

C. B. mounting four Swivels navigated by Ten men, belonging to Isaac Vanbibber, David Weems, Charles Wallace and John Muir dated the 20th October 1777.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Capt. George Cooke five hundred and eighty five pounds, six shillings and eight pence per Acc^t passed

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt. Joseph Ford five hundred Dollars to be expended in Bounties to Recruits to be charged to the first Maryland Continental Regiment the advance being made at the request of Col^o Stone.

That the said Treasurer pay to Gabriel Duvall five pounds five shillings to be delivered over to Francis Hall for the hire of his Cart and Horses and the further Sum of five Pounds five Shillings to be delivered over to Benjamin Hall for the hire of his Waggon and Horses on account of the Militia per Accounts passed the Board of Accounts.

Daniel Melson is discharged from Confinement, having given Bond with security for his future good Behaviour, and he afterwards voluntarily took the Oath of Fidelity and Support to this State.

Death Warrant issued to negro Peter slave to Stephen West for a Rape.

Thomas Duckett is appointed to purchase Pork in Prince Georges County.

Jacob Duckett of Prince Georges County is appointed Commissary to procure Supplies and Distribute them to the Quota of Troops of the American Army agreeable to a Resolve of the General Assembly 13th December last.

Tuesday 6th January 1778.

Present as on yesterday

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Isaac M^cHard one hundred Pounds on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Doct^r Joseph Diggs forty three Pounds ten shillings balance of Account due him as Surgeon to the Maryland Militia per Acc^t pass^d

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt. George Cooke two hundred and fifty seven Pounds seven Shillings and nine pence per Account passed

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieu^t Col^o Samuel Smith fifteen hundred Dollars on Account of the fourth Regiment.

That the said Treasurer pay to Vanbibber and Crockett one thousand and thirty two Pounds one Shilling and three pence the purchase Money of the Moiety of the Sloop Chance and her Cargoe.