

- c. c. we find that you have left your Key and Papers in the Care of any Body, so that we can have Recourse to it. This goes to you by Express and we hope you will immediately furnish us with the Resolution that the Public Business may go on.

We are &^{ca}

M^r John Duckett

c. B.

Tuesday 24 1779

Present as on Yesterday

Ordered that the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lieut Gale 30 pair of Shoes for the Matrosses in Annapolis

That the western shore Treasurer pay to M^r John Duckett Clerk of the House of Delegates two hundred Pounds p Advance agreeable to the Resolve of the last Session of the General Assembly

That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson jun^r Clerk to the Governor and Council four hundred Pounds per Advance agreeable to the Resolve of the last Session of the General Assembly

Daniel Slade of Calvert County who was enlisted in the Maryland Quota of Continental Troops by John Mitchell, having been before this Board and appearing to be unfit for the Service is ordered to return Home and on his returning all Money and Cloathing which he may have received is ordered to be totally discharged

Henry Hall is appointed to Command the Plater

Uriah Forrest appointed Auditor General by the General Assembly in the room of Zephaniah Turner who has resigned appeared and Qualified in Presence of the Governor and Council by taking the several Oaths directed in the Resolution and Subscribing a Declaration of his Belief in the Christian Religion and giving Bond with Nicholas Maccubbin Jun^r & William Hyde Securities for the faithful Performance of his Duty as Auditor General

Wednesday 25 August 1779

Present as on Yesterday

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to John Wilmot jun^r seventeen Pounds, ten shillings due him for riding Express to Queen Annes per Account passed by the Dep^y Aud

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Col^o Uriah Forrest Two thousand Dollars in leiw of the Articles for the present year allowed by the late Act of Assembly