in readily disposing of almost any quantity that you may purchase & at a very reasonable advance. As you have the best opportunity of this nature in Mr McGill I should advise to let no opportunity escape of thus enhancing the funds of the Agency.

In addition to the above suggestions I would add, that particularly in the commencement of your operations, you will be able to derive great benefit from the information which the Rev Mr Thomas will give you when required, as from a residence of many years here he is perfectly versed in the establishment of the Colony without his assistance.

With the most ardent wishes for the prosperity of the Colony & your own health & happiness

I have the honour to be
Dear Sir, Your most obt Servant

James Hall
Agt. Md. St. Col. Society

Washington April 1st 1836

My Dear Sir,
Will you be so kind as to send us two or three copies of your annual Report? One which we had is missing. I have been much interested in the account of Dr Hall's visit to the interior.

Please let us know, when your vessel will sail, & it will give us pleasure to reciprocate the kindness.

With greatest respect & regard
Yours
R B Gurley

Rev Jno Easton

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