Harper august 30 1835

Dear sir I Recieve your letter on the 24 inst and was glad to Recieve your instructions Concerning obedience knowing that twas my Responsible duty, to be obedient to you and man, I did state to mr Paul that things was not hear as you late us, I also think that six months is not along enough to get a person hear that not means to start with. my greatest grievence was that I had to gain debt and no way to pay it hear as some that are not able to live hear without assistance for most there's May what kind. ~~and~~ ~~sat~~ I Recieve the clothing that you sent and I believe that they all were thankful for them as they needed them very much, I want you to send me the shoe tools & leather that you promised me that you would send me, we are most all out on our farms with the exceptions of a few, I think with a little assistance they will get along

my love to you all & family and all my friends both white and colored and tell the colored people this is there home, I want you to try and do all you can towards getting my children

Nomore But Remain
Yours forever
Alexander Hance

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