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Forgotten Books, United States, 2016. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Report of the New-York Colonization Society, 1st Oct Nearly seven years have elapsed since a Society was Ibriiied at Washington, for the purpose of promoting and executing a plan for colonizing the free people of colour, residing in America, in Africa, or such other place as Congress should deem most expedient. As a preliminary step to the carrying of this plan into successful execution, it was deemed proper to send out agents to the coast of Africa, to ascertain the most favourable site for the proposed colony, and at the same time to gather such general information as might facilitate the future operations of the Society. Messrs. Mills and Burgess were accordingly appointed upon this service in the year 1817; and the result of their labours and inquiries was such as to satisfy the Managers that the establishment of a colony on the west coast of Africa might be attempted, not merely with safety, but with every prospect of success. Having obtained this information, it was determined at once to commence their labours in this...



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