

Macquarie Street
15th of 2nd Mo. 57.

Gentlemen,

Your letter of
condolence and your kind
expression of sympathy with
me under this afflictive dis-
-pensation of an all-wise
and gracious God, has tend-
-ed ~~much~~ ^{of some degree} to lighten this
heavy stroke.

Your kind and honorable
mention of the services of my
beloved husband and your
social intercourse, will ever
be a balm to my heart.

It is a ^{consoling} great solace to
know that his exertions for
the benefit of and well being
of his fellow man has been
appreciated.

Letters of thanks for condolences on death of George Washington Walker
written by Sarah Benson Walker.

appreciated and that he still
lives in their hearts

Your consideration for
my son James in your choice
of a junior clerk for the
Institution under your
control merits my thankful
acknowledgements —

I do most earnestly trust
and desire that "Uprightness
and Integrity may preserve
him" and that he may by
efficiency in the discharge
of his duties and by true
gentlemanly conduct prove
himself worthy of
not ~~to~~ ^{to} merit your con-
fidence and support —

Again thanking you
for your kindness & consideration
I remain gentlemen

~~most~~ respectfully
Sarah Benson ~~Walter~~