

council to be due to said Regiment, have been complied with by the payment of five hundred and twenty one dollars and eighty six cents to the Pay Master thereof.

Under the Authority, delegated to us to procure the digests of the laws of those States and territories which have not been procured, and also Taylor's Statistical Annals of the United States, we have employed Mr. George Shaw, of Annapolis, to aid us in effecting the object of the resolution, who has succeeded in obtaining the latter, which have been distributed as directed.

We have forwarded to the seat of the General Government, for the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress, the Resolution respecting the erection of a Light House on the Bodkin Point; as required by the Legislature.

A copy of the Act, for settling the Western limits of this State and the dividing line between Maryland and Virginia, has been forwarded to the Executive of the latter, for the purpose of being laid before the Legislature.

As no application has been made to this department for a license under the act, providing for the increase of the revenue of this State by laying a tax on brokers and Lottery office keepers, we are induced to believe, that the said act is either considered by those descriptions of our citizens as entirely inoperative, or has been by them disregarded with impunity, as we have not been informed of any prosecution having been instituted in any court in this State for a violation of the provisions of the said law.

The money appropriated for covering the wall enclosing the State house circle, has been applied as directed, and the amount exceeded by a few dollars, an account whereof we herewith submit. As the impaired state of the work intended to be protected by this appropriation rendered it impossible to know the extent of the injury it had received by exposure, without such an examination, as could not be had, but as the work progressed, we were precluded from an opportunity of ascertaining the expense till it was completed.