

proper Authority to grant our Application. We took the first Opportunity, by the Post, to address him on the Subject and have the Honor to lay before you his obliging Answer and a Copy of his Letter to the Commanding Officer of the French Marine.

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Present His Excellency the Governor.

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Benjamin Stoddert, Jeremiah T. Chase, James Brice & John H Stone Esq<sup>rs</sup>

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson Jun<sup>r</sup> Two hundred and eighty five pounds fifteen shillings and six pence specie out of the money appropriated for the Barges on Account

That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Smyth Esq<sup>r</sup> for the use of David Boyd fifteen pounds specie due him per Account passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Samuel Duvall for the use of George Dent one hundred and ten pounds, sixteen shillings and one penny half penny specie due one half of an Account passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to George Dent one hundred & ten pounds, sixteen shillings & one penny half penny specie agreeable to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State." Balance of Account passed 6<sup>th</sup> Inst.

That the said Treasurer pay to Elizabeth Pritchett three pounds eleven shillings & one penny specie agreeable to the Act afores<sup>d</sup> p Acc<sup>t</sup> passed 17 Nov. 1782

That the Issuing Commissary deliver to Captain Bryan fourteen Barrels of Flour & ten Barrels of Pork for the Barges.—

Commission issued to John Love, Thomas Johnson, William Smithson, John Archer, William Bond, Abraham Whitacre, Ignatius Wheeler, James McComas, John Rumsey, Mordecai Amos, Robert Amos, John Patrick, James Phillips, John Hall son Cranbury & Samuel Hughes appointed Justices of the peace for Harford County. John Love, Thomas Johnson, William Smithson, William Bond & Abraham Whitacre Justices of the Orphans Court of the County aforesaid.—

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John Stull, Joseph Sprigg, Henry Schnebely, Joseph Chapline John Barnes, Richard Davis, Andrew Bruce, Andrew Rench, William Yeates, Samuel Barrett, John Celler, Charles Prather and William Good, Justices of the Peace for Washington County.—John Stull Henry Schnebely, Joseph Chapline, John Barnes and John Celler Justices of the Orphans Court of the County aforesaid.—