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Dear Bro

Yours of 27th ult. rec'd today. Miss Nickerson & Knapp not coming to Galveston may leave you short for teachers - You say you can count on Jones - I suspect she is a good teacher but will require more pay than ladies. Will Miss Williams continue with you. Perhaps I shall be compelled to send you one or two ladies - If so I think Jones had better, perhaps, remain in the country & two ladies go together.

Inform me what your judgment [illegible] in the matter

& if there is great necessity you might begin with Miss Williams & Jones & the other teachers come afterwards -

You must be pretty positive about tuition this term - Do you want more receipts to use for tuition? ans

Write me when you want money ans How does the deed matter stand? ans Is it all completed & sent to Mr. Whipple at New York?

I hope so ans

Mrs. Nelson has raised money enough herself to return to Columbus - ditto Miss Greene to Harrisburg - If it seems best I would not object to Miss Green assisting you awhile - but I suppose they would be terribly disappointed at Harrisburg - Can you get 1/2 bar for them from Galveston up country? perhaps Maj L. W. Stevenson would assist in this - Yrs C H Howard