

increase of our population, the public mind is beginning to look forward to an ultimate change in the location of our seat of government. The selection of a new site, with a view to its permanent location, at as early a day as practicable is believed to be important. Your memorialists would therefore (in conformity to the usage of the general government, upon the admission of new states into the union) respectfully ask an additional grant of five sections of land, to be selected under the direction of the general assembly, for the purpose aforesaid.

Approved, February 8th, 1847.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, }
IOWA CITY, IOWA, APRIL 24, 1847. }

ELISHA CUTLER, JR., Esq., *Secretary of State*:

Sir:—In compliance with your request and the 18th section of the 4th article of the constitution, I herewith submit "an accurate statement of the receipts and expenditures of the public money," in order that the same may "be attached to, and published with, the laws of the general assembly."

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, yours, &c.,

JOS. T. FALES, *Auditor of State*.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, }
IOWA CITY, IOWA, APRIL 24, 1847. }

Amount of State Revenue received by M. RENO, Esq., *State Treasurer*, from the Treasurers of the following counties, since the last Annual Report from this office, in November last:

1846	Dec.	3	From Treasurer of Des Moines county,	-	\$ 126	43
1847	Jan.	5	" " " Van Buren	" -	226	28
"	"	9	" " " Jefferson	" -	141	12
"	Feb.	13	" " " Van Buren	" -	341	44
"	"	17	" " " Scott	" -	283	80
"	"	24	" " " Johnson	" -	230	90
"	"	25	" " " Clayton	" -	30	00
"	Mar.	18	" " " Jones	" -	102	00
"	"	18	" " " Mahaska	" -	38	10
"	"	29	" " " Muscatine	" -	259	80
"	April	6	" " " Benton	" -	10	35
"	"	10	" " " Lee	" -	705	24
"	"	10	" " " Linn	" -	404	72
"	"	12	" " " Marion	" -	19	90
"	"	14	" " " Johnson	" -	65	87
"	"	19	" " " Clayton	" -	40	33
"	"	22	" " " Jefferson	" -	134	89
"	"	23	" " " Iowa	" -	3	50
"	"	23	" " " Van Buren	" -	28	25
TOTAL,					\$3,193	04

The above is but a small portion of what is due; some of the county treasurers have paid nothing on the revenue of 1846, and are greatly in arrears for previous years; and, if those arrearages are not settled up immediately, the undersigned will be under the necessity of bringing suit on the treasurer's bonds, as required by law, but hopes that this notice will relieve him from that unpleasant duty.

A statement of the Expenditures of the public money, since the Annual Report, in November last :

			DOLL'S	CTS
1847	Feb.	25	Amount of warrants issued to members of the general assembly, - - - -	11,278 00
"	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to A. H. Palmer, for incidental printing, - - - -	1,492 34
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to Silas Foster, for incidental printing, - - - -	1,506 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to officers of the house of representatives, - - - -	1,364 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to officers of the senate, - - - -	1,232 00
"	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to the president and speaker, for extra services, - - - -	352 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to W. D. Skillman, for stationery, - - - -	288 59
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to S. Johnson, for wood, - - - -	280 00
"	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to S. C. Trowbridge, for postage, - - - -	702 72
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to M. Reno, Librarian, - - - -	32 72
"	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to sundry persons, per appropriation act, approved Feb. 25, 1847, - - - -	892 20
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to C. A. Robbins, for seals furnished Benton county, - - - -	20 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to sundry persons, on account of convention, in 1846, - - - -	3,153 46
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued to sundry persons, on account of convention, in 1844, - - - -	698 00
1847	Mar	1	Amount of warrants issued on Governor's salary account, - - - -	250 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued on Secretary's salary account, - - - -	125 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued on Auditor's salary account, - - - -	150 00
"	"	"	Amount of warrants issued on Treasurer's salary account, - - - -	100 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued on penitentiary keeper's salary account, - - - -	25 00
1847	"	12	Amount of warrants issued on Auditor's contingent fund account, - - - -	300 00
1847	"	"	Amount of warrants issued on Secretary's contingent fund account, - - - -	252 00

1847	“	“	Amount of warrants issued on Treasurer's contingent fund, - - - -	300	00
1847	“	“	Amount of warrants issued on Governor's contingent fund account, - - - -	10	00
1847	“	“	Amount of warrants issued to sundry persons, on penitentiary account, - - - -	236	00
1847	“	“	Amount of warrants issued to Deputy Sheriff of Supreme Court, - - - -	13	50
TOTAL, - - - -				\$25,054	03

Amount of warrants issued by the Territorial and State Auditors, from the organization of the Territorial government, in the year 1838, up to April 24, 1847, - \$80,895 99

Amount of warrants redeemed by the Territorial and State Treasurers, - - - - \$35,602 18

Amount paid by Secretary of the Territory on account of Penitentiary, - - - - 9,000 00

\$44,602 18

Amount of warrants outstanding, - - - - \$36,293 81

Which I am authorized to say, by M. Reno, the State Treasurer, will be redeemed as soon as the loan of \$55,000 is effected by the agent appointed for that purpose.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOS. T. FALES,

Auditor of State.