[Council to Jesse Hollingsworth.]

Lib. C. C.

In Council March 25th 1777.

Sir.

If the Bread you mention in your Letter of the 20th Inst is likely to spoil soon, the Council recommend it to you to sell for 12/6 p Ct the Price you have been offered, but if the Bread is likely to keep good, they would not have you sell, unless you get at least 15/; if you do not sell, there's Room enough here to store a Part of it, and you are desired to send down from Time to Time, as good Opportunities may offer, a Thousand or twelve Hundred Barrels. We are &ca

Mr Jesse Hollingsworth.

March 26th 1777

C. B.

Ordered, That Gerard Hopkins Commissary at Baltimore Town send immediately to Annapolis, one Barrel of Gun Locks. That he also make out a general Account of all the public Stores in the Magazine, and of what has been delivered out, and received since the Passage of his last Account, and that he transmit the same to the Council, as soon as possible.

Ordered, that the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Ezekiel Towson sixty two pounds, three Shillings, and nine pence for Am' of his Acc'

That the said Treasurer pay to Josias Shaw five pounds, for Am' of his Acc'

Doctor Richard Tooth is desired to deliver to the Honorable Thomas Stone Esquire, or his order, one pound of Jallop for the use of some People, who are under Innoculation in Charles County, he paying a reasonable Price for it, or undertaking to return the like Quantity

Thomas Sim Lee Esquire, Colonel of the lower Battalion of Militia in Prince George's County, resigned his Commission, which was accepted of by the Council.

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The Council proceeded to the choice of a member in the Room of Charles Carroll Senior Esquire, who resigned and the Honorable Thomas Sim Lee Esquire was elected, who appearing was qualified by taking the Oaths, and subscribing the Declaration directed by the Form of Government, and taking the Oath prescribed by the General Assembly.

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to John

Bullen Quarter Master, one hundred pounds, on Acct

Levin Evans of Somerset County, who was seized by James Campbell on the Lower Islands of this State within the forty days allowed by the Proclamation issued by the General Assembly, prayed his release, and that he might be permitted