

On account of Ninth General Assembly :

For pay of Officers and Members,	\$31,239 25	
“ Contingent Expenses,	1,131 88	
“ Printing, &c.,	9,194 22	—31,565 35
do Stone Steps for Capitol,		596 64
do Defence of Land Claim for Staté,		100 00
do Safe for Comptroller's Office,		400 00
do Taxes refunded, revenue 1856,		39 39
do Interest on certificates issued :		
For interest on State Scrip for service in 1849,	1,119 96	
		\$104,879 12

SCHOOL AND SEMINARY FUNDS.

The following are the receipts for the year ending 31st October, 1859 :

On account of School Fund,	\$14,862 83
do Seminary Fund,	3,366 79
do Interest School Fund,	8,118 63
do do Seminary Fund,	1,709 16
	—\$28,057 41

Warrants drawn for the same period are as follows :

School Fund for Register's salary,	700 00
do do do Investment by Comptroller,	30,075 00
Seminary Fund for Register's salary,	700 00
do do do Investment by Comptroller,	6,015 00
Interest of School Fund, Pay of Teachers,	2,796 55
Paid Judges of Probate,	859 43
East Florida State Seminary,	1,490 00
West do do do	1,490 00
	—\$44,125 98

Very Respectfully,

T. W. BREVARD, Comptroller.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
TALLAHASSEE, November 18, 1859. }

To His Excellency, MADISON S. PERRY,
Governor of Florida :

Sir :—Agreeable to the law requiring reports to be made from this Department to the General Assembly, I have the honor to submit them herewith, embracing the transactions for the period of from November 1st, 1858, to October 31st, 1859, with reports upon the transactions for the School Fund, and for the Seminary Fund for the same period.

Very Respectfully,
C. H. AUSTIN, State Treasurer,

The Treasurer in Account with the State of Florida :

1859. DR.

Nov. 1—To Balance per report Nov. 1, 1858,		\$34,954 61
“ amount received on account revenue, 1853,		621 94
“ “ “ “ “ 1855,		1,438 58
“ “ “ “ “ 1856,		596 10
“ “ “ “ “ 1857,		4,307 56
“ “ “ “ “ 1858,		89,877 79
“ “ “ “ “ 1859,		7 70
“ “ “ “ “ Licenses,		5,838 41
“ “ “ “ “ Fines,		2,194 93
“ “ “ “ “ Auction Tax,		1,138 79
		\$140,976 46

1859. CR.

Nov. 1—By amount warrants paid, and other disbursements, viz :		
For Sinking fund of State Bond Account,		\$5,000 00
“ Executive Department,		5,983 57
“ Judicial “		18,508 00
“ Military “		375 00
“ Indian Hostilities 1849,		2,617 95
“ Jurors and State Witnesses,		18,931 27
“ Criminal Prosecutions and contingent expenses of Circuit Courts,		14,952 21
“ Contingent Fund,		2,823 79
“ Contingent expenses Supreme Court,		1,980 04
“ Supreme Court Reports,		250 00
“ J. J. Finley, Judge, in addition to regular salary, for Judicial services,		600 00
“ Maintenance of Legnatics,		2,473 63
“ Post Mortem Examinations,		1,026 90
“ Arrearage item of State Engineer and Geologist ac't,		47 75
“ Eighth General Assembly,		92 60,

For Ninth General Assembly, viz:			
Milenge and per diem of As-			
semblymen,	\$21,749 75		
Printing and Publishing,	8,724 22		
Contingent items,	1,091 38—	31,565 35	
" Interest on State debt,		11,234 30	
" Iron Safe for Comptroller's office,		400 00	
" Balance due for repairs of Capitol, with items of			
repairs for the past year,		993 69	
" Otis Fairbanks for contract with Gov. Brown in			
1852, for stone steps for the Capitol,		596 64	
" Nathan Norton for defending the claim of the			
State to certain lands in Putnam county,		100 00	
By Balance Cash on hand,		20,423 77	
		<u>\$140,976 46</u>	

The Treasurer in Account with the School Fund:

1858. DR.			
To balance per report Nov. 1, 1858,		\$26,317 66	
Nov. 10.— " Amt. received from D. S. Walker, Register,		611 27	
Dec. 18.— " " " " " " " "		1,231 83	
1859.			
Feb. 5.— " " " " " " " "		900 44	
23.— " " " " " " " "		140 00	
	balance (Wakulla loan,)	415 50	
April 6.—To Amt. received from D. S. Walker, Register,		2,182 32	
23.— " " " " " " " "		387 50	
May 3.— " " " " " " " "		2,616 62	
June 6.— " " " " " " " "		1,824 18	
Oct. 6.— " " " " " " " "		4,692 67	
	Interest collected,	10,608 63	
		<u>\$51,929 12</u>	

1858. CR.			
December 6.—By cash paid D. S. Walker, Reg., qr. sal.,		\$ 175 00	
1859.			
January 27.— " " " " " " " "		175 00	
March 14.— " " " " " " " "		30,075 00	
April 8.— " " " " " " " "		175 00	
October 7.— " " " " " " " "		350 00	
	" " " " " " " "	15 00	
	B. F. Allen, printing,		
	Several Counties for School Teachers		
	from interest collections,	3,480 05	
	By balance cash on hand,	17,484 07	
		<u>\$51,929 12</u>	

