Rev W. McLean
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Dr Hall

Farmship md August 13. 1842

Dr Sir

This will inform you that I arrived safe at this place on Saturday the 30. day of last month & found my children all well. but I am sorry that I have to inform you that I have been very unwell since I come down a part of the time I was in bed and quite sick but thank god I am now able to get about and hope soon to be restored to my usual health I have but little news to communicate as I have been unable to get about. but from what I have been and heard from the Col. people I think they are very much inclined to go to africa but I shall be able to give you more correct information in my next letters, I did not get the 50 cts from Mrs Barber that you sent me to get from her as she was out of the way when I went back, I shall send you some peaches by the steam boat Protector on Tuesday next. I think I shall direct them to the care of Samuel A. Whittington 4. Dugans Wharf Baltimore

P.S. If you write me direct your letter to Farmship A. Alexr md

Yrs Very respectfully
John Bowdly

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