STATISTICS OF THE PUBLIC LANDS.

Estimate of the quantities of land which will inure to the States under grants for railroads up to June 30, 1857.

States.	Acres.	Date of law.
Illinois	2,595,655	September 20, 1850.
Missouri	1,815,435	June 10, 1852, Feb. 9, 1853.
Arkansas	1,465,287	February 9, 1852.
Michigan	3,996,000	June 3, 1856.
Wisconsin	1,627,800	June 3, 1856.
Iowa	3,456,000	May 15, 1856.
Louisiana	1,102,560	June 3, and Aug. 11, 1856.
Mississippi	950,400	August 11, 1856.
Alabama	1,913,360	May 17, June 3, and Aug. 11, 1856, March 3, 1857.
Florida	1,814,400	May 17, 1856.
Minnesota	4,416,000	March 3, 1857.
Total	24,247,536	

Statement showing the quantity of swamp land approved to the several States up to 30th June, 1857.

States.	Acres.
Ohio	25,656.71
Indiana	1,250,937.51
Illinois	1,369,140.72
Missouri	3,615,966.57
Alabama	2,595.51
Mississippi	2,834,796.11
Louisiana	7,601,535.46
Michigan	5,465,232.41
Arkansas	1,920,624.94
Florida	10,396,982.47
Wisconsin	1,650,712.10
Total	40,133,564.51

Estimate of unsold and unappropriated lands in each of the States and Territories, including surveyed and unsurveyed, offered and unoffered lands, on the 30th June, 1856:

States and Territories.	Acres.	Number of quarter sections.
Ohio	43,553.34	272
Indiana	36,307.41	227
Illinois	511,682.46	3,198
Missouri	13,365,319.81	83,533
Alabama	9,459,967.74	59,121
Mississippi	5,519,980.59	34,498
Louisiana	5,953,373.63	37,083
Michigan	10,056,298.06	62,852
Arkansas	15,609,542.84	97,560
Florida	18,067,072.75	112,919
Iowa	6,237,661.03	38,985
Wisconsin	15,222,549.50	95,141
California	113,687,436.00	710,515
Minnesota	83,502,608.33	515,641
Oregon Territory	118,913,241.31	743,208
Washington "	76,444,055.25	477,775
New Mexico "	155,210,804.00	970,067
Utah "	134,243,735.00	839,023
Nebraska "	206,984,747.00	1,293,655
Kansas "	76,361,058.00	477,256
Indian "	42,892,860.00	268,080
Total	1,107,597,572.74	6,920,607

THE WESTERN TERRITORIES.

A comparative statement of the area of the present States with that of the territory destined to be erected into States exhibits the interesting fact that the area of the latter in square miles exceeds that of the former. The superficial area of the Territories, organized and unorganized, is set down as follows:

	Square miles.		Square miles.
Kansas Territory	136,000	New Mexico Territory	210,000
Minnesota do	141,000	Nebraska do	528,000
Oregon do	227,000	Mesilla do	78,000
Washington do	113,000	Indian do	187,000
Utah do	187,000		
Square miles			1,807,000

To these Dacotah is to be added, of the extent of which we have seen no estimate.

The superficial area of the present States is as follows:

	Square miles.		Square miles.
Maine	30,000	Delaware	2,120
New Hampshire	9,200	Maryland	9,674
Massachusetts	7,800	Virginia	61,352
Rhode Island	1,300	North Carolina	45,000
Connecticut	4,674	South Carolina	24,500
Vermont	10,211	Georgia	58,000
New York	46,085	Alabama	50,722
New Jersey	8,320	Florida	53,786
Pennsylvania	46,000	Louisiana	46,431
Ohio	39,964	Arkansas	52,198
Indiana	33,809	Mississippi	67,380
Illinois	55,405	Missouri	67,156
Wisconsin	53,924	Tennessee	45,600
Michigan	56,243	Kentucky	37,680
Iowa	50,914	Texas	237,321
California	188,000		
	622,190		838,820
			622,190
			1,461,010

It is seen that the area of Kansas is nineteen thousand square miles greater than that of all New England, New York, and New Jersey; and that the area of Nebraska is ninety-two thousand miles greater than that of all the non slaveholding states except California. Oregon is nearly equal in extent to all New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Indiana. It is possible that New Mexico and Mesilla will be embraced in one territorial organization by Congress at the present session, containing 288,000 square miles—exceeding all New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. Washington exceeds in extent all New England and New York.

