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ounds three shillings and six pence, w interest thereon from the year seven-
 teen hundred and ninety two, heretofore ^{bound} of him as security for Henry
 Shryock, formerly sheriff and collector of said county; *Provided*, he pays the
 costs of the suit heretofore brought for said debt ^{against} him, by the state, in A.
 Arundel county court.

Dec. Ses. 1826.

No. 11.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the
 western shore, be, and he is hereby authorised and required, to complete the
 subscription of two hundred and fifty shares in the stock of the Chesapeake and
 Delaware canal company, in annual instalments of fifty shares, and that he pay
 the said instalments out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, and that
 the faith of the state of Maryland, be, and is hereby pledged for the punctual
 payment of the said instalments as they may annually become due.

Passed Feb.
6, 1824.
Chesapeake
and Delaware
canal.

No. 12.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Thomas Wright, Rob-
 ert Wright, Thomas Wright, administrators of Clayton Wright and the estate
 of Henry Darden deceased, are severally released from any liability on the
 states claim against them as securities to Samuel T. Wright, former clerk of
 Queen Ann's county, upon their severally complying with the conditions of a
 resolution passed at December session eighteen hundred and twenty two; that is
 to say, when Thomas Wright shall pay into the treasury the one fourth part of
 said debt, interest and costs, and one other fourth part as administrator of
 Clayton Wright, and Robert Wright when he shall pay into the treasury
 one fourth part of said debt, interest and costs, and the estate of Henry Darden,
 deceased, when Philemon B. Hopper executor of said Darden, deceased, shall
 pay into the treasury the one fourth part of the said debt, interest and costs, ac-
 cording to the condition of said resolution, passed December session eighteen
 hundred and twenty two, and not otherwise.

Passed Feb.
10, 1824.
T. Wright &
others.

No. 13.

Whereas, it appears to this general assembly, by the petition of Enoch Cloud,
 that he in the year eighteen hundred and seventeen, applied to the governor
 and council to purchase a piece of land which he conceived was liable to con-
 fiscation, in consequence the executive ordered a survey, and appointed com-
 missioners to make a valuation thereof, for the amount of which, the petitioner
 executed his bond with security thereon to the state, for the sum of three hun-
 dred and thirty three dollars and thirty three cents, being two thirds of the
 whole amount, at which said property was valued; that a caveat was filed by
 certain persons who conceived the said property to be their right and estate,
 and not liable to confiscation against a patent issuing therefor to the said Cloud;
 and after an expensive investigation and considerable argument by council be-
 fore his honor the chancellor, it was decided that a patent should issue for the
 same, that the case might be tried before a jury of the county; that since, at the
 last April term of Cecil county court, a cause tried, in which the title of this
 property was incidently brought in question, which was finally decided against
 him, and he thus virtually lost the property; and that the petitioner has been
 at a very considerable expence in defending the suit, and should he be compelled
 to pay the amount of the bound giving by him to the state he would effectually
 be ruined; that he is willing to loose all the expences incurred and to relinquish
 his claim to said property to the state; *Provided*, that he and his securities shall
 be released from the payment of his bond, and that he therefore prays this
 general assembly to cause the said bond to be cancelled, upon his giving up all
 his claim to said property, and the prayer of the petitioner appearing reason-
 able. Therefore,

Passed Feb.
3, 1824.
Enoch Cloud.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the
 western shore, be, and he is hereby authorised and directed, to dismiss the
 suit as instituted by this state against the said Enoch Cloud and his securities,
 and to cancel the said bond upon the said Cloud executing a release for all his
 right and interest in the said land, he the said Cloud paying all costs which have
 accrued on the suit instituted in behalf of the state against him on said bond.

No. 14.

Resolved, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That if the said Registers
 in Chancery, clerks of the courts of appeals, clerks of the several county courts,
 registers of wills in the several counties of this state, and clerk of the city court
 of Baltimore, who have failed to record such papers as by them respectively
 ought to have been recorded, shall not complete the records of the same, on or
 before the first day of January in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-five,
 then, that the governor and council be, and they are hereby authorised to direct
 the Attorney General to institute such suit or suits as may be necessary for the
 recovery of such demands as may be due by each or all of said registers in chan-
 cery, clerks of the courts of appeals, clerks of the several county courts, regis-

Passed Feb.
12, 1824.
Completing
records.