[Wm Paca in Council Annapolis to The Honble Thomas Sim Lee July 11 Daniel Carroll Esquires

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We have the honor to transmit to you Copies of a Letter and Resolution received this Day from the President of Congress, pressing the immediate representation of this State.

We have the honor &ca

Monday 14th July 1783.

July 14 Lib**er** C. B. No. 24

Present His Excellency William Paca Esquire Governor. The Honorable Gab¹ Duvall, Jer T. Chase, Ja⁸ Brice & John H P. 432 Stone Esqrs

A Petition from David Whiting of Caroline County was laid before the Board setting forth that at an adjourned Court held for Caroline County on the 18th Day of February 1782 he applied to the said Court for Licence to keep Ordinary in said Court, and obtained Licence to keep One until the June Court then next ensuing: that being ignorant of the Laws of the State, having lived all his Time in Delaware his Wife in his absence, and he thro' Ignorance and Inattention thinking his Licence authorized him to keep Ordinary for one Year, sold Liquor for a short time after the Expiration of his Licence until he was informed of his Error when he desisted; being desirous to conform to the Laws of the Country he lived in; that at the October Court following in the Year aforesaid five presentments were found against him for selling Liquor without Licence; & therefore praying Relief; and the Justices of Caroline County Court having submitted to the Oath of the Allegations in the said Petition.

The Council taking the same into Consideration are of Opinion that the fines incurred by the said David Whiting on the Presentments before mentioned ought to be remitted & do accordingly Order a Remission [of] the same.

[Wm Paca in Council to Mr Crisall]

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Be pleased to furnish this Board with a List of such soldiers and p. 446 Women who Draw Rations in this City.—

Wednesday 16th July 1783

July 16 Liber C. B. No. 24

Present His Excellency William Paca Esquire Governor

The Honorable Jeremiah T. Chase, James Brice and John H. P. 433 Stone Esquires.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to John Pursel Twenty pounds, two shillings and One penny Specie agreeably to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State" per Certificates adjusted and passed the 17th May last