

REPORT.

BALTIMORE. January 25th, 1845.

To the Honorable,

The House of Delegates :

In compliance with the requisitions of your order of the 23rd instant, I have the honor to report the following: The amount of Commissions under the act of 1841, chapter 271, for the year 1844 was,

	\$2,784.78
Amount of fees on Writs,	1,101.53
Amount of fees on Judgements,	242.02
Amount of fees on Bills and Petitions	564.30
Whole amount of Commissions on Insolvent Estates since 1841,	\$1,860.20
Amount of it accruing in 1842,	\$467.96
Amount of it accruing in 1843,	958.93
Amount of it accruing in 1844,	433.31

It may not be improper to remark for the more perfect understanding of this communication, that of these sums there is quarterly forwarded to the Treasurer of the State the sum of \$600, which is by him paid to the Judges under the act of 1828. The amount received from Insolvent Estates as above stated will be considerably diminished hereafter, inasmuch as the rate of per centum was reduced by the act of 1841, chap. 271. The amount accruing in the years mentioned in this statement is dependent in a great measure upon Insolvencies between 1835 and 1841.— There being but few of these cases remaining, the sum to be hereafter derived from that source will be considerably smaller than heretofore.

The sum received under the act of 1841 for the year 1844, is larger than usual, because within this year some two or three cases have been disposed of on the Chancery Docket which yielded a considerable sum.

Very Respectfully,

THO. KELL, Clerk.