one of the students, who also translated the whole of the eighth chapter of the 1st book; and the first view of the Black Sea by the Ten Thousand Greeks, translated by M. M. Witherspoon. Those who understood affirm that the translation was critical and perfect. The same class read and was examined in Tacitus—the Germania; also in Algebra, Simple and Quadratic Equations and Arithmetical Progression. The students manifested great readiness in the solution of problems. The second class was examined in Cæsar's Commentaries on the Gallic Wars—in Arithmetic and Geography. The exercises were closed by addresses delivered by two of the Students, Messrs. J. T. Dimery and David M. Payne, which considerably interested and amused the audience. All left the house well pleased, only regretting that the room was too small to accommodate comfortably the spectators present; and many who would have attended could not be accommodated at all.

There is one gratifying feature in this examination, different from any of the same character we have attended in Liberia; it is this, that the examination in higher departments of Greek and Latin, than we have yet witnessed, was conducted by a colored man, and a citizen of Liberia. It is encouraging to see our young men rising up to take the places of their white instructors, when the latter, admonished that they cannot endure our climate, are compelled to leave. May great success attend the Alex. High School, under the tuition of Mr. E. W. Blyden.

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Respectfully submitted,

Baltimore, August 31st, 1859. P. D. LIPSCOMB, *Travelling Agent.*

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RETURN OF THE SHIP M. C. STEVENS, VOYAGE F.

We are most happy to state that our good Ship has again come up to time and that we shall be able to get her off on the 1st prox. It will be recollected, that she had two long passages on her last previous voyage, and much detention on the coast, so that, she did not get in port till the 2d of May, one day later than the time appointed for her departure. We managed, however, to get her off in ten days. She had a long passage out, in addition to a ten days detention in the bay, yet, by dint of hard driving at sea and in port, on part of Capt. Etchberger, she retrieved her lost time, cleared her partially sullied reputation and arrived in port on the 8th inst. closing her sixth trip. Her freight list home exceeded that of any previous voyage, amounting to some $1800, say one-fourth of her capacity. This, although the best, is bad enough for home freight.

We know this lack of patronage to the ship astonishes many of our friends, especially those so sanguine as to the success of a freighting steamer. That we have no more *home* freight does not surprise us, but we must acknowledge that we did expect more patronage in freight and passages *out*, by the various Missionary Societies having stations on the coast. Previous to the building of the ship, it was proposed to build a Liberia Missionary Ship or vessel, exclusively for the transportation of Missionaries and the *materiel* of the Missions stations in Liberia and its vicinity—and we supposed the plan had been abandoned in consequence of the building of the M. C. Stevens and the facilities afforded by her for going to and fro, and up and down the coast.

In constructing the Ship, we had in view, specially, the wants of the Missionary Societies. We prepared, mainly on their account, a poop cabin and other arrangements that would enable her to carry passengers in a style equal to that of most ocean sailing packets, at an additional expense of near three thousand dollars.

We cannot say less, than, that the result has disappointed our expectations, nor can we forbear adding, that, in no one instance have we seen manifested a disposition on part of the Missionary Societis, to send freight

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