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## Letter from Virgil Macy to George Sibley, June 13, 1832

V. Maxcy

*Office of Solicitor of the Treasury*

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George C. Sibley

V. Maxcy  
June 13th, 1832

Office of the Solicitor of the Treasury  
June 13th, 1832

Sir,

I have Received your letter of the 12th June 1832, in which you Refer to your communication of the 1<sup>t</sup> Inst., and in which you Request a Suspension of further proceedings on the Judgment against you as Surety of Baillio & Co.= You State, in consequence of my opinion that there was no power in the Treasury Department to compromise the claim of the Governement against you by Receiving in Satisfaction thereof, certain Lands mentioned in your communication of the 1<sup>t</sup>. Inst. which you therein Represent to be all the unincumbered property you possess= that you propose to make application to Congress for an Act to authorize The Secretary of The Treasury to compromise & Settle with G. C. Sibley, as Surety of Paul Baillio & Co. in Such manner as he may consider just and equitable, and most for the benefit of the U. States.

Under these circumstances, with a view to allow Congress to Act on the Subject, as well as to give you an opportunity to Sell to the best advantage the above mentioned property, with the approbation of the District Attorney of Missouri, you Request that proceedings against you may be suspended, on your executing a Deed of Trust to the U. States for Said property=

Your proposition is accepted, and instructions will be given the District Attorney of Missouri to carry it into effect: it being understood that you are to execute the Said Deed of trust for the Security of the U. States as Soon as may be, after your Return to Missouri.

I am very Respectfully Sir

Your Mo. Obt. Svt.

(signed) V. Maxcy

Solicitor of the Treasury

To Geo: C. Sibley Esqr

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