

the obstacles that intervened in the course of the Negotiations.

We would take the liberty of suggesting that Mr. Pinkney may probably wish the receipt of this Communication to be acknowledged, that he may be enabled with safety to draw Bills for the sum presented by the State. accept assurances of the high Consideration and Respect with which we are your Obedt Servants

The Hon^{ble} James Munroe
American Minister at
London

Robert Bowie

In Council Chamber December 29. 1804

Gentlemen

I have the honor to enclose a letter just received from William Pinkney Esquire in reply to one which I addressed to him on the 21st instant, covering certain Resolutions of the General Assembly in which they express their sense of his conduct in the execution of the trust confided to him on the subject of Stock in the Bank of England claimed by this State

The Hon^{ble} the General Assembly

I have the honor to be

Robert Bowie

In Council January The 8. 1805

Gentlemen.

We have the Honor of enclosing a letter from the Treasurer of the Western Shore, informing us that he has received a Warrant from the Government of the United States, on the office of Discount and deposit at Baltimore for an Instalment of forty thousand dollars and the Interest due on the Loans to the Commissioners of the City of Washington on the 1st Instant.

We have the honor to be with great Respect your Obedt Servants

The General Assembly

Robert Bowie

In Council January The 30 1805

Sir

It has been suggested to the Board by your Brother, that you are apprehensive, that Mr. Curvance the Charge des Affaires may possibly have some hesitation in honoring Bills, that you think proper