

adjusted by the Treasurer, the Companies having agreed to accept his statement.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY.

In obedience to chapter 260 of 1854, this Company has punctually made its quarterly payments, amounting in the year to \$90,000.

TOBACCO INSPECTIONS.

The gross receipts from the State Tobacco Inspections in Baltimore, for the year as exhibited in the TABLE No. 6, appear to have been \$87,685.03, and the expenses for the same time were \$57,258.37, which being deducted, leaves a nett balance of \$30,426.66 (being \$21,563.86 more than that of 1856) to be applied to the payment of the interest of the Tobacco Debt, &c.

EXCESS OF FEES.

The receipts from Exccss of Fees, arising by the operation of the first section of the Tenth Article of the Constitution, and the Act of 1853, chapter 444, in relation to the emoluments of Clerks and Registers, amounted in the year to \$5,668.02, being \$351.59 less than was received on the same account in 1856.

Of these receipts the sum of \$696.53 was paid by the late Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick county; \$1,530.76 by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore city; \$268.16 by the late Clerk of the Criminal Court for Baltimore city; \$210.06 by the late State's Attorney for Baltimore city; \$902.49 by the present State's Attorney for Baltimore city, (this return which is a large one, embraces but two Terms of the year, upon which *only* Fees had been received to 1st of January, 1857,) and \$2,060.02 from the five Flour Inspectors in the City of Baltimore.

The Inspectors of Flour at first demurred to the payment of \$400 each, upon the ground, as stated in the Comptroller's