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Paid by State of Maryland for Salaries of the Officers of the Penitentiary.

1812	-	-	-	-	\$2,816 28
1813	-	-	-	-	3,900 99
1814	-	-	-	-	4,078 38
1815	-	-	-	-	4,839 60
1816	-	-	-	-	4,988 53
1817	-	-	-	-	4,809 81
1818	-	-	-	-	7,208 57
1819	-	-	-	-	7,767 11
1820	-	-	-	-	8,223 04
1821	-	-	-	-	8,542 88
1822	-	-	-	-	8,577 03
1823	-	-	-	-	8,845 71
1824	-	-	-	-	8,480 10
1825	-	-	-	-	7,999 60
1826	-	-	-	-	7,529 41
1827	-	-	-	-	7,279 05
January, 1828	-	-	-	-	1,800
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					\$107,685 89

Since January 1828, the salaries are all paid at the institution, instead of being drawn from the treasury of the state.

The Penitentiary year ends 30th November.

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The purchases made on account of the institution amount to about 60,000 dollars a year.

The following shews the variations in, and average price of, the principal articles—

	1826	1827	1828	1829
Cotton Yarn, per lb.	33	29½	29½	*25
Indigo,	2 47	2 70	1 68	1 25
Fuel,	\$1591 79	1442 28	1409 61	1,687 47
Provisions,	6814 50	5945 73	6685 45	8,163 85

*The present price paid for cotton yarn, is considerably less than this average.