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Havre de Grace Decr 11th 1841

Revd & Dear Sir

Jacob Dorsey the father of Joriah Dorsey who emigrated from this County to your colony in Africa some years ago has become very anxious and uneasy in relation to his son He has not heard from him for some time although ~~although~~ he has written to him (Joriah) several times I left a letter in your office last Spring for him but as yet no answer has been received

He wishes to know when the next vessel will sail under the direction of the Society to the Colony as he is anxious to write as he would also like to know whether the letter left at the office last Spring was forwarded. If no vessel of your own will sail this season ~~fall~~ perhaps you could direct him how a letter could be sent as you have an opportunity of knowing whether any other vessel will sail in that direction

Please write by return mail and give him any information that you may have

Your Obedt S. Fillagraw

Please write to me for fear we have a day sooner to know what I have to say and also in regard to a mistake in my letter by which I was made to make an oath as he is very anxious as you will confer a favor

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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