

Jacob Franklin Surwit John Chew Thomas Isaac Dorsey and Thom. H. Dorsey as Justices of the Levy Court for said County.

By the Petition of James Tuit and John Bell of Worcester County it appears that they were fined by the Court of the said County at November term 1812 the sum of five Dollars each and sentenced the first to three Months imprisonment and the last to one Month imprisonment for a Debt. The Petitioners state that they are poor and have families whose daily support entirely depends upon their labour. that they sincerely regret the impropriety of their conduct and feel a deep sorrow for the same. that they are now in confinement and unless relieved by the Executive the sufferings of themselves and families must be great. The Board on consideration of the circumstances of the case and from the recommendation of a number of respectable persons inhabitants of the said County do release the said James Tuit and John Bell from the said fines of five Dollars each.

Alexander C. Magruder
Thomas G. Addison
William H. Ward.

The Council postponed the further consideration of Justices of the Peace and other officers of annual appointment till to morrow.

Tuesday December the 1/1812

The Council met Present His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Alexander C. Magruder, William H. Ward William Bond Martin and Thomas G. Addison.

The claim of Thomas Gough for carrying arms to Saint Marys and Charles Counties being exhibited and the Board being satisfied that by a contract with the former Executive he was to receive eighty Dollars for carrying the same. ordered that an order for payment thereof be given. Order issued accordingly.

ordered that the Treasurers of the Western Shore pay to Doctor Richard W. Hall the sum of one hundred and forty nine Dollars and forty cents it being the amount of his Medical Account for visiting and examining and for the Prisoners confined in the Penitentiary House from the third of August eighteen hundred and twelve to the third day of November last.

ordered the consideration of the appointment of Justices of the Peace.