Saturday 6th. September 1788

The Honorable John Davidson and Benjamin Harrison Esquires attended.

Monday 8th. September 1788

The Council met.

Present His Excellency William Smallwood Esquire.

The Hon'ble. Jeremiah T. Chase

James Brice John Davidson Benjamin Harrison

Esquires.

Ordered that the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Joseph Clark Seventeen pounds, ten shillings on Account of the public buildings and to be accounted for.

The Council adjourned 'till tomorrow morning.

Tuesday 9th. September 1788

The Council met.

Present His Excellency William Smallwood Esquire.

The Hon'ble. Jeremiah T. Chase

James Brice John Davidson

Esquires.

In Council 9th. September 1788

John Shadrick of Fells point Baltimore County having by his Petition set forth that he was fined by the Justices of Baltimore County Court (which [p 350] appears by a Certificate from the Clerk of said Court was at August term last and that he was fined six hundred pounds of Tobacco and thirty shillings Current Money) for selling Liquor without licence for which he was committed, that he is now in confinement, that he has a wife and several small Children who are suffering for want of his assistance. Several of the Inhabitants of Baltimore Town having recommended the Petitioner as also three of the Justices of the said Court as a proper Object of Clemency, The Board do direct that six hundred pounds of Tobacco, one of the said fines be and is hereby remitted.

W. Smallwood Jr. To'y. Chase James Brice John Davidson

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to John White Commissioner, one hundred and one pounds, five shillings for one quarter's Salary due him the 1st. August last.

The Council adjourned 'till Thursday next.