TABLE EXHIBITING THE SEATS OF GOVERNMENT, AND THE TIMES OF THE ELECTION OF STATE OFFICERS OF THE SEVERAL STATES.

States.	Seat of government.	Time of holding elections.
Maine	Augusta	2d Monday in September.
New Hampshire	Concord	2d Tuesday in March.
Vermont	Montpelier	1st Tuesday in September.
Massachusetts	Boston	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
Rhode Island	Newport, Providence	1st Wednesday in April.
Connecticut	Hartford	1st Monday in April.
New York	Albany	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
New Jersey	Trenton	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
Pennsylvania	Harrisburg	2d Tuesday in October.
Delaware	Dover	2d Tuesday in November.
Maryland	Annapolis	1st Wednesday in November.
Virginia	Richmond	4th Thursday in May.
North Carolina	Raleigh	1st Thursday in August.
South Carolina	Columbia	2d Monday in October.
Georgia	Milledgeville	1st Monday in October.
Florida	Tallahassee	1st Monday in October.
Alabama	Montgomery	1st Monday in August.
Mississippi	Jackson	1st Monday in October.
Louisiana	Baton Rouge	1st Monday in November.
Texas	Austin	1st Monday in August.
Arkansas	Little Rock	1st Monday in August.
Tennessee	Nashville	1st Thursday in August.
Kentucky	Frankfort	1st Monday in August.
Ohio	Columbus	2d Tuesday in October.
Indiana	Indianapolis	2d Tuesday in October.
Illinois	Springfield	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
Missouri	Jefferson City	1st Monday in August.
Michigan	Lansing	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
Iowa	Des Moines City	1st Monday in October.
Wisconsin	Madison	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov.
California	Sacramento	Tu. after 1st Mon. in Sept.

GOVERNORS OF THE SEVERAL STATES AND TERRITORIES, WITH THEIR SALARIES, TERMS OF OFFICE, AND THE EXPIRATION OF THEIR RESPECTIVE TERMS.

States.	Governors.	Salary.	Gov'r, term yr's.	Term expires.
Maine	Lot M. Morrill	$1,500	1	Jan. 1859
New Hampshire	Wm. Haile	1,000	1	June 1858
Vermont	Ryland Fletcher	1,000	1	Oct. 1858
Massachusetts	Nathaniel P. Banks	3,500	1	Jan. 1858
Rhode Island	Elisha Dyer	1,000	1	May 1858
Connecticut	Alexander H. Holley	1,100	1	May 1858
New York	John A. King	4,000	2	Jan. 1859
New Jersey	Wm. A. Newell	1,800*	3	Jan. 1860
Pennsylvania	Wm. F. Packer	3,000	3	Jan. 1861
Delaware	Peter F. Causey	1,333⅓	4	Jan. 1859
Maryland	Thomas H. Hicks	3,600†	4	Jan. 1862
Virginia	Henry A. Wise	5,000	3	Jan. 1860
North Carolina	Thomas Bragg	3,000†	2	Jan. 1859
South Carolina	R. F. W. Allston	3,500	2	Dec. 1858
Georgia	Joseph E. Brown	3,000	2	Nov. 1859
Florida	Madison S. Perry	1,500	4	Oct. 1861
Alabama	Andrew B. Moore	2,500	2	Dec. 1859
Mississippi	Wm. McWillie	4,000	2	Jan. 1860
Louisiana	R. C. Wickliff	4,000	4	Jan. 1860
Texas	H. G. Runnels	3,000	2	Dec. 1859
Arkansas	Elias N. Conway	1,800	4	Nov. 1860
Tennessee	Isham G. Harris	3,000	2	Oct. 1859
Kentucky	Charles S. Morehead	2,500	4	Sept. 1859
Ohio	Salmon P. Chase	1,800	2	Jan. 1860
Michigan	Kinsley S. Bingham	1,000	2	Jan. 1859
Indiana	Ashbel P. Willard	1,500†	4	Jan. 1861
Illinois	Wm. H. Bissell	1,500	4	Jan. 1861
Missouri	Robert M. Stewart	2,500†	2	Nov. 1860
Iowa	R. P. Lowe	1,000	4	Jan. 1860
Wisconsin	Alex. W. Randall	1,250	2	Dec. 1857
California	John B. Weller	6,000	2	Jan. 1860
Minnesota	Samuel Medary	2,500	4	Mar. 1861
Oregon Territory	George L. Curry	3,000	4	Aug. 1857
N. Mexico Ter'y	Abraham Rencher	3,000	4	1861
Utah Territory	Alfred Cummings	2,500	4	July 1861
Washington Ter'y	Fayette McMullen	3,000	4	June 1861
Kansas Territory	J. W. Denver	2,500	4	July 1860
Nebraska Ter'y	Wm. A. Richardson	2,500	4	June 1861

