

Cattle or other Provisions, by the Purchasers appointed under c. c. the Laws of this State. The Continental Commissary has appointed Agents who, we hope will be able to procure an ample Supply for the Army and therefore it appears to us to be disadvantageous as well as unnecessary to have any Rivalship in the Purchase. If you know of any Cattle to be purchased, you'd do the Public a Service to acquaint the Continental Agent of them.

We are &^{ca}

Capt. Robert Owings }
Montgomery County }

Wednesday 22^d July 1778.

C. B.

Present as on yesterday

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer Pay to Robert Reid ninty five Pounds, eight shillings due to him and the further Sum of six Pounds for the use of John Wicks per Acc^{ts} passed by the Aud. Gen^l

That the said Treasurer Pay to John Randall twenty Pounds due to Denton Jacques and I. Randall per Acc^t passed by the P. Cl to the A G^l

That the said Treasurer Pay to John Pilkington three Pounds ten shillings am^t of Acc^t passed by the Aud Gen^l

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Capt. Campbell 20 pair of Shoes and 2½ yards Check to be charged to his Comp^y

Commissions issued to Matthew Tilghman, John Gibson, Henry Banning, Howes Goldsborough, Thomas Sherwood, Richard Johns, Peregrine Tilghman, James Trippe, George Dawson, Edward Hindman, John Thomas Jun^r Tho^s Martin Sen^r Tho^s Ray Sen^r & Nich^s Martin appointed Justices of the Peace for Talbot County, also to Matthew Tilghman, John Gibson Henry Banning, Howes Goldsborough and Peregrine Tilghman appointed Justices of the Orphans Court for Talbot County.

By the advice of the Council Pardon granted to Negro James the Slave of Sarah Dashiell under sentence of Death for Murder.

Thursday 23^d July 1778.

Present as on yesterday.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer Pay to Capt. Beriah Maybury forty four Pounds twelve shillings and three Pence per Acc^t passed by the Aud. Gen^l