

5. In answer to the 5th interrogatory, the Treasurer estimates the interest upon the funded debts of the State, as follows:

Whole amount of funded currency debt, as *now*
existing, is..... \$7,572,669 42

Viz:—

\$ 500,000 00, 3 p. c. ann'l int. is	\$ 15,000 00
100,000 00, 4½ " "	4,500 00
1,870,122 04, 5 " "	93,506 10
3,933,324 38, 6 " "	235,999 44
1,169,223 00, 5 (converted)	58,461 15

\$7,572,669 42. Annual interest,..... \$407,466 69

Whole amount of funded sterling debt as *now* existing, is £1,751,300, which, at 5 per ct. interest, is £87,565, equal to..... \$389,177 78

But, as the sterling interest is payable in London, and the cost of remittance, as also a commission for disbursing is provided for by chapter 33, of 1839, it is necessary to add the exchange and commission to the above, which has been usually estimated at 11 per cent. for exchange, and 1 per cent. for commission,..... 46,701 33

Making the interest and charges upon the whole sterling debt, .. \$435,879 11

Which, if added to the currency interest as above, will make, as the annual interest and cost upon the whole funded debts of the State, as now existing,..... \$843,345,80

The amount of the above interest to be provided for by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, is :

1. That upon those sterling bonds issued by the State, on account of the said company, not yet converted into currency, and at this time amounting to £660,500, which, at 5 per cent. interest, is £33,025, equal to..... \$146,777 78

Amount carried forward.