NOTE.—In all the States except South Carolina the governor is voted for by the people; and if no one has a majority of all the votes in the States in which such a majority is required, the legislature elects to the office of governor one of the candidates voted for by the people.

*And fees. †With the use of a furnished house.

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The Colesville, Md., Mail closes Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 9, p. m., and received Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 3, p. m.

Upper Marlboro', &c., Md., received by 4, p. m., daily, and is closed at 9, p. m.

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The postage on newspapers, and that on all printed matter addressed to any foreign country, is required to be paid in advance.

The office is open from 8 o'clock, a. m., to 8½ o'clock, p. m., daily, except Sunday; and on that day it is open from 8 to 10, a. m., and from 6½ to 7½, p. m.

* Fort Tobacco daily; other places on the route as above.

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RATES OF DOMESTIC POSTAGE.

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To Bremen, by Bremen mail, 10 cents ½ oz.

To Hamburg, by Hamburg mail, 10 cents ½ oz.

To Frankfort and Wurtemburg, by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 22 cents ½ oz.

To Luxemburg, by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents ½ oz.

To Holland and the Netherlands, by French mail, 21 cents ½ oz., 42 cents ½ oz.

To Austria and its States, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents ½ oz.
Do do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 15 cents ½ oz.
Do do by French mail, 27 cents ½ oz., 54 cents ½ oz.

To Russia, by Prussian closed mail, 37 cents ½ oz.
Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 29 cents ½ oz.

To Prussia, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents ½ oz.
Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 15 cents ½ oz.
Do by French mail, 21 cents ½ oz., 42 cents ½ oz.

To Sardinian States, by Prussian closed mail, 38 cents ½ oz.
Do by French mail, 21 cents ½ oz., 42 cents ½ oz.
Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 30 cents ½ oz.

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Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 18 cents ½ oz.

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Do do by French mail, 27 cents ½ oz., 54 cents ½ oz.
Do do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 28 cents ½ oz.

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Do by French mail, 30 cents ½ oz., 60 cents ½ oz.
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Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents ½ oz.
Do by French mail, 27 cents ½ oz., 54 cents ½ oz.

To Sweden, by Prussian closed mail, 42 cents ½ oz.
Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 33 cents ½ oz.
Do by French mail, 33 cents ½ oz., 66 cents ½ oz.

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NOTE.—In all cases where the word *prepaid* is not added, the prepayment of the postage is optional with the sender.

REIGNING SOVEREIGNS OF EUROPE—JULY 1, 1857.

