

3 o'clock P.M.

The Council met

The Board proceeded farther in hearing Counsel re-
specting the election in Charles County for Sheriffs

The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock

Tuesday 1 November 1791

The Council met

Present as on yesterday

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to Sam. C
Chase Esq^r Eighty seven pounds, ten shillings current Money on account
being one half of the sum that this Board agreed to give him for act-
ing as Counsel with the Attorney General for this State in the Suit
depending between the Mess^{rs} Van Staphorck and the State

That the said Treasurer pay to John Davidson
Esquire Fifty pounds for one quarter's Salary as a member of the Council

The Counsel having concluded their observations re-
specting the election in Charles County for Sheriffs

The Council adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock

Wednesday 2 November 1791

The Council met

Present as on yesterday

The question was taken "that a new election for
Sheriffs in Charles County be ordered agreeably to the prayer of the Petition
determined in the negative" and Commission issued to James
Simms the Sheriff elect as Sheriff of Charles County

The Board then proceeded to tax the costs arising on the
afore said examination when it was determined that the three Petitioners
and the Sheriff, should pay the same in equal proportions and that
each of the Witnesses be allowed four Days itenrant charges

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to Randolph W.
Latimer Fifty pounds for one quarter's salary as a member of the Council