

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Captain James Sommersell twenty two pounds ten shillings for one quarters half pay due the first day of November last.

Saturday December 7. 1799

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honble Thomas Buchanan, Arthur Shaaff, Jonathan R. Wilmer, James Thomas and John Davidson.

Henry Barrow was appointed Surveyor of Dorchester County in the room of William Barrow resigned, and Commission issued to him accordingly.

Thursday December 12. 1799

The Council met Present as on Saturday.

Received and approved a Bond from Potomac Company. Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Green English and Co. twenty pounds nine shillings for printing done for the State, as per account passed by the Auditor.

Friday December 13. 1799

The Council met. Present as on Yesterday

James D. Robins was Commissioned Register of Wills for Worcester County.

Saturday December 14. 1799

Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honble Thomas Buchanan and Arthur Shaaff.

Richard Barroll was Commissioned Register of Wills for Kent County in the room of John Nicholson resigned.

Tuesday December 17. 1799

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and all the Members

William F. Lewis was appointed one of the Coronors for Calvert County, and Commission issued to him accordingly.

Whereas we have received intelligence of the death of our illustrious fellow Citizen General George Washington. Resolved, that the Executive as a tribute of grateful respect to his memory will go into mourning on the occasion.