Name.	State.	Date of birth.	Date of accession.
Oscar I	Sweden and Norway	July 4, 1799	Mar. 8, 1844
Alexander II	Russia	April 29, 1818	Mar. 2, 1855
Frederic VII	Denmark	Oct. 6, 1808	Jan. 20, 1848
Victoria I	Great Britain	May 24, 1819	J'ne 20, 1837
William III	Holland or Netherlands	Feb. 19, 1817	Mar. 17, 1849
Leopold I	Belgium	Dec. 16, 1790	July 21, 1831
Fred. Wm. IV	Prussia	Oct. 15, 1795	June 7, 1840
John	Saxony	Dec. 12, 1801	Aug. 9, 1854
George V	Hanover	May 27, 1819	Nov. 18, 1851
Fred. Francis	Mecklenburg-Schwerin	Feb. 28, 1823	Mar. 7, 1842
George	Mecklenburg-Strelitz	Aug. 12, 1779	Nov. 6, 1816
Peter	Oldenburg	July 8, 1827	Feb. 27, 1853
William	Brunswick	April 25, 1806	Apr. 25, 1831
Adolphus	Nassau	July 24, 1817	Aug. 20, 1839
Chs. Alexander	Saxe-Weim-Eisenach	June 24, 1818	July 8, 1853
Ernest II	Saxe-Coburg-Gotha	June 21, 1818	Jan. 29, 1844
Bernard	Saxe-Meiningen	Dec. 17, 1800	Dec. 24, 1803
Ernest	Saxe Altenburg	Sept. 26, 1826	Aug. 3, 1853
Leopold	Anhalt-Dessau	Oct. 1, 1794	Aug. 9, 1817
Alexander	Anhalt-Bernburg	Mar. 2, 1805	Mar. 24, 1834
Gunther	Schwarzburg-Rudolst	Nov. 6, 1793	Apr. 28, 1807
Gunther	Schwarzburg-Sonder'n	Sept. 24, 1801	Aug. 19, 1835
Henry XX	Reuss, Elder Line	June 29, 1794	Oct. 31, 1836
Henry LXVII	Reuss, Younger Line	Oct. 20, 1789	J'ne 19, 1854
Leopold	Lippe	Sept. 1, 1821	Jan. 1, 1851
George	Lippe-Schaumburg	Dec. 20, 1784	Feb. 13, 1787
George Victor	Waldeck	Jan. 14, 1831	May 15, 1845
Ferdinand	Hesse-Homburg	April 26, 1783	Sept. 8, 1848
Frederic*	Baden	Sept. 9, 1826	Apr. 24, 1852
Frederic Wm	Hesse-Cassel	Aug. 20, 1802	Nov. 20, 1847
Louis III	Hesse-Darmstadt	June 9, 1806	J'ne 16, 1848
Aloys	Lichtenstein	May 26, 1796	Apr. 20, 1836
William I	Wurtemburg	Sept. 27, 1781	Oct. 30, 1816
Maximilian II	Bavaria	Nov. 28, 1811	Mar. 21, 1848
Fran. Joseph I	Austria	Aug. 18, 1830	Dec. 2, 1848
Napoleon III	France	April 20, 1808	Dec. 2, 1852
Isabella II	Spain	Dec. 10, 1830	Sep. 29, 1833
Pedro V	Portugal	Sept. 16, 1837	Nov. 15, 1853
Vict. Eman. II	Sardinia	Mar. 14, 1820	May 27, 1849
Leopold II	Tuscany	Oct. 3, 1797	J'ne 18, 1824
Robert	Parma	July 9, 1848	Mar. 27, 1854
Francis V	Modena and Masa	June 1, 1819	Jan. 21, 1846
Pius IX	States of the Church	May 13, 1792	J'ne 16, 1846
Ferdinand II	Two Sicilies	Jan. 12, 1810	Nov. 8, 1830
Otho I	Greece	June 1, 1815	May 7, 1832
Abdul Medjid	Turkey	April 25, 1823	July 2, 1839
Chas. Honore†	Monaco	Dec. 8, 1818	J'ne 27, 1856

*The Grand Duke of Baden, Louis, born August 15, 1824, is under guardianship by reason of insanity.

† His father, Ferdinand, husband of the late Queen, was regent until September 16, 1855.

RATES OF CHARGES FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES, CABS, &c.

[Extract from an act of the Corporation, approved March 20, 1842.]

