C. Howard esq.

Dear Sir,

Since the inclosed letter was written Mr. Harper came into the Office & has kindly met my wish: & as he inquires for, has drawn a check in my favour for the quarter in advance from the 15th of September last - that check I now inclose to you, in the hope that you will favour me with your disposition -

I will deposit the check in the Union Bank and withdraw my draft in favour of Mr. Mickle for 83 33/100 - as that sum is included in the check for 250$ - being one quarters pay from the 15th of September. -

Pardon this liberty & accept my thanks

Respectfully & sincerely
Yr ob Svt
W. McKenney
Colon. agent

50.—
83.33
6.67

Wednesday afternoon
Oct 8. 1834

Colonization Office.
Baltimore Oct 8th 1834

Gentlemen,

I have this day drawn on you in favour of the Cashier of the Union Bank of Maryland for one months pay of my salary as agent of your Board. - The month will not expire before the 15th Inst, so that I have anticipated seven days. -

As I am about to leave home for the lower part of Anne Arundel & Calvert Counties, (I start to morrow morning) & shall be absent for some time, you would do me a very great kindness, by advancing me two months pay in addition to the draft required to above. - I would not trouble you with such a request but for the peculiar circumstances under which I am at present placed. -

My house rent is due & in my absence my family will want - a variety of other contingent expenses will occur, which renders it extremely convenient, that you would favour me with the advance above asked for. - Should you be pleased to favour me, you can in the course of two weeks place the two months pay to my credit in the Union Bank of Maryland. My only money account is kept with that institution. -

With very great Respect
I am Gentlemen
Yr ob Svt
W. McKenney
agent of Mr. Wolcott

Mess: C. Howard &
C. C. Harper
Commissioners of the
Mr Wolcott Colon. Fund

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