

August. 25<sup>th</sup> 1856.

To Mr Hand.

Mr George Shiplon  
kind respects to Mr H. and  
all the family and was  
glad to hear of them being  
pretty well. Mr S. has seen  
Mr Bushlow and had some  
talk with him about the Roe  
Meadows, and Mr R. will write  
to Mr H. about it. Mr S. has  
agreed to give £500. for them  
though he thinks it £20. too  
much on account of the road  
going through them. Since

Mr H. left England the land  
all round the Proe Meadows has  
changed hands. Mr Uplons land  
was sold some for 73 and some  
£ 75 an acre. Comes land on  
the East side sold for £ 75 and  
Comes of the White House and  
the ditch for £ 75. Mr Archers  
land sold for £ 80 an acre  
and Mr J. thinks 80 a good  
price for the Proe Meadows  
but he is willing to give the  
500. so that it may be settled.