

Wednesday July the 24 1811

The Honorable John Stephen and Reverdy Ghieselin appeared in the Council Room.

Friday July the 26 1811

The Honorable John Stephen and Reverdy Ghieselin appeared in the Council Room.

Monday July the 29 1811

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honorable John Stephen James Butcher Reverdy Ghieselin George E. Mitchell and Thomas W. Hall.

Elisha Parker was appointed a Justice of the Peace for Somerset County and Commission issued accordingly to John Leatherbury of Charles James Bennett Henry James Carroll Tubman Lewis William Rufus William William Benjamin Conner Peter Dashiell William Curtis Adam Mui Elzey John Dashiell of Jesse Josiah W. Heath Charles Jones of Robert Isaac Cooper George Biggen Jesse Townsend Charles Matter Littleton Ayres Burton Cannon John Wilkoni Martin Luther Harie Robert Lemmon George D. Walter George Jones of Robert Joseph Dashiell John Biggen Job Allen Benjamin Jones William Brown Travis Daniel William Evans Shiler Crockett George Brown Joseph Morris George Collier and Elisha Parker as Justices of the Peace for Somerset County.

By the Petition of Stephen Richardson of Queen Anne's County it appears that a bill was found by the Grand Jury of Queen Anne's County at May Term eighteen hundred and ten against him for violating the laws of the State passed for the purpose of preventing gambling and that the Court of the said County fined him two hundred Dollars. The Petitioner states that he has never been the owner of any gambling table and that he accidentally made use of what is generally called a figure table on which occasion small sums only were betted. The Petitioner states that he is a poor Man with a Wife and three children, and that the payment of so heavy a sum would bring distress and want upon himself and family - that he was ignorant of the provisions of the law in question. That he does not pursue the practice of keeping a gambling table and he sincerely promises never to do the like again. The Board in consideration of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do remit the said fine

John Stephen George E. Mitchell

James Butcher Thomas W. Hall

Reverdy Ghieselin

By the Petition of John Mitchell and Thomas C. Nally of Charles County it appears that they entered into a Recognizance in the sum of twenty five pounds each for the appearance of Wilfred Nottingham at Charles County Court at August Term eighteen hundred and nine and good behaviour to Margery Hammond. The Petitioners state that the said Nottingham altho' attending at the seat of Justice, did not hear or call on his said Recognizance, and knowing that the Surety of the Peace...