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Colonization Office
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Your interesting letter of the 17th inst. to my father, Jas. Hall, is recd. The Enclosure for Emily Brooks of Mecklenburg county will be forwarded by the first opportunity. The Ann. Col. Society ship M. C. Stevens is now on the coast of Liberia but I fear the letter to Emily cannot reach there in time for her to return by the present voyage of the Stevens, which is expected to leave for home in February. Emily will therefore have to remain until the next voyage of the Stevens & not be in this country until sometime in September. Had your letter been recd. two weeks earlier it could have been forwarded in time for the present voyage of the Stevens.

I remain
Respectfully Yours
E. M. Gill

Capt. J. J. Mallett
Chapel Hill N.C.

Wm S. Bryan 36 St Pauls St pretty referred to. Girl to be sent from next vessel.

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