Frederick Town. March 18th 1833 –

Dear Sir

At the request of Major Hughes, I write to ascertain if you propose sending a vessel to Liberia, on or before May – The motive for this enquiry is, that Thos as Gross the brother of Calvert, of whom you have no doubt heard, has consented to go to Africa, and his determination has influenced 25 or 30 of his acquaintance to embark in the same cause – would you advise their departure this spring, (being for this part of the country,) should you charter a vessel for Liberia – Tom is a valuable man – a preacher in the Methodist Episcopal church and of considerable influence among the people of colour – Your early reply will be duly appreciated. (With respect & esteem

S. Medtart

March 21 –

S. Medtart Esq
Frederick md
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Mr. Moses Sheppard
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