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Dear John,

On yesterday I heard the President and had a long talk with him. He would not say that he would appoint me in so many words, but said enough to make me infer he wanted to. A good deal passed which I will need you to write me when we meet. I said
as much as a gentleman and to another well off to the benefit of any proposition. Although I think he was apprised under, he would want to do so. Indeed I see no evident feeling to keep him there. Flanagan.

I was a little astonished to find among the objections to your report by the Secretary, perhaps the only one of any consequence, was found in a letter of Henry Blow filed when he was here. Of the objection I spoke plainly and I told Blow what I said. I did not think Blow would have done this thing without telling me, but "Mankind, an uneasy spirit"

And little to be trusted." He recommended the Morgans again — Mr. Stanton admitted the Secretary. I think it referred to this thing and admitted that as President, I ought to hold the position and finally said that he was not himself, and not refer it to the President. Yours, yours.

J.P. Henderson