

The average expenses for salaries, office rent, &c., since the organization of the society, have been \$1,573 12 per annum. This average is higher than the present amount paid, owing to the employment formerly, at one time, of two agents, with the view of more effectually canvassing the State.

“To the 5th interrogatory—The whole amount of money received from the State by the society has been.

*From the Managers of the State Fund.*

In 1833,	\$8,000 00
1834,	2,900 00
1835,	8,791 63
1836,	11,897 95
1837,	12,878 59
1838,	13,357 08
1839,	8,314 66
1840,	13,000 00
1841,	7,000 00
1842,	10,000 00
1843,	10,000 00
In all	\$106,139 91

“Making up to December 1st, 1843, the end of the State’s fiscal year, the average per annum since the society has received anything from the State fund \$9,649 08, being less than the annual amount of \$10,000 provided for by the law. This law authorised the payment of \$20,000 the first year. The shipment by the Lafayettee, which does not come into our balance sheet, was made by the managers of the State Fund, and cost as per their books, \$5,289 37 which, with the other expenses of the managers of the State fund, before they adopted the plan of employing the agency of the State Society entirely, including the expenses of sending emigrants to Hayti, agencies in the State, publications and removing manumitted slaves from the State, who refused to go to Africa, amounting to \$7,570 72, makes the gross expenditure \$119,000, to the 1st December, 1843, the close of the State’s fiscal year, while the expenditure authorised was \$120,000, in the same period.

*From the Tax on slaves brought from other States into this State.*

In 1835,	\$275 50
1836,	460 75
1837,	556 25
1838,	807 75
1839,	469 75
1840,	643 61
1841,	582 50
1842,	928 50
1843,	742 52
In all	\$5,467 13