Maryland State Colonization Society will not call on the Ladies' Education Society for payment of a school house built for them at Cape Palmas, so long as they furnish a teacher of teaching, or provide for his support.

The committee after much deliberation, and many inquiries as to the requisite qualifications &c. have engaged Benjamin Allegre, who has consented to accept the very responsible office entrusted to him, and has promised to take every opportunity of rendering himself worthy of the confidence of the Board. The treasury has already paid to him three hundred dollars — two hundred allowed for his outfit and one hundred of his salary in advance. This money has been raised principally by the clergy of various denominations, life members, dues have already been so constituted, and the Right Revd. Bishop Waugh, Dr Wyatt, the Revd. Stephen Williams, the Revd. John C. Backus, the Revd. G. W. Barnap, the Revd. G. W. Musgrave and the Revd. Thomas H. Stockton have returned most kind and polite acknowledgments to the Board, and very particular remembrances to the ladies of their respective congregations, who have conferred upon them, this mark of their regard, at the same time wishing, that the laudable efforts of this society, may be abundantly prospered. The committee would now most earnestly recommend to the managers the utmost diligence in endeavouring to procure annual subscriptions, as hereafter the support of the teacher and other expenses, will depend entirely upon this fund. The committee would acknowledge the very kind and efficient co-operation of the Revd. W. Easter, Home agent of the State Society, and tender to him their thanks —

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