Baltimore July 24th 1832

Gerrit Hoffman Esq / Pres.t of the Md. Col. Society /

Sir

It is with great reluctance that I am again trespass upon your time, on the old subject — There is a balance due us of $900 — for Use of the Ship Orion — more than a month has elapsed since the Vessel was discharged, and we are informed that there are no funds in the Treasurer's hands — having on a former occasion found the benefit of an officiating to you we deem it only necessary to advise you of the fact — that we are not paid —

We are with great respect
your ob. Servants
Wm Emerson Sen.

Gerrit Hoffman Esq
Baltimore

Pr. Steam Boat
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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

1. May 1827--December 1833

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