

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to John Shaw Thirty pounds for purchasing Wood for the General Assembly & public Officers and to be accounted for.

That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Jones Esquire fifty pounds for one quarter Salary as one of the Judges of the Court of Appeals due the 1<sup>st</sup> Instant.

The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 1788.

The Council met.

Present

His Excellency William Smallwood Esquire  
The Honorable { James Brice }  
                          { John Killy } Esquires  
                          { John Davidson }  
                          { Benj. Harrison }

In Council November 7<sup>th</sup> 1788

Agreeably to the Resolution entered into on the 30<sup>th</sup> October last the Board met to enquire into the Election for Sheriffs in Frederick County, when Peter Manly Esquire, the Sheriff elect, delivered a paper in the following words "I hereby release and quit claim to any & all Objections to the Election for Sheriffs held at Free Town the first Monday in October last Witness my Hand this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1788 John Ritchie" - the Clerk likewise lays before the Board a letter from Mr Ritchie desiring leave to withdraw his Petition and declaring himself ready to pay any costs that may have accrued - Whereupon it is ordered that the petition of John Ritchie be dismissed, and that the Clerk take the necessary steps to procure the payment of costs by Mr Ritchie's

Commission issued to Peter Manly elected Sheriff of Frederick County

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to John Shaw Sixty Six pounds, Seven shillings and eleven pence balance of Account and his per Account passed by the Auditor General.

(Ordered)