

when advanced in life, and as a further remuneration to him for those services by which his country has been so essentially benefited.

No. 3.

Persons to be appointed to locate road from Hancock to Cumberland

**RESOLVED,** That the court of Allegany county be and they are hereby authorised and required, to appoint two or more persons, with authority and directions to examine and locate the road from Hancock to Cumberland, laying off the same in the nearest, most direct and practicable ground, and return a plot of the same, to be recorded in Allegany county; and the said court is hereby authorised to contract with some person or persons, (taking bond with security for due performance,) for the expending, in such manner as the court shall direct, and to the best advantage, in opening, and making passable said road, the sum of two thousand dollars, which said sum the treasurer of the western shore is directed and required to pay to the order or orders of the said court, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury; and the levy court of Allegany county are hereby authorised to pay the expense attending the laying off said road, and damages done to property within their own county, to be estimated in the usual way.

No. 4.

Appropriation for erection of penitentiary

**RESOLVED,** That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay unto the commissioners appointed to superintend the erection of a penitentiary, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

No. 5.

In favour of Joseph Howard

**RESOLVED,** That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and required to pay to Joseph Howard, administrator *de bonis non* of Joseph Howard, deceased, Brice Howard, executor of Thomas Cornelius Howard, deceased, of Anne-Arundel county, and George Howard, administrator *de bonis non* of Brice Howard, deceased, of the city of Baltimore, or to their order, the sum of seventy pounds sixteen shillings and six-pence, of bills of credit emitted in June, seventeen hundred and eighty, being the same money heretofore deposited in the treasury on account of John and Gilbert Buchanan, merchants, of London, upon the said Joseph Howard, Brice Howard and George Howard, giving bond, with security, to the state, to be approved by the said treasurer, to refund the aforesaid sum of seventy pounds sixteen shillings and six-pence, and interest, agreeably to the tenor of said bill of credit, in case a certificate shall at any time hereafter be produced to the treasurer which issued from the treasury of the western shore, acknowledging, that on the twenty seventh day of June, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, Brice Howard paid into the treasury, for Joseph Howard and Company, the sum of two thousand eight hundred and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight-pence, by virtue of an act of assembly of this state, passed at October session, seventeen hundred and eighty, entitled, An act for calling out of circulation the quota of this state of the bills of credit issued by congress, and the bills of credit emitted by acts of assembly under the old government, and by the resolves of convention.