Colonization Rooms 6th April 1836

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Dear Sir

I left the City of Baltimore on tuesday the 22nd March and arrived the same day at Mr Bernard Gilpins. Mr Gilpin is a respectable and intelligent member of the Society of Friends who called at the Colonization Rooms some weeks past to get some Reports and papers for Mr. Richard I. Bowie of montgomery, and gave me a pressing invitation to stop at his house. Mr G. was from home, and I was thus deprived of his valuable assistance. On Wednesday the 23rd I went to Mr McConnell's near Brookville to make arrangements to address the citizens white and Colored in that neighbourhood. Having fixed on the following sabbath and published my appointment, I on thursday the 24th proceeded to Rockville where I saw Mr Richard I Bowie with whom I agreed to hold a public meeting in that place on friday the 1st. April. On friday the 25th visited Judge Kilgour at his country seat and found him willing to unite in the organization of an auxiliary Society. The same day proceeded to Brookville with a view of attending a temperance Meeting the next day at the Protestant Episcopal Church some 6 or 8 miles above that Village. On Saturday the 26th I called on Mr A. B. Davis who went with me to the meeting when I made a short address and secured some friends to the Colonization Cause. Returning we

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