

July 23<sup>d</sup> '91.  
The Trustees of "Hall Free School"  
Cape Palmas,  
Gentlemen,

We have been permitted by Jehovah to see the close of the first school term for this year, ending July 21<sup>st</sup> 1891, and in assembling to transact the business relevant to the interest of the school etc, our duty is to acknowledge with unfeigned gratitude the blessings bestowed upon us by our Maker.

He is thanked for all He has performed for us, and we beseech Him to further with His continual help our efforts.

#### Commencement of the work.

The school after the usual Christmas-holiday, commenced work January 12<sup>th</sup> 1891 with ninety three (93) pupils on roll, and thirty four (34) in their places in the school room. They seemed refreshed from the recreation, and expressed general satisfaction touching their call to the building by the peals of the dear old bell.

Lessons were assigned them, and as

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2. August 1875-- June 1893