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Baltimore July 14 - 1856.

To the President & Managers of the Maryland
State Colonization Society — D^r A^r ✓
Gentlemen —

I take the liberty hereby to present my name as an applicant for the situation of Traveling Agent of the Society of which you have the management. In doing so I would state that I have been engaged in the work of the Ministry in the M^e Church — on the E Shore of Md Most of the time since 1839, having been stationed in six of the Counties — & preached repeatedly in each of the others — Having removed from Virginia to Md in 39, all my temporal & social interests are identified with the E Shore — But as brevity is best, I refer you to the following Gentlemen who know me personally, or from character, viz:

Rev John Leys — Mr Bruff of the firm of Berkeley & Bruff — Mr C Cochran of Farmers & Planters Bank & Mr A R Wallace Lee St near Sharp —

Yours truly
E W May

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

13. May 1855—October 1857

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