

Cole Office Washington

March 9th 1859

My dear Sir

July 22nd last you Mrs E. H.
King of Jackson La asking us to take five
servants, free of charge to Liberia viz one
mother & two children - one male of 24 & one
female 20 - the mother 40 - one orphan
male 25 & female orphan 20 all healthy
and accustomed to field work - Mr W.
Laird wrote that we would send them
but they must come to Baltimore free
of all expense to us. In a second letter
asking how they should be sent he
replied "If you have to send them to
Baltimore, the best way will be to pack
them aboard some vessel at New Orleans
bound to Baltimore. You can ship

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II. Correspondence Received
B. Letter Books, Shipping

3. December 1858—November 1859

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