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Office of the Colonization Soc.
Washington
March 5th, 1859

My Dear Sir,

The dispatches by the Exchange from Liberia came before our Executive Committee last evening, and Dr Gunton & myself were appointed to attend to the sending out such supplies & medicines as might be judged necessary to go by the earliest conveyance. You my Dear Sir, being another Mr McLain in all these African matters of business, I am requested to write you for information on some points & for your opinion on all.

Dennis writes to Mr McLain that he sees no way to avoid drawing on him - that the supplies by the Niagara are not sufficient to keep, support & properly provide for the reception for the whole year with pay of teachers & attendants for them &c &c - He adds I beg to enclose an list of some articles of Merchandize which if you can send me by the Benton or some other vessel soon to sail for

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II. Correspondence Received
B. Letter Books, Shipping

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