

Leecompton K. Y. Oct 15. 1858

Dear Governor

I send you with this two letters
one from the Indian office and the other
from the late Marshall Winton I presume
from the Signature — It is a delicate matter
to open all letters coming directed to you
as Governor; when I find a letter which
I have reason to believe private I leave it
without inspection

I was sorry that I was unable to see you
in Leavenworth before you left, but am glad
that I did not hear Leecompton, as the printing
bringing in the returns of the election has
all now or less business with the office
and I am gaining information which
is valuable in advance of the Session
of the Legislature — Your Sheriff Roberts
was here today & resigned his office, having
been elected to the Legislature and intending
to go through the district previous to the
session of the Legislature — upon the
recommendation of Roberts & Crawford I