

Tuesday 1st. February 1791

His Excellency John Eager Howard Esq.  
The Hon'ble. Randolph B. Latimer and  
John Kilty Esquires attended

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The Hon'ble. Randolph B. Latimer and  
John Davidson Esquires attended.

Thursday 3d. February 1791

The Council met.  
Pres't. the Hon'ble. Randolph B. Latimer  
John Davidson  
John Kilty Esquires

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Henry Ridgely Esqr. Fifty pounds for one quarter's Salary as a Member of the Council due the 1st. instant,

That the said Treasurer pay to John Davidson Esqr. Fifty pounds for one quarter's Salary as a Member of the Council due the 1st. inst,

That the said Treasurer pay to John Randall Two pounds, seven shillings and six pence due him per Account passed by the Auditor General,

That the said Treasurer pay to Robert Denny Fifty pounds for one quarter's Salary as Auditor Gen'l. due the 1st. instant.

Henry Ridgely Esquire having declined to act as a Justice of the Orphans Court of Ann Arundel County,

Thomas Jenings Esquire was appointed and

Commission issued to Thomas Jenings, William Harwood and John Griffith Worthington Justices of the Orphans Court of Ann Arundel County.

Friday 4th. February 1791

The Hon'ble. John Davidson Esqr. attended.

Saturday 5th. February 1791

The Council met.  
Pres't. Henry Ridgely  
John Davidson  
John Kilty Esquires [p. 270]

It is this Day agreed to employ Samuel Chase Esqr. as Counsel for the State in the suit instituted in the supreme federal Court by Messrs. Van Staphorst of Amsterdam, and to allow Mr. Chase for his services one hundred Guineas, and to pay his travelling and board expences while attending the said suit.

The Council adjourned 'till Monday morning.