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That from and after the passage of this act, the following rates of fare or charges for the conveyance of persons from one place to another in the city of Washington, in hackney carriages, cabs, or other vehicles, carrying passengers for pay or hire, between daybreak and eight o'clock p. m., shall not be exceeded, that is to say, for each any every passenger, for a distance not over one-and-a-half mile, twenty-five cents; for any distance over one-and-a-half mile, and not exceeding three miles, fifty cents; *Provided*, In case any hackney carriage, cab, or other vehicle, shall be detained for a longer period than five minutes, the driver thereof shall be allowed for the whole hack, cab, or other vehicle, the sum of twelve and a half cents for every fifteen minutes so detained; and for all conveyances or other detentions later than 8 o'clock p. m., the owner or driver of hackney carriages, cabs, or other vehicles, may demand and receive at the rate of fifty per centum on the foregoing charges, in addition thereto.

REDEMPTION OF 230,350 DOLLARS OF VIRGINIA 5 AND 6 PER CENT. STOCK.

THE holders of the following certificates of debt, issued by the State of Virginia, will take notice that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, calling in the certificates of debt in the order in which they are redeemable, will proceed, on the 16th of February, 1859, to redeem the said certificates at the treasury of the Commonwealth. The holders of said certificates are required, on the said 16th of February, 1859, to surrender the same at the office of the Second Auditor; whether surrendered or not, the interest will cease on that day.

1. Under an act to provide for the construction of a turnpike road from Winchester to some point on the Ohio river, passed 19th March, 1831, (5 per cent.)

Date.	Number.	Fund.	Names.	Amount.
1832, June 1,	19,	5,	James Govan, Edward Govan, and Archibald Govan, executors of Jas. Govan, deceased	$1,000
Do do 1,	11,	5,	Same	1,000
Do Oct. 23,	26,	5,	William Williams, of Watling street, London	5,000
Do do 23,	21,	5,	Do do	5,000
Do do 23,	22,	5,	Do do	3,000
Do do 23,	23,	5,	Do do	2,000
1833, July 15,	24,	5,	Do do	5,000
Do do 15,	25,	5,	Do do	5,000
Do do 15,	26,	5,	Do do	4,000
Do do 15,	27,	5,	Do do	1,000
1834, June 13,	29,	5,	The Most Noble George Granville, Duke of Sutherland	5,000
Do do 13,	30,	5,	Do do	2,000
1836, Sep. 28,	101,	5,	N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London	2,000
Do do 28,	102,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	103,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	104,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	105,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	106,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	107,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	108,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	109,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	110,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	111,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	112,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	113,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	114,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	115,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do 28,	116,	5,	Do do	2,000
1836, Sep. 28,	117,	5,	N. M. Rothschild & Sons, of London	2,000
Do do	118,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	119,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	120,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	121,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	122,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	123,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	124,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	125,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	126,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	127,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	128,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	129,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	130,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	131,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	132,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	133,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	134,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	135,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	136,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	137,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	138,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	139,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	140,	5,	Do do	1,000
Do do	141,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	142,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	143,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	144,	5,	Do do	2,000
Do do	145,	5,	Do do	2,000
1840, Mar. 10,	155,	5,	Norman Stewart, of Richmond, Va.	5,000
1854, July 22,	160,	5,	Benjamin Moses, of London	5,000
1856, Mar. 10,	161,	5,	Garret F. Watson	1,000
Do do	162,	5,	Abraham D. Pollock	2,000
				120,000

2. Under an act directing an examination of the Winchester and Parkersburg road, with a view to make and partially McAdamize the same, passed 29th March, 1837:

1854, June 3,	13,	Wm. T. Albert, trustee for the children of Charles Fisher, deceased		$10,000

3. Under an act further to provide for the construction of the Northwestern Turnpike road, passed 30th March, 1837, (6 per cent.)

