

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson jun'r. One hundred pounds for six Months Salary as Clerk of the Council due the 1st. instant.

That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson jun'r. Twenty four pounds, eleven shillings and six pence part of an Account passed by the Auditor General the 9th. instant.

That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Johnson jun'r. Twenty six pounds balance of an Account passed by the Auditor General the 9th. instant

The Council adjourned 'till tomorrow morning.

Tuesday 12th. May 1789

The Council met.

Present as on Yesterday.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Mordeica [*sic*] Price Two pounds, two shillings for the like sum paid into the Treasury [p. 72 *sic*] for Caution on a Land Warrant, taken out in the name of Mary Cole per Warrant produced.

In Council May 12th. 1789

By the Petition of Benedict Sanders of Charles County and by a transcript of the Court Record accompanying the Same, it appears that he has been fined the sum of twenty pounds Current Money for assaulting and beating Smallwood Thompson a constable in the execution of his duty—The Petitioner represents that he was led into the Offence by a prevailing opinion, that a person might lawfully repel the attempt of an Officer to serve a process for Debt, after having warned him to keep off at his Peril—He further represents that the said Smallwood Thompson has commenced a civil action against him for Assault and Battery, and that to pay the said fine together with the Costs arising, will be the ruin of his family—And four Magistrates with a number of other respectable Inhabitants of the said County having certified the truth of the facts, and his low Circumstances, the Board in consideration of his poverty do direct that of the above fine the Sum of fifteen pounds be remitted.

J. E. Howard
James Brice
John Davidson
J. Kilty

The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Wednesday 13th. May 1789

The Council met.

Present as on Yesterday.

Order that the western Shore Treasurer pay to Solomon Wright Esquire Fifty pounds for one Quarter's Salary as one of the Judges of the Court of Appeals due the 1st Instant.

The Council adjourned 'till tomorrow morning.

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Thursday 14th. May 1789

The Council met.

Present as on Yesterday.

The Council adjourned 'till tomorrow morning.