

our former directions, which are, that the whole of the business shall be finally closed by the first of November next & Mr Bird has made a mistake respecting the Balance due from him to the State, as appears by the Eastern Shore Treasurers Account rendered to this Board a copy whereof is inclosed, by which you will find the balance due at this time is \$1042.13.9 after deducting all the payments he has made including £398.19.6 paid to the Attorney General, for which sum with costs &c. was directed by him to issue -

We must in some measure depend on your judgment as to the indulgences to be given the collectors in your district as you must be much better informed of their ability to pay. We are &c

Henry Hollingsworth -

J E Howard.

In Council September 9<sup>th</sup> 1789

Sir,

We shall be obliged to you if in your power to give us full information respecting Mr Bordaes claim to the land adjoining this City.

We are &c

John Callahan  
Register of the  
Land Office & Shore

James Bruce Presd