

It being Represented to this Board that Mr Robt
 Mason the present Sheriff of St Marys County hath by
 several Orders for his Majestys Service been sent for but
 through Sickness hath been Incapacitated to come & since
 that he hath been Observed to be a Busy Man of Conscience
 & managing his Business & hath Neglected by Dis-
 ability not Complied with to make up his Treasurers Acco^t

The said Mr Mason is not thought fit to be any
 longer continued in his Majestys Service therefore Orders that
 the said Mr Mason be dismissed from further executing
 that Office & that Jew Coll Sterry Low be constituted
 & Commissionated High Sheriff of the said County in
 his stead & that a Commission with the other Usual In-
 struments Issue out of the Honble the Secretaries Office
 Accordingly

The Representation of his Majestys Honble Council
 concerning the want of more Counsellors being taken into
 Consideration it is thought that Major John Hammond
 & Captain Richard Hill of Ann Arundell County Capt
 Thomas Taster of Talbot County & Mr Francis Jenkins
 of Somerset County may be fit & Capable persons to serve in
 that Station & to be represented to his most sacred Majes-
 ty for his Royal Approbation & Assent. Ordered that the
 Respective Naval Officers within this his Majestys Pro-
 vince take Care to keep Copies of the Registers of all Ships
 unto them produced & transmit the same among other
 Papers & Bonds which by Law they are Directed to trans-
 mit unto the Port of Annapolis in Order to be kept among
 the other Shipping Papers Lodged in the Clerk of the Coun-
 cils Office in the New State House Ordered that the Kings
 Comptrolers Comitt of Coy Randolph has not by his Com-
 missions and Instructions to the Surveyors of this Province