Society's proceedings. On motion by Mr Latrobe. Resolved that this Society gratefully acknowledge their obligations to the Parent Society at Washington which, in spite of every obstacle, has triumphantly demonstrated the practicability of the great plan of African colonization.

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Mr Latrobe apologized to the Society for the absence of Mr Scott, who had been expected to address the meeting, but who had been prevented by the pressure of professional engagements. Mr L, then made some remarks in connection with the resolution that he offered, and urged the adoption of it, as peculiarly fitting at the present time, when Maryland was about to embark in the prosecution of a great scheme of philanthropy, whose ultimate success would be mainly, if not entirely, owing to the untiring zeal, with which its practicability had been demonstrated by the American Colonization Society.

State appropriation. On motion by Mr Harper. Resolved; That it is the opinion of this Society, the liberal appropriation made by the State of Maryland for the purpose of Colonization, deserves unanimous approbation and support.

On motion by Robert S Finley Esq: the agent of the managers under the act of Assembly relating to Colonization. Resolved.

auxiliaries. That this Society will use its utmost efforts to establish auxiliary societies throughout the state, as the best means of spreading that information, and exciting that interest, which are essential to give full effect to the liberal and enlightened Legislation of Maryland upon this important subject.

Societys proceedings. Mr Finley accompanied the resolutions that he offered with a most able and eloquent address, in which he reviewed the subject of Colonization, demonstrated the feasibility of the plan, and offered new motives to perseverance in it.

On Motion by Dr Boyd Resolved, that the Board of

4th July Collections. Managers be requested to cause a circular to be addressed to the ministers of the various religious denominations throughout the State, respectfully soliciting them to preach urging Colonization, and to take up collections in behalf of the Maryland State Colonization, on the Sabbath immediately preceding or following the fourth of July next.

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The above proceedings of the Society were published in the papers of the City of Baltimore, with the list of the officers—

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The thanks of the Society were returned to congregation of the Light Street church, for the use of it for the meeting.

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May 7th 1832.

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Maryland State Colonization Society, present:

George Hoffman president. Nicholas Brice
Moses Sheppard
Samuel Baker.

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