

Passed Mar. 31, 1836

Resolution relative to the History of Maryland.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the donation offered by John Leeds Kerr, of Talbot county, of an autograph manuscript of a history of Maryland from its first settlement in sixteen hundred and thirty-three, to the restoration in sixteen hundred and sixty, and of corrections and additions to an introduction to a history of Maryland, heretofore published by John Leeds Bozman, deceased, together with a printed and corrected copy of the said introduction, be and the same are hereby accepted for and in behalf of the State.

*Resolved, That the Governor and Council be, and they are hereby authorised and required by contract, upon such terms as they may deem reasonable, to cause the said history and introduction, with the corrections and additions, notes and illustrations, to be correctly printed and published, and in fair and good type, and upon proper paper, in two volums octavo, with an index to the whole work, and so that the introduction, with the notes and illustrations, and that part of the manuscript which comprises the corrections and additions thereto, inserted in the proper places according to the directions and references, shall form the first volume; and that the history with its notes and illustrations, shall form the second volume; *Provided*, that five hundred copies of the work shall be reserved upon any such contract, for the use of the State at such price as the said Governor and Council shall deem reasonable.*

Resolved, That six copies of the said work, when so printed and published, be neatly bound and presented to the said donor.

Passed March 30

Resolution in relation to Newspapers.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to George G.