Resolved, That this Board will pay in advance to the Managers of the Maryland State Colonization Society the sum of $30 for every Emigrant which that Society will undertake to transport from Maryland to Africa during the present year and provide for after their arrival in that Country. — . —

Resolved, That this Board will further loan to the same Society, such further sum as together with the payment contemplated by the foregoing Resolution will amount to a sum not exceeding in all $3000.00/100 — The said Loan to be repaid by the Maryland State Colonization Society's transporting hereafter to Africa, at their own expense, Emigrants from Maryland, at such a rate as the Board of State managers may stipulate at the time of their embarkation —

The Resolutions offered by Mr Latrobe at the last meeting, and laid on the Table, until this afternoon were then taken up, and after some considerable discussion and some amendments unanimously adopted, as follows,

Resolved, That the Committee or Agents be directed to employ Dr James Hall as the agent of this

Society to form a settlement for the purposes of Colonization under the auspices and control of this Society on the South west coast of Africa at Cape Palmas or as nearly that point as may be practicable and proper

Resolved, That the same Committee be directed to take such measures in connexion with Dr Hall as will secure if practicable the establishment of the proposed settlement during the present year and for that purpose procure the attendance of Doctor Hall in Baltimore to make the necessary arrangements at as early a date as may be practicable —

Resolved — That the local Agent of this Society be directed to proceed to the Eastern Shore of Md as soon as the said Committee may see fit, to obtain them the Emigrants whom it may be desireable to send with the first expedition; it being optional with the Emigrants to remain at Monrovia, Bassa or proceed to Cape Palmas — and that he be instructed to admit no one to his list of Emigrants who is not of an unexceptionable moral character — and to give the preference to those, who, other qualifications equal, are distinguished for piety and knowledge selecting as large a proportion of adults in the number he may be directed to obtain as is practicable

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