

Thursday December the 13.

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

The Board being in possession of the Returns from the Counties of Queen Anne's Talbot & Caroline of an Election held on the twenty sixth day and continued by adjournment on the twenty ninth day of November last inclusive for the choice of a Representative of the seventh District in the Congress of the United States to supply the vacancy occasioned by the death of the honorable Joshua Inry by which it appears that the Honorable Joseph H. Nicholson was elected. Therefore it is declared that the said Joseph H. Nicholson is duly elected a Representative of this State in the Congress of the United States. Given in Council at the City of Annapolis, under the Seal of the State of Maryland this thirtieth day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety eight.

Which was sent to the honorable Jonathan Dayton Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States.

Tuesday December the 19.

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

James Dimmitt was appointed Agent to go to Philadelphia to receive William Delaware.

Monday December the 25.

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

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to John Fallahan, Esquire the sum of one hundred and ten pounds eighteen shillings and one penny and a half penny as per account passed by the Auditor.

Henry Whitcraft was appointed Notary public for Anne Arundel County in the room of Robert Johnson deceased, and Commission issued to him accordingly.

Monday December the 31.

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

James C. Maynard was appointed Coroner for Anne Arundel County in the room of Henry Whitcraft resigned, and Commission issued to him accordingly.

Nicholas White armour for the State at Frederick.