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State, and for the maintenance, equipment and discipline of the land force of the militia, duly organized as prescribed by said Acts of Assembly, the sum of sixty thousand dollars ; for the maintenance, equipment and discipline of the First Naval Battalion, duly organized as prescribed by said Acts of Assembly, the sum of ten thousand dollars.

*Pensions.*

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For the payment of pension granted by Act of the General Assembly to William Brown during his natural life, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 289 of 1870, eighty dollars.

*Schools.*

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For the system of free public schools (white and colored) in the several counties and the city of Baltimore, and for the State normal schools, the State board of education, superintendent public education, and the clerk to State board of education, to be apportioned by the Comptroller in accordance with the laws in such case made and provided and the directions herein given, one and one-quarter million dollars, or whatever sum may be paid into the treasury on account of the tax for public schools ; also such other sum or sums as may be received to the credit of the free school fund from the interest on stocks standing to the credit of said fund or from other sources ; also the sum of thirty-four thousand and sixty-nine dollars and thirty-six cents, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and to be placed to the credit of the free school fund, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the December Session, 1839, Chapter 63, and substituted for the interest on the surplus revenue, as provided in said Act ; provided, however, that the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars of the receipts from the public school tax shall be distributed and paid, on warrant of Comptroller, for the purchase of text books, as provided in Section 67 of Article 77 of the Code of Public General Laws of 1904, and all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, and the balance of said receipts shall be distributed to the State normal schools in Baltimore city, State normal school No. 2, normal department of Washington College, salary and expenses of the State superintendent of public education,