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Paid John S. Littell, for 1 year's subscription to the Law Library, per receipt on file, -	10 00	
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When the two latter items have been paid, there will then remain in the Treasury of the Western Shore, a balance of one dollar and fifty-six cents in favor of this department.

Besides the annual laws of the several States—the decisions of the Supreme Court of N. Carolina, 11 vols, and the Revised Statutes of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, and Missouri, 3 sets, each making 9 volumes, have been received.

I avail myself of this occasion to acknowledge on behalf of the Library, several valuable presents of books to this department by James William McCulloh, George Winchester, Philip E. Thomas, James L. Ridgely and Matthew St. Clair Clarke, Esquires, by Mr. Chevallie, by Doctor Hamilton S. Hawkins and Col John J. Abert, of the United State's Army.

I have also to acknowledge the presentation, by O. Rich, Esquire, of London, of "a Catalogue of Books printed between the years 1500 and 1600, relating principally to America," and the "Bibliotheca Americana Nova," being a Catalogue of Books in various languages relating to America, printed since the year 1700.

In examining these curious and highly interesting volumes I find there are many books named, well deserving a place on the shelves of your library, and particularly such as re-