

Chillicothe July 10<sup>th</sup> 1833

Dear Sir

Your esteemed favor of the 7<sup>th</sup> December  
the ship Lafayette has been duly received, and  
although still laboring under the effects of  
a severe indisposition, occasioned by exposure  
to sun and night air during my recent  
visit to our new settlement at Grand Bayou,  
I avail myself of the present opportunity to  
reply to it -

The emigrants from your state 150 in  
number have all been landed and comfortably  
sheltered they appear with few exceptions a  
fine set of people and will doubtless prove  
a valuable addition to our colony, those  
recommended by you to my particular  
notice, shall receive such attention as may  
be calculated to forward their views and  
advance the interests of the cause of  
colonization I repeat however to state that

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II. Correspondence Received  
A. Letter Books

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