James Duncan
Colonies, Africa
No. 7
John A. Kasson Esq.
5 March 1837

Oath of the Master and Mate of the
Schooner Financier

Port of Harper, Cape Palmas, Western Coast of Africa. We Samuel Franklin, Master and Hall, Mate of the Schooner Financier of Baltimore in the United States of America do solemly swear that the Bales of Merchandise enumerated and described in the preceding certificate signed by Oliver Holmes Jr Agent of the Maryland State Colonization Society were actually delivered at the said Colony into the hands of the said Agent on the first and second of September.

Sworn to at the Port of Harper this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six

Samuel Franklin Master
Allen Hall mate
Anthony Moore J.P.

I Oliver Holmes of the Town of Harper in Maryland in Liberia upon the Western Coast of Africa do hereby certify that the Bales of Merchandise hereafter described was landed at this Port between the first and third day of September 1836 from on board of the Schooner Financier whereof Samuel Franklin is Master at the said time as three Bales marked and numbered as follows as S. C. C. 65 — L. A 10 and W. F. M 356. Which according to the bills of

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