

The General Assembly of Maryland on Saturday the Twenty second Day of November 1783 having unanimously rechosen William Paca Esquire Governor, He qualified the same Day in the Senate House in the presence of the Members of the General Assembly by taking the jurat Oath required by the Constitution & Forms of Government and the Laws of this State, and by subscribing a Declaration of his Belief in the Christian Religion.

On Monday the Twenty fourth of November 1783. The General Assembly elected Jeremiah Townley Chase, Gabriel Duwall, John Hopkin Stone James Brui and Benjamin Ogle Esquires to be Council to the Governor

Wednesday 3 December 1783

Gabriel Duwall, John Hopkin Stone and James Brui Esquires, elected Members of the Council, severally qualified before Allen Luyam Esq one of the Justices of the Supreme Court by taking the jurat Oath required by the Constitution & Forms of Government and Laws of this State, and by subscribing a Declaration of their Belief in the Christian Religion, and a Certificate of their Qualification produced and filed. —

W. Thomas Johnson Junior appointed Clerk of the Council, and a Certificate of his Qualification produced and filed. —

W. Jubb Fowler appointed Messenger. —

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Doct William Baker Eighteen pounds, five shillings and eleven pence current money, each for two years Interest on a Certificate issued agreeably to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State" issued and dated 20th August 1701 numbered 132 and ending 20 Aug. 1703.

That the said Treasurer pay to the said Doct. William Baker Eighty five pounds, one shilling and ten pence farthing current money for one year Interest on a Certificate issued agreeably to the Act aforesaid, issued and Dated 17 Oct. 1701 numbered 191 ending 17 October 1703.

That the said Treasurer pay to Gabriel Duwall Esq. promotion pounds, six shillings and ten pence half penny current money for one year Interest on a Certificate issued under the Act aforesaid numbered 210 ending 3 November 1702

That the said Treasurer issue Certificates agreeably to the Act proposing to the Citizens of this State, Creditors of Congress due to William Somersville for Two hundred and fifty nine pounds, ten shillings and six pence three farthings and to John Cole for Fifty six pounds, eleven shillings and one penny farthing due them on Continental Loan Office Certificates adjusted by the Aud. General 14th Nov. last

That the said Treasurer issue a Certificate to Richard Graves agreeably to the Act aforesaid for Four hundred and seventy nine pounds, Twelve shillings and nine pence three farthings due on a Continental Loan Office Certificate adjusted by the Aud. General 7th November last

Tuesday 9th December 1703.

Present the Honble Gabriel Duwall & John Hopkin Stone Esquires. —