

Baltimore November 24th 1863

His Excellency
Augustus W. Bradford
Governor of Maryland

Dear Sir:

I have received your note of 21st Inst. transmitting a copy of the petition of Isaac P. Cook Esq. Register of Wills for Baltimore City, in reference to the right of the State to tax the commissions of Executors and Administrators, and assigning me as Counsel for the State to argue this question before the proper tribunals.

I accept the appointment with pleasure and will give immediate attention to the subject.

Very Respectfully & truly
Wm. Price

Baltimore November 29th 1863

His Excellency The Governor

Dear Sir:

I write, only to inform you, that I have just received the written consent of the Atty. Genl. to the continuance of the case of Myers vs. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and am assured by the acting Clerk of the Supreme Court, that it will be so disposed of.

Very Respectfully
Your obt. Servt.
J. Meredith

State of Maryland
Executive Department
Annapolis Nov. 12th 1863

Levellyn F. Barry Esq.
Sir:

The Cemetery selected for the burial of the dead who fell at the Battle of Gettysburg will be consecrated with appropriate ceremonies on Thursday the 19th Inst. Ward H. Lamont Esq. the U.S. Marshal of the District of Columbia having been selected as the Chief Marshal to take charge of the Civic Procession that will form part of the ceremonies on that occasion has requested the appointment of two suitable persons in each State to assist him in the duties he has undertaken — I have selected you as one of these Assistants from Maryland, and hope that you will be able to accept the appointment; in case you do, you will please report to Chief Marshal Lamont on Wednesday the 18th Inst. at Gettysburg.

Your very Respectfully
A. W. Bradford

Copy of the above sent also to Chas. Findlay Esq.