

Thursday March the 12 1812

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Saturday March the 14 1812

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Monday March the 16 1812

The Council met. Present the Honorable George E. Mitchell John Stephen & T. W. Hall
 The State of Maryland to the Sheriff of Harford County greeting. Whereas a certain
 David Rosworth is charged with the crime of feloniously stealing and carrying away
 a Negro Man slave named Charles the property of a religious association called Sun
 derland Congregation by the affidavits of Charles Penick and John Williamson
 inhabitants of the Commonwealth of Virginia. And Whereas it has been represented
 to us by the Honorable Charles H. Mallory Lieutenant Governor of the said State of
 Virginia that the said David Rosworth has fled from that State from Justice and is now
 confined in the Jail of Harford County in this State and the said Charles H. Mallory
 Esquire hath in pursuance of the Constitution of the United States and the Act of Congress
 Entitled An Act respecting fugitives from Justice and persons escaping from the service
 of their Masters demanded of us that the said David Rosworth be delivered up to
 Mr. James Johns who has been appointed by the Executive of the said State of Virginia
 Agent to remove the said David Rosworth to the said State having jurisdiction of the crime
 wherewith he is charged. You are therefore hereby commanded to deliver the said David
 Rosworth (upon his being identified) to the said James Johns to be removed to the said
 State there to answer the charge exhibited against him as aforesaid: and how you shall
 execute this order you shall notify to us with all convenient despatch. Given in Council
 at the City of Annapolis under the Seal of the State of Maryland this fifteenth day of
 March in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

attest
Nathan Burdette
Clerk of the Council

George E. Mitchell
President of the Council

Theodore Dent was appointed Inspector of Tobacco at Pocomoke in the County of
 Charles County in the room of Henry Stonecut decessed and
 William Williams was appointed a Judge of the District Court of the County of