

By the Petition of Thomas Rose of Prince Georges County accompanied by a Transcript of the Proceedings of the Court of the said County, it appears that at April Term one thousand seven hundred and Ninety two he entered into a Recognizance with James Waring his Security each in the sum of ten pounds conditioned for the appearance of said Rose to answer unto a Presentment against him for selling liquors contrary to Law and that at September Term 1796 the said Recognizance was forfeited. The Petitioner states that he has been for many years an Inn Keeper and had properly demanded himself always paying the usual license as prescribed by Law that before the year 1792 he was by accident prevented from taking out the usual annual license and in consequence presented. The Petitioner further states that waiting the event of a trial, he attended Court after Court for sundry Courts at neither of which Courts the evidence on behalf of the State appeared, that being unacquainted with the Proceedings of Court, and not in a situation to employ an Attorney and thinking the business at an end from the non attendance of the Evidence, declined on his part any further attendance, when to his utter astonishment he was fined and executed for the same. He therefore prays to be released from the said Recognizance. The Board on consideration of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do order and direct a Remission of the said forfeited Recognizance and that the said Thomas Rose and James Waring his Security be released therefrom.

Wm Pitty
James Thomas
John Davidson

Wednesday August the 16. 1797

The Honble James Thomas, James Brice and John Johnson appeared in the Council Room.

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. Frederick Lynn one hundred and twenty five pounds, for one quarters Salary as Printer to the State, due the first instant.

Saturday August the 19. 1797

The Council met. Present The Honble James Thomas, John Davidson, James Brice and John Johnson.

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. Edward Roberts seven pounds for going as Express to Baltimore and George Town.

Monday August the 21. 1797

The Honble James Thomas and John Davidson appeared in the Council Room.