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Washington
May 3rd 1862

My Dear Friend

I merely wrote last
Sunday for information in regard to a
proposed settlement to a few individuals
Mr. Tracy Pleasing to I did not consult
your views because, they were thought to be
so well known & certainly so acceptable
as the views it announcing. Indeed we
had adopted no plan for action and
especially none was contemplated that
would injure Liberia.

I have encouraged & urged President
Benson to allow his commercial and
political relations on the coast as
well as towards the interior back thence
to some disposition conducing
usefully to any agency of our
Society in African affairs.

There is room enough for the efforts
of all in the civilization of Africa &
should be harmony among all her friends.

I regret very much your indisposition

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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