Dear Sir

Your letter of the 10th. Inst. came to hand on Saturday last I did not answer it by the Mail of yesterday Morning because I expected my son Scott to arrive every in a day or two from a visit to the Eastward

He did arrive last evening & you will see from his certificate (below) that he denies having given Smith permission to remain upon the farm you purchased until next Spring as the letter asserts.

Yours Very Sincerely

W. H. Harrison

Moses Dawson Esqr.

Sometime in the month of February last Mr Smith applied to me to rent the place he then occupied for another year. I informed him that the land was for sale, and that Mr. Henderson was early selling small tracts of it, as the agent of my father, and therefore I could make no positive contract with him for another year - but as he [has] [not] [complied]

Mr Smith paid me thirty or forty dollars on the last years rent and has never paid the balance at this day.

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{General Harrison}
{Sept '31}