Emigration & colonization Office
June 17th 1835-

Dear Sir,

I mentioned to you a day or two ago my wish to be permitted by the State Board, to invite the Revd Beverly Wilson, (a coloured man) recently from Africa, to come into the State, & make with us a tour among the Blacks. -

Mr. Wilson is a man of a cultivated mind & good address: & having returned from Liberia, after a residence there of fourteen months, for the purpose of taking his family out, his representations would, without doubt, greatly promote the spirit of Emigration among our coloured peo-
=ple. -

I am led to indulge the hope that he would give me one or two weeks of the time he contem-
=plates spending in America, if his expences of travelling from Augusta to this City & back, would be paid by the Board. -

A speedy action on this question is highly desirable - Truly yours
R. McKenney
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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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