

\$1500 has been transferred to your account, and you accordingly stand charged with these amounts exclusive of interest. It is a matter of great importance to the State, that the arrears of taxes, now outstanding, should be promptly and speedily paid. I trust, therefore, that it will be in your power at an early day, to make such remittances as will materially reduce the above stated sums and in a short time that you will close the account. Be good enough to let me hear from you on the subject.

I am very respectfully
your Obedt Servt
Philip F. Thomas

George W. Pembroke Esq.

State Department
Annapolis Md. 4th April 1849

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 27th March came duly to hand. It was written, of course, before mine to you of the 26th of the same month had been received. I regret extremely to learn that you have been affected in the manner you represent, and consequently unable to transact business. As a matter of course under such circumstances no suit will be ordered against you. I hope you may soon be entirely restored to health, and enabled to resume successfully the collection of the revenue of the State still remaining in your hands. The necessity of maintaining the credit of the State obliges me very often with reluctance, to press collectors, in a manner, I know, not agreeable to them.

I am very respectfully
your Obedt Servt
Philip F. Thomas

John H. Diner Esq.

State Department
Annapolis 5th April 1849

Dear Sir:

The enclosed editorial article from the "Republican and Argus" of yesterday afternoon, met my eye to day, in looking over that paper. From this article it appears, that a foreign insurance company is now transacting business, through its agent, in the City of Baltimore in violation of the provisions of the act of 1828 Chap. 307. I have deemed it my duty to address you as the Deputy of the Attorney General for the City of Baltimore, on this subject and to request that you will use whatever means it may be in your power to employ with a view to ascertain to what Corporation the article in question has reference, in order that the party so offending may be immediately prosecuted. It is not improbable that all the necessary information may be obtained from the Editor of the "Argus". If you have occasion to reply to this, within a week from this date be good enough to address