thousands of free colored population of Maryland who will regard this condition as one of the most conclusive evidences that could be furnished of the offered of the Society's benevolent intentions towards them.

The friends of Colonization throughout the State, into whose hands this notice may fall, are respectfully requested to send it to such free persons of color as may be disposed to emigrate, residing in their neighborhood.

The 3rd Annual Report of the Society is now in a state of preparation for general circulation throughout the State. It contains most cheering intelligence from the Parent of the Colony, especially in regard to the climate, soil & fruitfulness of the Territory.

W. McKenney
Colr. Agt for Maryland

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Editors of Public Journals throughout the State, friendly to the Society, will be doing a service to the cause by copying the above.

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