

two pounds five shillings for attending the clock at the government House, as  
account paid by the Auditor.

Friday November the 23.

His Excellency The Governor and The honorable James Thomas, and Jonathan A. W. appeared in the Council Room.

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Colonel John H. Stone, the sum of one hundred and twenty six pounds seven shillings and three pence, for nine months half pay, due the first instant.

Saturday November 24.

The Council met. Present His Excellency The Governor and The honorable John Davidson, James Thomas and Jonathan A. Wilmer.

Monday November the 26. 1798

The Council met. Present as on Saturday.

By his Excellency Benjamin Ogle Governor of Maryland  
A Proclamation

Whereas it has been represented to me that the Dwelling House of Joshua Gist of Frederick County was on the seventh instant, between the Hours of eight and nine of Clock consumed by fire, and that some malicious person or persons are supposed to have wilfully set fire to the same. I have therefore thought proper by and with the advice and consent of the Council to issue this my Proclamation hereby offering a Reward of one hundred dollars to any person who shall discover the Perpetrator or Perpetrators thereof, so that he she or they or any of them be convicted thereof. Given in Council at the City of Annapolis under the Seal of the State of Maryland this twenty sixth day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety eight.

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Thursday November the 29. 1798

The Council met. Present The honorable John Davidson, James Thomas and Jonathan A. Wilmer.

Ordered by the Governor, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Captain James Bruff, the sum of forty five pounds for six months half pay, due the first instant.

Wednesday December the 4

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The honorable John Davidson, James Thomas and Jonathan A. Wilmer.