

On motion, **RESOLVED**, That the commissioners appointed by a resolve of the Convention of this province in December last, for the purpose of establishing a gun-lock manufactory in Frederick-town in Frederick county, or in the neighbourhood thereof, for which purpose twelve hundred pounds was appropriated, do lay before the next Convention, on the third day of their sitting, a full and clear account of their proceedings in the premises, together with the state of said manufactory.

On reading and considering the report from the committee appointed to report on the petition of John Brewer of the city of Annapolis, **RESOLVED**, That the fine imposed on the said John Brewer by the committee of observation for Anne-Arundel county be remitted, and his fire-arms returned to him.

On motion, **RESOLVED**, That all petitions, applications and reports, to Convention this present session, and all petitions, applications and reports, to Convention in all former sessions, whereon no final order hath been or shall be made, be referred to the next session of Convention.

On motion, **RESOLVED**, That a bounty of one shilling common money be paid by the Council of Safety for every bushel of salt imported into this colony, and delivered above Point Look-out, before the first day of March next, and that the importer be allowed to sell the same at any price not exceeding seven shillings and six-pence common money per bushel.

On motion, **RESOLVED**, That the Council of Safety advertise the proposals given in to this Convention by Mr. Charles Wallace, and request any person who will contract for a large quantity of salt, to deliver in their proposals by the 20th day of July next, and the Council of Safety are empowered to enter into a contract agreeable to any such proposals that may be given in, if they adjudge such proposals more for the advantage of the public, but if no better terms should be offered by the said day, then the Council of Safety are empowered to close with the said proposals of Charles Wallace.

ORDERED, That the declaration of this Convention of this day, and the resolutions in answer to the resolution of the Virginia Convention, be published in the Maryland Gazette.

The journal of accounts was read and assented to.

ORDERED, That the treasurer of the western-shore pay the several claims allowed in the same.

The Convention adjourns till Thursday the first day of August next, to sit at this place, but the Council of Safety may convene the Convention at any other time or place they shall judge necessary.

Signed by order of the Convention,

GABRIEL DUVALL, Clerk.