

the claims of the said Dugan, M'Elderry, and Mayor and City Council.

Your committee believe after mature consideration, that it is not the province of the Legislature to decide between the conflicting legal claims of those various parties, and that the settlement of such questions exclusively belongs to the judicial tribunals. The committee would further state, that they have ascertained that there are now pending cross appeals from the aforesaid decision of the Chancellor, both by the said Dugan, and the said Mayor and City Council. It is therefore the opinion of the committee, that under existing circumstances it is inexpedient to Legislate upon the subject.

All which is respectfully submitted,
Jesse Hunt, Chairman.

By Order,
Benjamin Seegar, Cl'k.

Which was read.

Mr. Brown, of Queen Anne's, from the committee on claims, delivered the following reports.

The committee on claims, to which was referred the claims of Capt. Enoch Cloud, for militia services have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore, pay to Capt. Enoch Cloud, of Cecil county, or order the sum of sixty-five dollars, it being the amount due for militia services rendered by the company under his command in March last.

By Order,
Thomas W. Watkins, Cl'k.

The committee on claims to which was referred the resolution in favour of Samuel Lecompt, of Dorchester county, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to recommend the adoption of the same.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western shore, pay to Samuel Lecompte, or to his order, the sum of forty-six dollars and twenty cents, being the amount of his account for provisions furnished to the militia in Dorchester county, in the year 1830.

By Order,
Thomas W. Watkins, Cl'k.

Which were severally read.