

Surra Leone 19th Apr. 1879.

My dear Brethren,

Mr. Jas. Ledgers of the West India
Company petition you that for the laborers
and sail them that the Mr. Am. Brown
wishes sent us. We are wholly at a
loss to express our gratefulness to you
for him so long amongst us. We
request permission for him to leave
us but to the contrary. Had we
known he was willing to spend his
time we would not have consented to
his going as soon as he has completed
an unvaried laborer in his Master's
house. The happy man undergoing
various the captured people to
with the terms of manumission as offered
here. Like a general in the world
commanding his subalterns to be