Colonization Office Balto. May 8th 1862

E. McVain Postmaster
Marshall of Ohio
Balto. City –

Sir If consistent with your regulations I would be obliged to you to supply the bearer with a pass at all hours. as I will be responsible for his good conduct – he being clerk in this Office —

Respectfully Yours

James Hall
Sub. Agt. Md St. Col Soc.

Colonization Office
Baltimore May 12/62.

Mr. Marcus Dale
Detroit. Mich.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 7th came to hand this morning. It tells the same old story, familiar to me for over thirty years, as I had visited Hayti in 1831. The destiny of the American portion of the African race, is to me extremely doubtful. This only do I know, viz that Africa is destined to be one of the most important quarters of the ~~globe~~ world; that she will be controlled by her own people only; and that her friendship and commerce will

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