

Lib. C. B.

Present

The honourable Benjamin Tasker Esq<sup>r</sup> President

The hoñble	{	Col George Plater	}	Col Benjamin Tasker
		Col Cha Hammond		Richard Lee Esq <sup>r</sup>
		Daniel Dulany Esq <sup>r</sup>		Benedict Calvert Esq <sup>r</sup>
		Col Edward Lloyd		

The following Resolution of this Board being drawn up & approved of is Ordered to be Entered

p. 480 In Order to prevent any Defect or Delay in the Administration of Justice during the Administration of the Government by His Honour the President This Board doth advise consent and desire his Honour the President when and as often as there shall be Occasion to appoint proper Persons to be Magistrates Sheriffs Coroners and other known Officers any way relating to the ordinary Administration of Justice, and other known inferior Ministerial Officers usually appointed by the Governor of this Province for the time being.

His Honour the President having communicated to this Board a Report made to him by the Justices of the Provincial Court of their having passed Sentence of Death at April Term upon a certain Thomas Hornebrook & William Grindey for Horse Stealing, James Powell for a Felony and Burglary, and George Wilson for Murder, and It appearing by the said Report that the Evidence against Grindey did not appear clear and Satisfactory to the Court to convict him of the Crime laid to his Charge It is therefore the Advice of this Board that his Honour be pleased to grant his Lordships Pardon to the said Grindey upon his leaving this Province; And It is also ordered with the Advice a<sup>d</sup> that George Wilson be hung in Chains in S<sup>t</sup> Marys County as near as may be to the Place where the Fact was comitted and that Thomas Hornebrook be executed in Baltimore County on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> Instant, and that James Powell be executed in Ann Arundel County the same Day.

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June in the 2<sup>d</sup> year of his Lordships Dominion. Annoq Dni 1752.

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