TREASURER'S OFFICE,

Annapolis, May 4th, 1853.

Hon. ELIAS WARE, Jr.,

Speaker of the House of Delegates:

In answer to an "order" of the House of Delegates, of the 30th ultimo, requiring the Treasurer to "report the whole amount which the State has in the Baltimore and Susquehanna Railroad Company, either by subscription of stocks, loans, bonds, for arrears of interest, or for arrears of interest now due on loans to said company; also the amount and extent of claims which the State has, by mortgage or otherwise, on the York and Gettysburgh Railroad Company," the undersigned submits the following:—

In pursuance of chapter 119,		
of December Session, 1830,		
the State became a stock-		
holder in the Baltimore and		
Susquehanna Railroad Com-		
pany to the amount of		\$100,000 00
The said Company accepting,		
in payment thereof, certifi-		
cates of stock of the State at		
par, bearing an annual in-	` .	
terest of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per centum.		
The State holds twelve bonds		
of the said Company, viz:		
7 bonds, together amounting to	\$1,000,000 00	
That being the extent of the		
loan authorised by chapter		
241 , of 1834 .	•.	
1 bond, as per chapter 302, of		
1837, for	252,000 00	
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1 bond, { as p. c. 395, of '38 } as "20, of '39 }	632,045 31	
Making as the amount of the	•	
bonds held by the State, for		•
loans to the said Company	\$1,884,045 31	
Also three other bonds for the		
arrears of interest due to the	*	
State on the 1st January,		
1851, and payable without		
interest the 28th February,		•
1866, each for \$345,326.92,	1,035,980 76	
Amount carried forwa	ard,	•