

and the support of a pauper for a single month is more than that of instructing a child the whole School year.

	Total cost of Schools in each County.	Total cost of Courts, Alms Houses, Paupers and Jails.
Allegany.....	\$ 27,696 61	\$ 30,091 67
Ann Arundel....	19,960 31	19,820 78
Baltimore Co.....	60,601 44	35,513 13
Baltimore City....	259,552 62	550,332 30
Calvert (estima'd)	9,021 76	6,000 00
Caroline.....	10,357 19	10,335 72
Carroll.....	18,394 10	16,851 34
Charles.....	8,049 39	10,652 14
Cecil.....	24,002 48	18,528 96
Dorchester.....	16,452 75	23,717 02
Frederick.....	36,351 78	33,405 35
Harford.....	15,655 50	11,510 52
Howard.....	13,718 47	15,333 53
Kent.....	11,391 15	13,143 97
Montgomery.....	11,459 81	18,601 62
Prince George....	13,042 88	22,752 22
Queen Anne.....	20,101 37	21,054 04
Somerset.....	21,888 93	17,223 01
St. Mary's.....	8,783 83	10,216 84
Talbot.....	14,861 59	12,871 05
Washington.....	39,555 48	33,074 37
Worcester.....	13,626 05	8,184 06
Total.....	\$674,525 49	\$939,213 64

Amount paid by the State for	} Judiciary	\$47,721 40	
		Special Judges.....	1,552 50
		Penitentiary	11,000 00
		House of Refuge.....	20,000 00
Amount paid by City of Baltimore for	} " "	25,000 00	
Total.....		\$1044,487 54	

AMENDMENTS TO THE SCHOOL LAW.

Under this head I have nothing to add to the suggestions contained in the preliminary report transmitted by the Governor to the Special Session of the General Assembly in January, 1866.

In accordance with those suggestions and the recommendations made by the Committee of the Association of School Commissioners, an amendatory bill was prepared by the joint Committee on Education and reported in the Senate. That bill embraced several important sections concerning the uni-