Mr Guile April 12 1833
Washington

To
Hon Harper Esq
Baltimore

Washington City
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Office of the Col Society
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My Dear Sir,

In reply to your favour of the 9th instant, I am instructed by our Board to say that no needless delay shall occur & no means be neglected in correcting the evil complained of in the letter addressed by the emigrants from your State to Mr Shepperd. We shall send a copy of the letter to Dr Mechlin by the first conveyance. I cannot but doubt and greatly doubt the accuracy of the statements in that letter. I cannot imagine how the Colonial Agent with such ample instructions to leave nothing undone which should conduce to the comfort, health, & general satisfaction of the Maryland Emigrants, should allow of the abuses stated to exist. He was told by me, that every thing in regard to the success of future operations in Maryland would

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

1. May 1827--December 1833

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