

Comml Chamber

Charleston June 25 1826

Dear Sir,

By virtue of a Resolution passed at the last Session of the General Assembly, a copy of the Governor and Council have appointed you, in conjunction with the Honorable John Buchanan Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals to review, digest, and collate, all such public acts of the Assembly of the State as are now in force, and to perform the other duties prescribed by the said Resolution.

The high importance of the contemplated work, and the great benefit which, if ably executed, it will confer on the people of Maryland, induced the Executive to select Gentlemen every way qualified to carry into complete effect the wise and laudable intentions of the General Assembly, and whose distinguished reputation will impart confidence in, and authority to, the result of their labours.

The compensation for the services and labours enjoined by the Resolution of the General Assembly has not been fixed, but is left at the discretion of the Executive, and will, no doubt, be liberal and duly proportioned to their nature and amount, and the value and importance of the work when completed.

Thomas James Bullitt Esq  
Attorney at Law  
East W.

I have the honor to be,  
with the highest respect  
Yours Obedient

Wm. Culbreth Clerk  
of the Council.

Sir,

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I am directed by the Executive to inform you, that an order will be given in the United States Ordnance Department for the issue of 5000 lbs of powder which you obtained in the fall of the year 1824, in return on which you had already filed in this Department a bond for their return as required by law for military purposes. I enclose you a blank.

Capt. Perry  
George's Town

Respectfully  
Yours Obedient  
Wm. Culbreth Clerk