to annapolis by the society's agent and a copy put into the hands of each member of the legislature. It cannot be questioned, if this plan were adopted, the legislature would be better informed in regard to the Society's operations than they have been in years past.

4thly. Accompanying this Report you have a have a note from Mr John H. Kennard, agent of the Young Men's Colonization Society, requesting the payment of Two hundred and fifty dollars due him for services rendered the Maryland Colonization Society. I regret the necessity imposed upon me of making this application or of permitting it to be made, at a time when there is three times as much money subscribed in this city as would meet the demand: But is only necessary to state to the Board, that much of this fund was subscribed upon the express condition that payment would not be required until the spring. Of course I feel a delicacy in pressing the claims of the Society now, when it would tend to restrain future contributions. Judging from an imperfect experiment I cannot entertain a doubt, but the citizens of Baltimore will more than pay the expense of the office and travelling agent during the current year.

5thly. The Young Men's Colonization Society have passed a resolution and appointed a committee to confer with your Board, requesting that Mr Kennard may be employed entirely by the Maryland Colonization Society,

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