

procured houses at Drum Point which we thought were sufficient but finding that the Resolves of Convention in Dec^r last only oblige us to find the troops sufficient accommodations during the winter season. We are of opinion that we cannot engage our county in any expence of build^g Barracks:—

We are y^r most obed^t Hble Servt

p^r order.

B. Mackall, Chairman

C. S. J.

Thursday 13 June 1776.

Met according to Adjournment. Present the same Members as on yesterday.

Cornelius Hogans being ordered to be brought under Guard before this Board, was brought accordingly. And the said Hogans acknowledging great Contrition for his Offence, It was ordered that he be discharged upon recognizing as follows.

“You Cornelius Hogans and William Richardson do severally acknowledge yourselves to stand indebted to the Honble Daniel of S^t Thomas Jenifer Esq^r President of the Council of Safety of Maryland in the Sum of One hundred Pounds Sterling each, to be levied of your Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements in Case the said Cornelius Hogans shall not conform to the Rules and Regulations of the Convention of this Province and conduct himself in all Things agreeable thereto for twelve months henceforward.”

The said Cornelius Hogans and William Richardson acknowledged themselves to be content.

Ordered That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Col. William Richardson twelve Pounds common money for the use of Henry Downes Junior for his Services two months, ending 10th Instant, as Adjutant to Colonel Richardson's Battalion of Militia.

Ordered That the said Treasurer pay to M^r Robert Purviance six hundred Pounds common money on Account of the Schooner Resolution.

Ordered That the said Treasurer pay to M^r William Lux five hundred Pounds like money on Account of the said Schooner.

Copy of Letter N 22 was sent to Robert Alexander Esquire.

Adjourned till next Day 10 O'Clock.