

Mt Holly Nov 9th 1840

Dear Uncle

on Tuesday last I bought eight head of young cattle at twenty dollars per head and a yoke of cattle for working at eight(sic)^{five} dollars per head. making an amount of \$245.

I drew a draft from you which is indorsed by Richard payedable in three days. but the cashier of the bank says they could not get it for me before the twenty first day of the month. and as the drover is in a hurry for it. I did not put it in his hands. because I thought that I could obtain a check per mail sooner than that. which I submit you.

We are still with.....(bad ink blot)... and Marge says that
.....her com.....

truly yours James A Fenwick