

We do not understand also how the rent
you paid for Harriet's land - hath been paid
& if it is included in that Account - as we
find ~~it~~ ^{only} in our books - that we rec^d - ~~only~~ ^{about} 1823
for the year 1820 - in June, 1821 - which
was probably for 1820 - you give us credit in your
ac^t - for the year 1821 - but we find no trace of
payment for the years 1818 & 1819 -

- We have ~~been~~ ^{been} requested by Mr. Rob^t. Digges
not to ~~present~~ ^{present} him this year - as he promises
to ~~pay~~ ^{pay} it - otherwise we w^d not pay before you
so that we desire you not to pay him ~~this year~~.

We take leave, also, D^r Sir, to object to
the 10 per 100 - you claim for Commission - as we
are told that had understood that you would
take care of our affairs & Collections - on the most
^{friendly} amicable & moderate terms - & we are told that
5 per 100 - is the Commission most generally received

We find ~~we~~ are charged no more here - by lawyer
who claim & pursue our debts in Court - ^{even in principle} & single
Collectors - claim much less - Allowing that some
Collections have given you trouble - others, perhaps the
most considerable - cannot have given you much -
You may be sensible how much one tenth diminishes
every produce - & particularly the Negroes' sale -
- ever hoping that you will reduce it - we become
sensible that it will be much more advantageous to
us to try to get Money from Mill ^{nothing by} ~~blasting~~ ^{our plan}
as we beg of you to send us back ^{the} ~~our~~ ^{note to us} ~~by the~~
1st - free opinion you may procure -

Dr. 14 1/2
fare

Per

W. M.

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Give me M. Merrick's Account - or Papers -
Object to

Copy of a letter to
G. W. Neale
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M. G. Neale
D. Dir -

Your Account leaves several items
unexplained - & unintelligible for us - although we find
in our books some more Money rec^d from you than you establish in your
own Credit - as ^{paid us} ^{State} ^{in your} ^{place,} - the items on the Debit,
particularly of the year 1820, do not meet at all -
~~it seems also that there is~~ items to your credit - which
we cannot trace in your debit -

So that it w^d require to examine the Vouchers or Receipts
in your hand - which we would be much obliged to you
if you w^d bring with you - as soon as you can conveniently
come to Georgetown -