there to render me any assistance you
think proper you will oblige for asking
favours from Your humble Servant
Benjamin Bostic

P.S.
I will thank you to send me a small
hoe and a rake — If you can send me any
articles of clothing they will be of great
service to me — as I am left off for
clothing &c. and have no means of getting
it The colonist have made such laws
as will compell the missionaries to stop
paying out goods and will finally drive
them out of the Colony What the
poor colonest will do that have de-
pended on them for work to clothe
ourselves and families God only
knows — If the missionary and the Colony
can not live together peacably one or
the other must be bad — with the exception of the family
is you that are wise must judge!

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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