

it is represented to this General Assembly, by the heirs and representatives of the securities of the said William Barrow, that they are anxious to have the State's claim settled, or to be released from any further responsibility as securities; AND WHEREAS, the heirs and representatives of the said William Barrow, are willing, nay, they are even desirous, to have the said claim settled as early as practicable, consistent with the interests of all concerned; they therefore pray the Legislature to authorize the said William D. Barrow, or some other person, to be by them appointed, to sell the said land, at some early day, upon such credit as he or they may believe best calculated to promote their interests; and that the State will not force the land to be sold at sheriff's sale, at great cost and sacrifice of their interest, when there is no urgent reason to do so—Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That William D. Barrow, be, and he is hereby authorized and required to sell said land, as early as practicable, upon such terms, and at such credit, as he may believe best calculated to promote the interests of the parties concerned; *Provided,* that whenever the said William D. Barrow shall have made the sale of the said land, the Attorney General shall be authorized and required to take a bond or bonds from the purchaser or purchasers, with such securities, and at such credit, as he may approve, for the whole amount of the State's claim against the said William Barrow, deceased.

*Resolved,* That if the said William D. Barrow, shall fail to make the sale, as provided herein, before the first day of July next, then the Attorney General shall proceed to collect the said claim, in the same manner as if these resolutions had never passed.

*Resolved,* That whenever the whole of the purchase money shall have been paid, the State shall forthwith give to the purchaser a good and sufficient right and title to the said land.

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No. 63.

Passed March 21. Resolution relative to procuring two swords, one be presented to Col. Nathan Towson, of the United States Army, and one to Capt. J. Gallagher, of the U. S. Navy.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That his excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested