

The Treasurer desires therefor, to present to the General Assembly, a view of the condition and prospects of the Treasury, as clear as possible of the obscurity which detail occasions--thus,

Its income in the past year, other than such as was received from the companies charged with the conduct of the public works, it will be seen, amounted to only,

\$255,678 22

Its disbursements in the year, other than those for interest on the public debt for and for the prosecution of, the public works, amounted to

259,468 47

So that, it would be assuming rather more than may be safely assumed, to treat the revenue of the State not derived from the public works, as sufficient to dray the expenses of Government other than those to be incurred on account of those works. These are:

For interest payable yearly at the Loan Office—say,

\$365 000

For interest payable yearly in London, on account of the stock issued for the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company alone, say

265,000

For the interest of the Surplus Revenue U. States applied to the payment of the former, say

35,000

665,000

Deduct the probable revenue from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, say

75,000

And the yearly sum to be raised for these objects, would be about

\$590,000

Now let it be observed, that, in this Estimate, the interest payable in London on account of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road company, and the Susquehanna and Tide Water Canal companies, is not included—because the treasurer understands from the Commissioner of Loans, that the said companies themselves duly provided for its payment in the past year; and he has no information from either, that the aid of the State for the purpose, will be required in the current year.