

best Stock of the United States, upon their the Commissioners giving such real and personal security as the Executive should approve, for the repayment of the Principal on or before the first day of November eighteen hundred and two, and the punctual payment of the interest thereon quarterly yearly. We have to inform the Honble Assembly, that the Commissioners, on the 28 of February last, gave, in our judgment, ample real and personal security for the payment of the said Loan, and that the Trustee, as we are informed, transferred the Stock pursuant to said Resolution.

We have also to communicate to the Legislature, that by virtue of a Resolution of the last Session, authorizing the Executive to employ some person to stop the leak in the Stabl. House, and to paint the external part, and to pay the expenses attending the same out of the contingent Fund, subject to the disposition of the Executive, we employed Mr. John Shaw to do the said work, and appropriated the sum of three hundred and twenty five pounds three shillings and six pence to that object, which was all that could be prudently spared, as the Assembly must be satisfied, that there are a number of incidental charges of Government which come properly against that Fund, and which are not otherwise provided for. We are sorry to observe that the sum already advanced has not been sufficient to enable the undertaker to complete the Repairs but that the additional sum of two hundred and fifty pounds (according to the most correct estimate that the Undertaker has been able to make) is requisite.

We further present to your Honourable Body that the death of John G. Bradford left a vacancy in the Register of Wills Office in Harford County, and that Abraham Parritt Esquire was commissioned by us on the twenty ninth day of May last to fill that vacancy office during the recess of the General Assembly. We have of
The Honble the Legislature

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