

very high consideration and respect with which I have the honour to remain

To His Excellency

Your most obedient fellow citizen

The Governor of Pennsylvania

Samuel Sprigg

Annapolis January 24 1822

Gentlemen

In the case lately decided in the Court of Appeals in which the State was
party against the Officers of certain Banks in the City of Baltimore, the Assistant Attorney
General in consequence, it is understood, of his having been interested previously to his appoint-
ment, for individuals of the parties, could not attend the case - Henry M. Murray Esquire was
selected and recommended by the Assistant Attorney General to conduct the argument on the part
of the State in the appellate Court - The Executive justly appreciating the services of that Gen-
tlemen, and believing him to be entitled to liberal compensation for the highly valuable and
essential services rendered the State in the case alluded to, and doubting their power under
any existing law to compensate, beg leave to submit to the consideration of the Legislature the
propriety, if providing, by resolution or otherwise, for an adequate remuneration of services thus
ably and successfully afforded the State - and have the honour to remain

To the Honourable The President of the Senate

Your obedient fellow citizen

The Honourable the Speaker of the House of Delegates

Samuel Sprigg

Council Chamber Annapolis January 24 1822

Sir

I have the honour to send to you agreeably to your request, an authenticated copy
of the Act of Legislature of this State respecting the Cumberland Turnpike Road - Should the
enclosed not embrace all the laws that you want connected with this subject, the deficiency will
be supplied on its being made known to me - I have the honour to be with great respect

The Hon^{ble} W^m H. Crawford

Your most obedient fellow citizen

Secretary of the Treasury of the United States

Samuel Sprigg

Council Chamber Annapolis February 6 1822

Sir

Agreeably to the request contained in your letter of the 29th ultimo, I have the honour
to send you a copy of a law passed by the General Assembly of Maryland at Newmarket