

small children to support. That the said Union has promised in future to be peace-
and orderly in his deportment and that he will avoid committing any breach
The Peace. and has recommended a remission of nine Dollars and fifty cents of
the said fine. The Board on consideration do remit nine Dollars and a half
of said fine of ten Dollars.

John Stephen
Reverdy G. Swelin
Thomas W. Hall
George E. Mitchell

Tuesday November the 5/1811

The Council met Present His Excellency The Governor and The Honorable John
Stephen, Reverdy G. Swelin, Thomas W. Hall and George E. Mitchell.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the honorable Thomas W.
Hall the sum of fifty pounds for one quarter salary as a Member of the Council
due the first Instant.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. Robert Welch of
Bren the sum of one hundred and nineteen Dollars and seventy nine and a
third cents in full for his expenses and services in superintending the trans-
portation of the States arms from Philadelphia to Annapolis as per account
passed by the Auditor General.

By the Petition of Peter Fairbanks and several respectable persons inhabitants
of Talbot County it appears that the said Peter Fairbanks was fined by the
Court of the said County the sum of sixteen Dollars for selling spirituous
liquors without licence. The Petitioners state the said Fairbanks is a very poor
and industrious Man, a cripple with a Wife and four small children
dependant on him for support. That from the kindness and liberality of
his Neighbours he has been enabled to purchase a small quantity of liquor
by selling which he has received some trifling pecuniary advantage and
been enabled to supply his family with common necessaries. That he is at
periods confined to his bed and unable to do any thing for four or five Months
at a time. That unless he should be relieved by the interposition of the
Executive he apprehends he must go to Gaol. The Board on consideration
of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the
said County do remit the said fine of sixteen Dollars.

John Stephen
Reverdy G. Swelin
Thomas W. Hall
George E. Mitchell