not with propriety give any preference to those from any one state, but had to act for all, the Board could only calculate upon being able to send out a small number every year; ~~if the spirit of colonization should continue to increase throughout the Union~~. ~~The gradual Emigration of a few of the Colored popu=lation of the state, however it~~ which however it might benefit these emigrants individually, could not lead to the accomplishment of another of the objects of the Legislature, which was to provide the means for the gradual removal of a large number of Persons. The Board were therefore satisfied that unless greater facilities could be opened for the comfortable establishment of settlers in Africa, they could only hope for a very partial accom=plishment of the views of the State. They were however gratified to learn that the "Maryland State Colonization Society", acting under the same auspicious, were desirous of founding a new settle=ment, "under their own auspices", & having made full enquiries, had selected Cape Palmas, as a point which offered peculiar advantages for the esta=blishment of a new colony: and in this opinion the Board of Managers fully accorded with them.—

The "Maryland State Society" however found themselves unable to effect their plans, from a want

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VIII. Commissions and Reports

B. Reports of Board of Managers and committees
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