

Carroll's sacred trust; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Maryland Bicentennial Commission be requested to

(a) Develop a selected bibliography on Charles Carroll of Carrollton and other Maryland signers of the Declaration of Independence in cooperation with the Maryland Historical Society, State and local library systems, the Enoch Pratt Library, The Baltimore Museum of Art, private educational associations, and the State Board of Education.

(b) Determine the ability of the public library system to provide Carroll research material to students, and the ability of government and private organizations to assist.

(c) Outline avenues of publicity to inform students and the general public of the contest, and its significance to the contest, and its significance to the Maryland Bicentennial celebrations.

(d) Supervise preparation of a collection of suitable prize essays on Carroll, perhaps entitled "Remember Carroll's Sacred Trust".

(e) Prepare an account of Carroll's contributions as a legislator in the Maryland Senate, as a delegate to the Continental Congress, member of the Board of War and as first elected Senator from Maryland under the Constitution.

(f) Finance local essay contests, providing adequate source material through the library system, the winning essays to be included in the collection entitled "Remember Carroll's Sacred Trust".

(g) Draw up necessary rules covering student eligibility.

(h) As near to July 1, 1976 as possible, select a grand prize essay from local prize essays contributed from the counties of Maryland and Baltimore City; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the Maryland Bicentennial Commission, the Maryland Historical Society, the Baltimore Museum of Art and the State Board of Education.

Approved April 1, 1976.