

The Board being in possession of the returns from the Counties of Frederick and Montgomery of an Election held for the choice of a Representative of the third District to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Uriah Forrest Esquire, by which it appears that the Honble Benjamin Edwards Esquire was Elected.

It is therefore declared that Benjamin Edwards Esquire is duly Elected a Representative of this State in the Congress of the United States Given & sent under the Great Seal to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States.

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Monday December the 29<sup>th</sup> 1794.

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honble William Pinkney, John Davidson, James Brice and Henry Ridgely.

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Christopher Richmond Esquire Thirteen pounds Thirteen shillings and four pence for his Salary as a Member of the Council from the sixth day of October to the first of November last.

Ordered, by the Governor, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. Thomas Wally Twenty five pounds in part of the sum of one hundred pounds allowed him for the present year by a Resolution of the General Assembly.

On notice of the Death of Thomas Merrick late Clerk of the Court of Appeals together with several applications for the said office Resolved that on Monday the fifth day of January next the Board will proceed to appoint a Clerk to the Court of Appeals.

Mirian Cochran was Commissioned a Coroner of Allegany County.

It being represented that two of the Commissioners of the Tax for Allegany County, to wit, Mess<sup>rs</sup> Beall and Cresap are disabled from acting in that capacity by being at the same time Delegates to the General Assembly. Aquila Carle Brown is appointed a Commissioner of the Tax for the County aforesaid, who in conjunction with Andrew Bruce already appointed may proceed according to law to choose a third Commissioner.