land State Colonization Society in Africa:
to which this is now annexed:—

And it is further agreed that all ha-
lavers arising between any two Kings residing
in Maryland in Liberia or between the sub-
jects of any two Kings, shall be set by the Ameri-
can Governor of the Territory:—

And it is further agreed on the part of
the said King & Governor, that no foreigner
or person not authorised by the Maryland
State Colonization Society shall reside in or
make trade in any part of said Territory
other than that made in canoes with vessels in
the offing.

And further, that there shall never be in
either party any obstruction to a free passage
through their respective Territories either by
land or water.

The considerations of the above deed are as
follows:

1st. The above named privileges of Mutual defence.

2nd. The advantages accruing from Trading
posts being established in said Territory
by ~~the~~ through the Agent of the Mary-
land State Colonization Society.

3d. The advantages of schools which the chil-

dren of the native inhabitants shall
enjoy in common with American
children.

4th. The general benefit which the said King &
Governor, Executors hereof foresee will re-
sult to their country & the inhabitants
thereof from intercourse with Ameri-
can Colonist.

5th. Such presents or dashes as they may hope to re-
ceive from the Colonial Agent for ceding
the above named Territory.

Signed, sealed and delivered at Cape Palmas this 13th of March A.D. One thousand, eight hundred and forty six. } Jno. B. Russwurm, A. Md. S. Co. S. William, King + Hugo, Governor +

In presence of
Truman, King +
Yellow Will +
M. A. Prout

Cape Palmas, March 13th 1846

We, Arah & Nepah, Headmen of Half Bereby, do hereby in the presence of our King & Governor Beach, ratify and confirm the preceding contract with Jno. B. Russwurm, A. Md. S. Col. Society and bind ourselves & adherents to observe them.

In presence of
Truman King +
Yellow Will +

Arah, headman +
Nepah do. +

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1. Copies of eleven deeds, 1834—1849
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