

of attending to the final settlement of accounts between this State and the Union. We presume that he will not fail to give your Honors early information respecting the progress of this business - in the mean time it is necessary to remark that although we could not obtain Mr White's services without making him occasional advances, it remains with the Legislature to determine his allowance.

Also two papers containing the statement made by direction of the General Assembly to the Attorney General respecting the Lands patented or taken up westward of ^{at} West Cumberland, and his answer to the Queries that arise on that subject.

A Proclamation issued by the President of the United States, accompanied by a letter from him to the Governor, requesting it to be made known in this State.

We have the Honor to be Sir
The Honble J. Howard
The General Assembly
of Maryland.

In Council November 9th 1789

Gentlemen Since our communications of yesterday we have received the enclosed Letters from Col. Richardson which we think necessary to lay before your Honors.

We have the honor to be Sir
The Honble James Bruce Presid^t
The General Assembly
of Maryland