

B. F. Quarles

Chicago Feb 9. 1847

Rev Mr. Lounis

Rev & D. Sir.

I take leave to inform you that the V Rev Mr. Padin before he left Baltimore forwarded to me an order on you for the instalments of \$100 due him first of Jan<sup>y</sup> & Sep<sup>r</sup>. I forgot to send you that of Jan<sup>y</sup> until he reminded me of it a few days ago by a letter I received from him from Vickshup near New Orleans. You will please excuse me for troubling you on this matter. It is no advantage to me. I would not have done it but to oblige father Padin. I will place the order in the hands of Smith & Co Bankers of this city for collection at the same time I will tell those gentlemen to retain the order until I hear from you -

Respectfully

Yrs Obedt Servt in Christ  
+ William B. of Chicago

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Y<sup>r</sup> favor of 9<sup>th</sup> inst. is received &  
as you have already disposed of the  
order, & other those to cause you any  
unmerited trouble, I shall however it  
when presented. Should any other drop  
be sent, before a settlement takes  
place, I do not promise borrowing  
any more money. It is not edifficult  
task to S. As. Mr. B. to persuade at a  
distance of my money wrong? I am not  
towards him; but when viewed closely  
our reciprocal transactions may appear  
somewhat different. In which, of course  
I mean us to approach to you & our  
still I gladly embrace this opportunity  
to inform you that in the affair also  
I have not acted, nor shall I do any  
thing proper unless those whom I respect  
I will follow have thought to set my  
conscience at peace however grieves  
it has been thus far, to me, to be found  
in any difficulty, with or without a pr  
for whom otherwise I profess myself the  
highly esteem.

Yours