superfluous one & at first I thought of giving it up entirely — But I reflected that there was room for us all — that among those who patronize it are many very young persons who perhaps for the first time in their lives have been enlisted in any thing like systematic Charity & who hereafter may be zealous aids to the Col.: Cause, whilst the few who would under any circumstances have been friendly to the Education I will be willing to give them little tributes still — so that whilst "nothing will be lost" something may be really gained & if we do nothing else I hope we shall send you our humble first fruits in the Fall — The Abolitionists have been so busy that I doubt our being able to appropriate our funds to any Emigrant from Talbot — in that case they will go by our agreement to the cash acts of Treasury. — These misguided Abolitionists are by their outrages rousing the most careless — I trust it will please God so to overrule their deceitful system of doing even evil if good may come of it as to promote our safety & the welfare of the poor Negroes whom they so cruelly mislead.

With great respect Sir I remain
yrs Augustine Forman. —

Hope. June 29th
1837.