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11. June 1839.
Rev Ira T. Easter Bridge

The Rev. Ira Easter,
Baltimore.

Mason Neck, Lorton P.O.
14th June 1839

Dr Mr Easter.

Since my arrival in this County, I have been almost constantly engaged to procure emigrants and obtain subscriptions. The success which has attended my efforts has not been such as we hoped to have realized, on commencing with the Colonization Society. Only two have given in their names for emigration, and we doubt whether any considerable number can be obtained in this County. Strong prejudices exist against our Cause, and the same reports have been circulated here as in other portions of our State, we learn however that there are a few in the County desirous to go to the Colony. We shall go there before leaving. Subscriptions have been made towards building our packet amounting to about two hundred and thirty dollars.

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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