

In Council March 23d. 1792

The Petition of David Armstrong of Baltimore County was taken into Consideration, setting forth that from various Accidents in Trade, he was reduced to the necessity of applying to the Chancellor for the benefit of the Insolvent Act, after which to gain an honest living he kept a boarding house where Gentlemen from town and Country met to transact business, and when he was required, sent out for liquors for them, which was drank in his house without any intention of defrauding the Public of it's dues, that some Persons after having drank [p. 48] in the house, threw some Money to his wife without his knowledge, and at last Court he was presented and fined on two indictments Six hundred pounds of Tobacco and thirty shillings for each, that from the causes first mentioned he is unable to pay the said fines. A Certificate from the Clerk of the County of the fines, and three of the Justices of the Court recommending him as a proper object of Clemency the Board do order and direct a remission of the aforesaid fines, on the payment of all Costs arising thereon.

James Brice
H. Ridgely
J. H. Stone
John Davidson

Monday 2d. April 1792

The Council met.

Present the Governor
Mr Ridgely
Mr Stone
Mr Davidson

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Benjamin Mackall Esq'r Fifty pounds for a quarters salary as one of the Judges of the Court of Appeals due the 1st Feb'y last

The Auditor is requested to issue a Certificate to Hugh Doyle late a Private in the 7th Regiment for his [p. 49] depreciation of pay and to deliver the same to the Treasurer of the western shore.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the western shore deliver to Hugh Doyle above, the Certificate issued in his name for depreciation of pay.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Mrs Mary Hilleary, widow of Lieut. Rignal Hilleary, Twelve pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence for half pay due her to the 16th January, the time of her Marriage, per Account passed by the Auditor,

That the said Treasurer pay to John Petty and Co. One pound twelve shillings and ten pence half penny due him per Account passed by the Auditor,

That the said Treasurer pay to the Rev'd Mr Higinbothom Four pounds five shillings for Tuition of Thomas Walley at St Johns College per Account passed by the Auditor,

That the said Treasurer pay to John Randall Ten pounds, eight shillings for sundries furnished Thomas Walley per Account passed by the Auditor.

Tuesday 3d. April 1792

The Council met.

Present as on yesterday.