1837, May 20,	3,	6,	John V. Willcox, of Petersburg, Va.	$5,000
Do do 20,	4,	6,	Do do	5,000
Do Oct. 23,	5,	6,	Dr. Austin Brockenbrough, of Tappahannock	500
Do do	6,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	7,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	8,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	9,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	10,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	11,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	12,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	13,	6,	Do do	500
Do do	14,	6,	Do do	500
Do do 31,	15,	6,	John V. Willcox, Petersburg, Va.	5,000
Do June 19,	21,	6,	John Cole, of Albemarle, Va.	2,500
Do do 22,	26,	6,	Mary Johnson, wife of John Johnson, Annapolis	10,000
Do July 14,	29,	6,	President and Professors of the College of William and Mary, in Virginia	400
1839, Jan. 25,	32,	6,	James Cornick of Norfolk	1,000
1841, Mar. 1,	35,	6,	Mrs. Mary W. Cabell, wife of Joseph C. Cabell	500
1842, Feb 24,	39,	6,	John V. Willcox, of Petersburg, Va.	2,000
1843, Ap'l 14,	43,	6,	Hill Carter, trustee under will of Beverly Randolph, for the benefit of Nancy Kennon and others	1,500
1844 Feb. 12,	52,	6,	Thomas B. Nalle, U. S. N.	300
Do Mar. 23,	53,	6,	Miss Eliza Coles	100
1848, Jan. 6,	60,	6,	Mrs. Francis Todd Barbour, county of Orange	100
Do do 28,	69,	6,	Albert G. Wortham, of Richmond	500
Do do 28,	61,	6,	Winfield Conby, of Louisa	500
1849, Jan. 13,	66,	6,	Edmund H. Flournoy	1,000
1852, Ap'l 3,	70,	6,	Wood Boulldin and A. A. Morson, commissioners, &c., in the case of Waller vs. Gilliam	2,000
1853, Mar. 5,	73,	6,	Nicholas Mills, commissioner in the suit of Mills vs. Robinson and others, &c	2,000
Do do 7,	74,	6,	John G. Pollock, of Stafford	200
1854, Jan. 11,	77,	6,	James H. Paxton, executor of A. T. Barclay	600
Do Ap'l 12,	80,	6,	Treasurer of the Commonwealth, in trust for Bank of Rockingham	200
Do do 21,	81,	6,	Do do	500
1856, July 12,	85,	6,	R. W. Flournoy, Commissioner, Fleming's executor, vs. Perkins's executor, &c	200
Do Aug. 11,	86,	6,	Trustees of Protestant Episcopal Seminary and High School in Virginia	200
1857, Feb. 18,	87,	6,	Treasurer of the Commonwealth, in trust for Bank of Rockbridge	500
Do Aug. 1,	88,	6,	Martha L. Nelson, guardian of W. H. Nelson	200
Do Dec. 8,	89,	6,	John S. D. Cullen, trustee for Margaret Otelia Cullen, under the will of John Cullen, deceased, &c. &c.	1,000
1858, June 2,	91,	6,	W. G. Cazenove, trustee of Mary E. Cazenove	2,000
				50,000

4. Under an act further to provide for the construction of the Northwestern road, passed 6th February, 1834:

1839, Feb 21,	19,	6,	Thomas Cadett, of Ringate Surrey, England, esquire	$4,000
1841, Ap'l 7,	26,	6,	Dr. Samuel Webb	1,150
Do do 27,	28,	6,	Peacock, Handley, & Co., of Stafford, Lincolnshire, England, bankers	3,000
1841, May 3,	29,	6,	James Haskins, committee of John Haskins, sr., &c	700
1843, Dec. 18,	34,	6,	John V. Willcox, of Petersburg	1,000
1844, Feb. 1,	38,	6,	President and Directors of the Firemen's Insurance Co. of Baltimore	500
Do do 24,	41,	6,	Do do	1,000
1844, May 21,	42,	6,	James Haskins, committee of John Haskins, sr., &c	500
1846, May 6,	49,	6,	Olivia Johnston, of Richmond	500
1846, July 16,	55,	6,	James Cornick, of Norfolk	1,000
Do Sep. 21,	57,	6,	Mo. Hon. Richard Seymour Conway, Marquis of Hertford, Great Britain	5,000
1847, Mar. 1,	66,	6,	Emily T. Morris	800
Do do 5,	67,	6,	Lucilla Wallace, of Fredericksburg	100
Do Aug. 10,	69,	6,	Thomas Stevenson, of Richmond	100