

" KENTUCKY GEOLOGICAL SURVEY AND BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION,
 " JOHN R. PROCTER, Director.

" FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY,

" October 10th, 1881.

" DEAR SIRS,

" I am instructed by His Excellency, The Governor of Kentucky, to inform you that the plans of the *American Colonization Company* of London, England, proposed and submitted by you, meet with his warm approval, and that he will co-operate with you in your endeavours to send young men to this State. He believes that the geographical position of Kentucky, its salubrity of climate, fertility of soil, and great undeveloped wealth in coal, iron, and timbers, make it a most desirable field for the introduction of foreign labour and capital. To persons seeking pleasant homes or remunerative investments in this State he extends a cordial invitation, with the assurance of a warm welcome. As Director of the Geological Survey and Bureau of Immigration I beg to assure you of my hearty co-operation, and will spare no efforts necessary to aid in furtherance of your plans.

" Respectfully yours,

JOHN R. PROCTER,

" State Geologist.

" Approved,—LUKE V. BLACKBURN, Governor of Kentucky.'

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