

Friday 6th. April 1792

The Council met.

Present His Excellency Thomas Sim Lee Esquire
Mr Brice
Mr Ridgely
Mr Davidson

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Edward Roberts Three pounds, fifteen shillings due him per Account passed by the Auditor,

That the said Treasurer pay to William Sewell two pounds, ten shillings due him per Account passed by the Auditor,

That the said Treasurer pay to James Cowan Eighteen pounds and one penny half penny Curr't Money due him on Account passed by the Auditor General. [p 60] Commissions issued to Richard Willson as Register of Wills for Queen Anns County, and to

James Price Register of Wills for Talbot County appointed by the General Assembly.

Monday 9th. April 1792

The Council met.

Present Mr. Brice
Mr Ridgely
Mr Davidson

In Council April 9th. 1792

Joshua Knight of Baltimore County by his Petition sets forth that he entered into a recognizance in the sum of ten pounds current Money for the appearance of his Brother David Knight at Baltimore County Criminal Court November term 1790, at which Term the said David Knight attended agreeably to the tenor of the recognizance and which was respited to the next term, that at the next term being January Term 1791 he the Petitioner was out of the County and his not being called upon the first term he had reason to believe he was discharged from the said recognizance and that his Brother David Knight did not appear at the second term as he did not know the recognizance was respited at which said term last mentioned the recognizance was forfeited, and he the Petitioner is now under execution for the same and that he [p. 61] is unable to discharge the forfeiture, and if not relieved that it will totally ruin him. The Board taking into consideration the recommendation of three of the Justices of the said Court, and the recommendation of several of the Inhabitants of the said County on account of his low Circumstances, do order and direct that the forfeiture aforesaid of ten pounds Current Money be remitted upon the Petitioner's paying all the Costs arising on the said Recognizance.

James Brice
H. Ridgely
John Davidson

Tuesday 10th. April 1792

The Council met.

Present as on yesterday.