friend & Brother in
the fellowshipp of the Gospell of Peace
Alexander Parker
The King hath been very kind &c.
hath released about 1400 prison
& our meetings in London have
been peaceable of late. Laus deo.

Alexander Parker

London

9 mo 10. 1686.

To

James Harrison

At Philadelphia.

Stephens

Charles Mayer

of the same Name
Concern the same Name

To his esteemed Friend James
Harrison in Philadelphia
in the Province of

Pennsylvania

of

America