Col. Rooms Phil. Feb 13th 1837

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Very, Dear Sir

Your kind epistle of the 6th I hasten to answer as in duty bound. Mr Crosson is out of the city at present and were he present still it would be my duty and afford me pleasure as the only authorized agent & Sec of our society so to do. For though friend Crosson is a good & active friend of the cause still he is clothed with no authority from our society to act but through the agent.

Your request in reference to a vessel sailing from any of our ports for Liberia shall be promptly complied with and due notice of the same shall always be afforded you. We are preparing to send a vessel as soon as practicable. It may be ready in about two months. We are glad to learn that you have in view the sending out of a vessel so soon as May,

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