

Brought forward,	\$420 00	502 78
Reserved to pay the balance of Coale and Co. Bill No. 12.	9 75	—
Reserved to pay the balance of Nichlin and Jonhson's Bill, No. 13.	35,30	—
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Balance left in the Treasury of the Western Shore.		<hr/>
		\$37 73

Under the several Resolutions of the last Legislature, I have sent the Reports and Laws of Maryland, to Carroll and Charles Counties, as directed.

I have also forwarded to the Incorporated Academies of the several Counties of this State, sets of Bozman's and McMahon's Histories of Maryland, and the Proceedings of the conventions of 1774, &c.

Exchanges have been effected for copies of the aforementioned works, to the amount of \$220, 75, and valuable Books have been received in return, to that amount, as will be seen by reference to the 'Entry Book' of the Library.

During the past year I have sold Books from the Library to the amount of		\$33 00
And received for a fine imposed for the loss of 'Earle on Rail Roads.'		1 00
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		34,00
Out of said proceeds, I have purchased other suitable works amounting to	25 87½	
And paid the incidental expenses of this office, amounting to	6 06½	
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Leaving unexpended the sum of		<hr/>
		\$2 06

I have to acknowledge on behalf of the Library, several valuable presents of Books, from Professor Ducatel, John H. Alexander, Elisha C. Taylor, William A. Talbott, John H. B. Latrobe, William Cost Johnson, William H. Tuck and John P. Kennedy, Esqrs.; also, a further present from the British Government, of six Royal Folio, and nine Royal Octavo volumes of their Public Records.