Burkittsville July 27th 1840

To

Mr. Kennedy

Sir

I received your letter some time ago, and was much gratified by the information you gave me. I would have written directly and told you to enter the name of my servant but we were still deliberating what to do, but she is very anxious indeed and you will oblige me very much by placing her name among those of the Colonists. the name of the servant is Mary Johnson, I will send her if you inform me where she could stay during the time that the fleet would be prepared to start. for perhaps she would be there ~~some~~ weeks too soon,

You would oblige me very much Sir, if you would inform me when to send her, the exact time if you please; I will pay her expense to Baltimore, and then you say, the other part of the voyage is free from charges, You would oblige me by letting me know as soon as possible at what time to send her

Yours respectfully
Elizabeth Cost

From Salem Hall:
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Mr Captain Staley

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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