

7. Home expenses, including expenses of all kinds, of the office in Baltimore, . . . . .	\$42,048 13
8. For printing Colonization Journal and other publications, for general distribution, as required by the act of 1831, . . . . .	5,050 49
[The subscriptions to the Journal, which more than pay its expenses, come under the above head of receipts.]	
9. Stock held by the Society in the Liberia Packet, [This has always paid a handsome interest on the investment.]	2,500 00
Total home expenses, . . . . .	<u>\$ 49,598 62</u>

## RECAPITULATION.

Total receipts from all sources, . . . . .	\$317,049 18
Total expenses of collection, outfit, transportation and support of emigrants, . . . . .	\$117,536 08
Total expenditure in Africa, . . . . .	149,914 48
Total home expenses, . . . . .	<u>49,598 62</u>
	\$317,049 18

The heaviest sum in the above amount is for outlay in Africa. Territory had to be acquired there, buildings and fortifications erected, and a government organized, before a single emigrant could be received. A disparity of expenditure was thus made inevitable, which has, though gradually diminishing, continued down to the present time. With the stability and capacity of the Colony, and the increase of its population, this disparity will disappear; until the surprise will be, as a population of tens of thousands is counted, in a free and independent State, that means so scanty, should have produced results so great and honorable.

From the foregoing account, too, it will be seen, that the Society has contributed to promote the objects of the State in this behalf,—the sum of \$130,127 02, out of the entire expenditure of \$317,049 18; the balance, \$186,922 16, being that received from the Colonization fund.

Not only, therefore, has the Society's contributions paid its entire home expenses, amounting to \$49,598 62, but the sum of \$80,982 16 in addition,—more than sufficient to cover, as will be seen by reference to the accompanying balance sheet, the entire African civil list, \$39,316 19,—the expenses of the agency house at Cape Palmas, \$14,725 35,—all contingent expenses in Africa, \$18,046 69, besides paying \$7,856 35 for a Schooner prepared in Baltimore, and taken, in pieces, to Africa, there to be set up and completed, that her model

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