the emigrants are not only satisfied, but seem generally to be truly grateful for the marked attention exhibited by your Board to their comfortable equipment. –

Should it please the great Ruler of all events, to favor our Race with a comfortable passage to their destined home, I indulge the hope that their letters to their friends in this country will give an impetus to the cause of Colony, which no opposition will be able to resist. –

With considerations
of Respect I
am Dear
Sir Obt Hble St. –
W. McKenney
State Colony agent

PS. I should have added that on my way from Salisbury, in company with the 2 Star Emigrants, I received from the Treasurer of the Quantico auxiliary society $13 37½/100 to be used for the benefit of the Quantico emigrants – 10 in all – the enclosed paper marked "a/c of Expenditures for Annie Polk & ct, will show how that money was disbursed

W. McK

The balance say 35.67/100 will be paid to your Board by my kind friend W. Shepard, to whom I am greatly indebted for much useful advice & assistance in the selection & purchase of the articles named

W. McK

Paper marked A – shews the distribution of nails – saws – shovels – spades & hoes –

Mr. Earnest gave a small tierce of plates, cups & saucers, bowls – dishes & ct. –

They were distributed among the following families –

Spencer Jones – 13 in number. emancipated by Col. Jones –
Violet Jones — 7 ——— ——— Sarah Landreth
Mary Darfield 4 ——— ——— Sarah H. S. White
Abigail Carter 6 ——— Lidia Stayton –

The balance, a few odd pieces only, among the most needy of the rest. –

The pots – Tea. Kettles, coffee pots, tin cups spoons – knives & forks – stoves & ct were distributed according to the receipts of the Emigrants – the Emancipated slaves having a preference. –

The dry goods named in Mr Cook's bill, were distributed in a suitable proportion among the Emancipated slaves. the rest being generally well clad. –

The second hand clothing of which there were probably fifty pieces, were distributed among those needing them most. –

The coat & pantaloons presented by Mr. P. Hoffman were given to a female a young

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