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As Mr. Carpenter did not reply to my letter of the 11th. of October last, until the 31st. ultimo, I abstained from referring to the subject in my Annual Message. The accompanying copies of the correspondence will put you in full possession of all the facts; and the case is accordingly submitted to your consideration.

E. Louis Lowe

April 11th.

The Governor received and accepted the declination of Frederick Stone Esquire, under the assignment of the 7th. instant.

The Governor assigned W. W. W. Bowie Esquire in place of Mr. Stone.

The Governor directed notice of an application for pardon of James Norton convicted at January Term 1851, of the Baltimore City Court of Robbery, to be published: to expire 2<sup>d</sup>. of May next.

14th.

The Governor pardoned George Hook, convicted at September Term 1851, of the Baltimore City Court, of Felony. (See Record of Pardons)

15th.

The Governor received the resignation of Philip F. Thomas, Esquire, as Comptroller of the Treasury, to take effect from and after the 20th. instant.

19th.

The Governor nominated to the Senate Henry E. Bateman, Esquire, for Comptroller of the Treasury, vice Philip F. Thomas, Esquire, resigned.

The Governor received official information that the Senate had advised and consented to the nomination of sundry persons transmitted to them February 2<sup>d</sup>. ultimo.

23<sup>d</sup>.

The Governor issued a commission to John West Esquire, as Commissioner of deeds &c. to reside in the City of New York.

The Governor, in accordance with a resolution of the House of Delegates, directed the Adjutant General to display the flag at half-mast in respect to the memory of William R. King, Vice President of the United States, deceased.

The Governor was officially informed that the Senate had advised and consented to the appointment of H. E. Bateman, as Comptroller of the Treasury, vice P. F. Thomas, resigned.