## STATE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, January 30, 1843.

To the Honorable

The General Assembly:

I have the honor herewith to submit the report of the managers of the State Colonization Society; and a copy of resolutions of the State of Rhode Island, recommending the repayment of the fine, with the costs and interest, which was imposed upon General Andrew Jackson, in the year 1815, by the District Court of the United States for the District of Louisiana.

FRANCIS THOMAS.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The resolution in relation to the repayment of the fine imposed on General Jackson, were referred to the consideration of the Senate.

And the report of the managers of the State Colonization fund was referred to the committee on Colored Population.

On motion of Mr. Spence,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, ten o'clock.

## TUESDAY, January 31st, 1843.

The House met. Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Causin, Thomas, Key, Sutton, Rasin, Edes, Owens, Dorsey, Murray, Hammond, Clarke, Weems, Morsell, Crain, Brawner, Risteau, Welsh, Randall, Hall, Sherwood of Talbot, Bowdle, Handy of Somerset, Fleming, Langford, Rider, Phelps, Green, Lackland, Simpers, Janney, Semmes, Tuck, Hamilton, Clemments, Dunbracco, Roberts, Holland, Hearn, Handy of Worcester, Lynch, McKeehan, Crampton, Butler, Yellott, Hopkins, Jarrett, Sherwood of Caroline, Thawley, Nicols, Springer, Graves, Gallagher, Spence, Nesbitt, Grove, Weber, Harne, Dade, Kilgour, Worthington, Buskirk, Pickell, Neff, Buchanan, Brown, Powder, Lecompte of Carroll and Mr. Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Owens,

The reading of the journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Mr. Welsh,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Welsh, Risteau and Spence, to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to an act passed at December session 1825, to authorise the appointment of justices of the peace in the city of Baltimore for county purposes.

On motion of Mr. Holland,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Holland, Hearn, Handy of Worcester and Taylor, to bring in a bill to require the commissioners of primary schools of Worcester county, to divide school district