

REPORT.

The committee on claims to whom was referred the accounts of Jas. S. Owens, Treasurer of Maryland, rendered to, and settled with the Comptroller quarterly during the fiscal year ending the 30th day of September, 1853, and exhibiting the receipts and disbursements of said year; have carefully examined and compared the same with the books of the said Treasurer and Comptroller, and find the same correct, each amount having been received and disbursed according to warrant, by the Comptroller in accordance with the provisions of law.

We have ascertained by our examination of the books of the department, that there remained to the credit of the Treasury on the 30th day of September, 1853, the sum of three hundred and seventy-seven thousand two hundred and seventy-eight dollars and twenty three cents, (\$377,278 23,) of which sum three hundred and forty-five thousand three hundred and fifty-seven dollars and eighty cents, (\$345,357 80,) was to the credit of the Treasury proper for general purposes, and the sum of thirty-one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars and forty-three cents, was to the credit of the funds, to wit: thirty thousand eight hundred and two dollars and sixty-six cents, (\$30,802 66,) to the Free School Fund, and the sum of one thousand one hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-seven cents to the Sinking Fund, (\$1,117 77.) All of which they found standing to the credit on that day to the said Treasurer, on the books of the Farmers Bank of Maryland.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JAMES WALLACE, Chairman.