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The Honorable Court Present His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Clergy of the said Court Lewis Duwall and Benjamin Hodges

By the Petition of William Floyd of Saint Marys County accompanied by Transcripts from the Proceedings of the Court of the said County it appears that he was fined at March Term last for several Cases the Sum of six pounds Current Money in each case for retailing Spirituous Liquor without license. The Petitioner states that his father before Floyd obtained a license at March Term eighteen hundred and eight to retail Spirituous liquors that he the said William Floyd being with his father attended to that business for his father and continued to retail from March eighteen hundred and eight till the March following under his fathers direction and under the impression of his said father as he has made oath to the satisfaction of the Court that the license which he had obtained was in force for a year or more from the date thereof not knowing that the law would not pass through the granting such license at March Term but for the space of four Months and believing also that he had paid the amount of such license for one year. The Petitioner states that he had no intention of violating the law and that he cannot with any great inconvenience pay the fines. The Board on consideration of the circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do remit the said fines.

Respectfully
Lewis Duwall
Benjamin Hodges

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to John Brewer Esquire the Sum of twenty eight pounds ten shillings and six pence for one quarters Salary as Clerk of the House of Delegates due the first Instant.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the Honorable Benjamin Hodges the Sum of fifty pounds for one quarters Salary as a Member of the Council due as above.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr Joseph Dawson the Sum of three pounds fifteen shillings for one quarters half pay due as above.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Captain Perry Benson the Sum of twenty two pounds ten shillings for one quarters half pay due as above.

Edward Floyd

Monday August 21 1809

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