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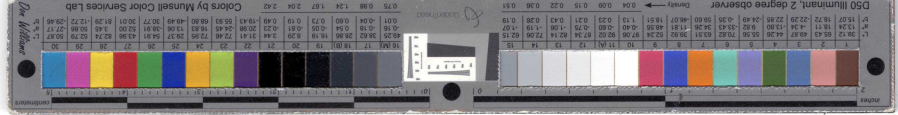
Since my being with you, and Mr Lewis
I have had some Conversation with Doctor Parke, who
informs me, that he thinks the principal objection to my
being chosen Librarian, will arise from the Idea of my
not being likely to continue in that Office long being a
Single Man. If that should be all the objection, I would
wish to obviate it, - And will be much obliged to you
and Mr Lewis, to best some weight on this Assurance
in your Report - That this I am a Single Man
my disposition is naturally steady, and not suddenly
given to change, and with all Truth I can say
have formed no previous, nor has the least Idea of any
future Connections, that might Induce me to wish
soon to quit your Employ. but on the contrary, such
rather, as might be likely to bind me for a long
term to your Service - I will not venture on my
own account to say more, as not willing to be
guilty of any Imposition, - and Submitting it to
your Consideration, I remain with all Respect

Sir

your most obed^t

Humble Serv^t

Thomas Barry



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