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Believing that the Act of Assembly to prevent excessive and dissolute gaming had become a dead Letter and that it had been in a great measure virtually repealed and being well assured that in the public houses in general through this State gaming was allowed and no punishment inflicted on the owners of the houses, they at the earnest sollicitation of their customers permitted them to play at Cards in their houses, that their conduct did not proceed from any contumacious inclination in them to violate any Law of the Land, but from the causes aforesaid and produce a Recommendation from seven Magistrates of the said County that their Fines may be remitted. This Board taking the same into Consideration do order and direct that Benjamin Morgaw, George Howell Leigh and Patrick Garberry be discharged from the Fines abovementioned and that all proceedings on the said Proseutments cease, on their paying the legal Fees. -

Thursday 17th October 1782

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Peter Smith seven pounds, ten Shillings - Andrew Buchanan ninety pounds - and Jacob Long ten pounds, Specie agreeable to the Act to adjust the Debts due from this State per Account passed. -

That the said Treasurer pay to John Moon five hundred and four pounds, seventeen Shillings and seven pence Specie agreeable to the Act aforesaid, due on a Certificate adjusted the 13th Instant -

That the said Treasurer pay to John Rawlings seventy eight pounds, eighteen Shillings Specie agreeable to the Act aforesaid per Account passed, the 14th Instant

That the said Treasurer pay to Simon Bowman five pounds fourteen Shillings and one penny Specie out of the twenty thousand pounds appropriated for the payment of Creditors of a particular description due him for Money lent in June 1780 per Certificate adjusted. -

That the said Treasurer pay to Nicholas Valiant eleven pounds, five Shillings Specie due him on Account passed for transporting Troops to Head of Elk. -

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt William Middleton one hundred and four pounds, twelve Shillings and ten pence Specie due on Account passed. -

John McMillon who enlisted in the Service of this State in 1776 as a State Soldier, is hereby discharged. -

Commission issued to Samuel Abell junior elected Sheriff of Saint Marys County. -

Friday 10th October 1782

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Benjamin Fendall Sen.^r four hundred and sixty six pounds, twelve Shillings and four pence and Mr. May Ireland ten pounds, ten Shillings Specie agreeable to the Act to adjust the Debts due from this State per Certificate & Account passed the 16 Instant -

That the said Treasurer pay to John Smith thirteen pounds, ten Shillings & six pence Specie agreeable to the Act aforesaid per Account passed. -