Thos. Sr. Esq. Chairman
Sr. A. Marbury
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Wm. M. Kenney
Agent of State's Rights
Emigration & Colonization Office
Baltimore

Letter
June 1836
Rec'd Alex. M. Marbury
Thos. Kennedy
Yesq.

My Dear Sir,

I have very recently recd. a letter from Mr Early in answer to the one I addressed to him at N. Orleans last April. His time, he says, will be so much occupied with the immediate object of his visit to the Western & South Western States, that, to use his own expression, "I dare not pledge myself to any thing, but what I can do, most surely I will do". He makes two suggestions – one, I think, important – and before acting upon it I wish to consult with you and have your judgement as to the expediency of the proposal. "The little thing, he says, which occurs to me, to be done, (and I therefore respectfully suggest it) would be to lay the real facts of the case before the public through the Religious papers of the day & aide for contributions to effect your purpose, mentioning to whom donations may be sent. I presume our Treasurer would gladly receive contributions for so humane an object. The Editors of the N. York Observer or of the Journal of Commerce would do the same."

Let me hear from you immediately.

Yrs with sentiments of very high esteem

Alex. M. Marbury.

Thos. Kennedy.
June 21st 1836.

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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