

can then be determined, but I think, at all events, the meeting should take place, as notified.

Remain with the highest
respect yours &c
H. Cullbert

A copy of the foregoing addressed to
each member of the Council.

Council Chamber
Annapolis July 13th 1831.
Sir, Very much regretted yesterday not being able to write to you (as I have
you named but the name of your ship) disappointment is not deep affliction
and regret. I have just received the preliminary intelligence that Governor
Morton died yesterday at his residence upon the Eastern Shore. You being
elected to be the President of the Council, who will serve as Governor
until the next meeting of the General Assembly, shall have taken the oath of
Office. The Council to meet tomorrow week when, I presume, the
Governor Pro tempore, will qualify.

Mr John Surand
now in
Baltimore.

Very respectfully
yours &c
H. Cullbert

Dear Sir,

Council Chamber
Annapolis July 14 1831.

In compliance with your request to be furnished with a state-
ment of the original cost of the Public Storehouses, and if practi-
cally, the additional expense the State has been at since, and the
balance now due by the State for said expenditures, giving credit for the
revenue derived from the Tax on Inspection of Storehouses. I have the
pleasure of handing you herewith two reports made to the Legislature by
the Executive containing detailed statements of the expenditures up to
December 1829, on account of the said Storehouses, and a summary
statement of the subsequent expenditures, with explanatory details, and a
few brief remarks for elucidation. These papers seem to me to embrace
the information which you desire. I hope they may prove satisfactory.

To Daniel Knifer,
now in
Baltimore

Remain with much respect
yours &c
H. Cullbert

Sir,

Council Chamber
Annapolis July 23 1831

You will receive herewith the necessary papers for the arrest and
surrender and removal of Jacob Portzel the fugitive from Justice whom
you are commissioned to receive from the Executive of this State.
The papers have been issued at the earliest possible moment
after the qualification of the successor to the late Governor, of whose lamented
death I grieved you at Baltimore.

Mr John Surand
Reading Pa.

Very respectfully
yours &c
H. Cullbert