

General Assembly of the State of Maryland
in matters of the Constitution of the United States. We have the honor to transmit
to the General Assembly a copy of a letter from the Secretary at War of the Federal Government
the Executive of the State marked number three containing the President's Request for one hundred
thousand dollars amounting to six thousand and sixty three as authorized by an Act of Congress passed
March 27th 1808 and eight hundred and eighty three dollars for the purpose of making
an expedition to the coast of Africa in the immediate equipment of which we have the honor
The Honorable General Assembly

Robert Wright

In Council Annapolis December 7 1808

Gentlemen

Agreeably to the direction of the Act of Congress we have made and certified true lists
of the Electors of the President and Vice President of the United States in the State of Mary-
land which we have now the honor to enclose. We are with high Consideration
The Electors of President and Vice President
of the United States

Robert Wright

In Council Annapolis December 8 1808

Gentlemen

We have the honor to transmit an account of the contingent Expenses of Government
for the last year by which the Legislature will perceive that the whole of the contingent
Fund for the present year has been exhausted by the extraordinary Expenses of the last year
and that without a farther appropriation the Executive will be subject to great embarrassment
not having it in their power to defray a great variety of unavoidable Expenses that will occur
in the course of the year. We suggest the propriety of appropriating one thousand Dollars.
The Honorable the General Assembly

We are with high Consideration
Robert Wright

In Council Annapolis December 9 1808

Sir

In obedience to the Order of the House of Delegates to date we have the honor to
transmit the last Report made by the Auditor at Frederick Town. We have &c.
The Honorable the Speaker of the House of Delegates

Lewis Dorrell C. C. T.

Sir

In Council Annapolis December 10 1808

We have the honor to transmit a Statement of the Salary allowed to the Auditor at
Frederick Town and his Accounts for the last year pursuant to an Order of the House of
Delegates

The Honorable the Speaker of the House of Delegates

We are &c.
Lewis Dorrell C. C. T.