1859.			
Nov. 1.—To Balance, cash on hand,			\$17,484 07
Other Assets—			
State Stocks,		\$41,500 00	
City Tallahassee loan,		3,300 00	
Putnam county " "		3,000 00	
Gadsden county " "		2,071 37	
Land Notes,		194 22—	50,065 59
			<u>\$67,549 66</u>

The Treasurer in Account with the Seminary Fund:

1858. DR.			
November 1.—To Balance per Report of this date,			\$4,984 66
10.— " Amt. received from D. S. Walker, Register,			25 03
December 18.— " " " " " " " "			421 94
1859.			
January 3.— " " " " " " " "			2,119 78
April 6.— " " " " " " " "			260 57
23.— " " " " " " " "			461 99
	" " " " " " " "		77 50
	T. W. Brevard, Comp.,		
	interest collected,		4,689 16
			<u>\$13,040 63</u>

1858. CR.			
December 6.—By Cash paid D. S. Walker, Register, qr. sal.,			175 00
1859.			
January 27.— " " " " " " " "			745 00
	" " " " " " " "		745 00
	" " " " " " " "		175 00
March 14.— " " " " " " " "			6,015 00
April 8.— " " " " " " " "			175 00
July 13.— " " " " " " " "			745 00
	" " " " " " " "		745 00
October 7.— " " " " " " " "			350 00
	" " " " " " " "		15 00
	D. S. Walker, Register, 2 qr. sal.,		
	B. F. Allen, printing,		
	Balance cash on hand,		3,155 63
			<u>\$13,040 63</u>

1859.			
November 1.—To Balance, cash on hand,			\$3,155 63
Other Assets, viz:			
State Stocks,		\$48,500 00	
South Carolina Bonds,		1,492 44	
Duval County " "		1,000 00	
Land Notes,		666 57—	51,658 57
			<u>\$54,814 20</u>

*A Summary of the Receipts and Disbursements at the Treasury
from the 1st day of Nov., 1858, to the 31st day of Oct., 1859.*

RECEIPTS.		
On Account State of Florida,		\$140,976 46
“ “ School Fund,		51,929 12
“ “ Seminary Fund,		13,040 63
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		\$205,946 21
PAYMENTS.		
On Account State of Florida,		\$120,552 69
“ “ School Fund,		34,445 05
“ “ Seminary Fund,		9,385 00
BALANCES,		
State, Cash on hand,		20,423 77
School Fund, Cash on hand,		17,484 07
Seminary Fund, Cash on hand,		3,155 63
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		\$205,946 21

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
TALLAHASSEE, November, 22, 1859. }

To His Excellency, M. S. PERRY, Gov. &c.

Sir:—In discharging the duty imposed by the act of 1845, I find, within the limits prescribed, no important law passed at the last session to the “effect and operation” of which the attention of the General Assembly needs to be called.

I would, however, refer to the “act to amend an act to secure the payment of magistrates and other officers their fees in criminal prosecutions, not now provided for.” This act provides that in the event any person making complaint before a Justice of the Peace, shall be recognized to appear at the next term of the Circuit Court, to give his evidence, and shall fail to appear, such person shall be liable to the Justice for all costs occasioned by his complaint. The second section provides that a judgment may be obtained for such costs by the Justice in the Circuit Court, and an execution issued thereon, as in other cases. Referring to my report to the last session of the General Assembly on the subject of costs in criminal cases before Justices of the Peace, it will be seen that this law will remain inoperative, since under the law as it now stands Justices are entitled to their costs as soon as the case passes from their jurisdiction. It is, however, questionable in any event, whether the policy of the act referred to should be em-

bodied in any other law. Justices are required by law to perform such duties as attach to them in reference to crimes and misdemeanors, and they have not the option to refuse. Is it proper in this view to provide that their costs shall only be obtained out of the party who makes the complaint and by means of a judgment and Execution as in other cases. I would call the attention of the General Assembly to my last report on this subject.

Very respectfully;

M. D. PAPPY:

QUARTERMASTER GEN'L'S REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, }
TALLAHASSEE, Nov. 23, 1859. }

To His Excellency, M. S. PERRY, Gov.

Sir:—In obedience to your request, I herewith submit my report of the number, kind and condition of arms and accoutrements belonging to the State, to-wit:

4 pieces Brass Ordinance—six pounders—with carriages, harness, &c., one of which is loaned to the citizens of Quincy, and one to the citizens of Monticello, for which latter I have ample bond.

259 Muskets and accoutrements—flint and steel, old—100 of which muskets were loaned to the Mayor and Council of Tallahassee, in December, 1857, by order of your predecessor, and have not been returned.

121 Hall's Rifles and accoutrements—old.

348 Pistols—flint and steel—old and rusty.

61 Muskets, 3 Rifles and 11 Pistols, broken and rusty.

56 Percussion Rifles and accoutrements, about 35 of which are in the possession of members of the late Florida Rifle Company of this City.

252 Rifle Muskets and appendages—60 of which have lately been transmitted to a Volunteer Company in Pensacola, by your order, and for which I have a bond.

277 Percussion Rifles and appendages—57 of which were furnished to the Jacksonville Light Infantry by your order, and 60 to the Quincy Academy, also by your order, for all which I have bonds.

I would beg leave to suggest that I have but one small room in the basement of the Capitol for storing the arms, which is so filled up with the rubbish of the old armory, that some of the arms are necessarily in an exposed condition in the basement lobby of the