TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

ANNAPOLIS, *December* 18*th*, 1863.

To the Legislature of Maryland:

THE following Report of the Comptroller of the Treasury, is made in obedience to the requirements of the Constitution, Article VI, Section 2, and of the Code of Public General Laws, Article XXII, Section 9.

The Receipts of the Treasury for the fiscal year ended September 30th, 1863, as will appear in detail in Statement A. of the Appendix to this Report, amounted to the sum of $1,870,105 72, all of which was from the ordinary sources of revenue, and exceeds the receipts from similar sources of the preceding year by the sum of $220,129 60, viz:

Receipts for fiscal year ending 30th September, 1863, - - - - - - -		$1,870,105 72
Gross receipts from all sources for the year ended September 30, 1862, $1, 823,563 87		
From which deduct proceeds sales "Maryland Defence Loan," - - -	173,587 75	
		1,649,976 12
Showing an increase from ordinary sources of		$220,129 60

The sum received in the fiscal year lately closed, is greater than ever before received from ordinary sources, and when added to the balance remaining in the Treasury proper, September 30, 1862, of $446,749 19, made the whole sum