

Friday November the 12. 1802

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

Ordered that in making all appointments, the same shall be decided by Ballot, if required by any Member, and upon all other questions, the opinion of the Board shall be taken by the Governor or presiding Member of the Board, beginning with the last named Member, and so proceeding till the question is decided, and if required by a Member, the question shall be stated, and the names entered in the affirmative or Negative as they shall respectively vote.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Lazareus Hammond the sum of eight hundred pounds fifteen shillings for one year and one quarter's half pay due the first instant.

John F. Mercer

Saturday November the 13. 1802

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

William Wilson of William was appointed a Justice of the orphans Court for Harford County vice John Forward resigned, and Commission issued to William Smith of William, John Moores, and William Wilson of William, as Justices of the orphans Court for said County.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Abraham Gambell seven hundred pounds five shillings for one year and quarters half pay due the first instant

John F. Mercer

Tuesday November the 16. 1802

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honble Francis Digges, Allen B. Duckett, Revindy Ghoulson and Edward Hall.

Sett Hill Ewitt was appointed a Justice of the orphans Court for Caroline County, vice Thomas Mason, Coquire, resigned, and Commission issued to Francis Sellers, Solomon Brown and Sett Hill Ewitt as Justices of the orphans Court for said County.

John F. Mercer

The Council met. Present as on yesterday.

The following persons were appointed Justices of the Peace for Saint Marys County and Commission issued to them accordingly.