

Agreed  
Charles  
By the Governor

great Seal of the State of Maryland, this twenty third day of  
July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
fifty sixth.

Geor<sup>d</sup> Howard

The Clerk of the Council.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay David Ridgely  
in order eight dollars for Catalogues of the Law Books and Labels for the  
classification of the Library, & amount allowed.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay Jonas  
Green in order three hundred and twenty eight dollars for printing forms  
in Blank for Military returns, for the Adjutant General, & amount  
allowed.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay Washington  
Clark in order two hundred and nineteen dollars thirty cents, viz \$68.25  
for 2000 for the Law and Councils of the Legislature, \$6.50 for firing Salute  
on the 1st July, \$15 for firing minute gun as a testimony of respect for  
the late Governor, \$8.50 for firing Cannon the qualification of  
Governor Howard, \$10 for putting a lock on the Gallery Door of the  
House of Delegates, \$31.50 for Casting Rifles from the War and padding  
them away, \$3.50 for repairing Case of Light, \$13.50 for repairing Shelves  
in the Library, \$50.75 for Boxes for safety and carrying the same to the  
Magazine, \$2.25 for paint for the House of Delegates, \$2.44 for  
Blank & Mail for alterations in the Library, \$6.62 for commission on the  
expedition of \$110.26, the foregoing being amount allowed.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay Daniel  
West in order five dollars viz \$4.75 for binding two books 19 copies of the  
Laws of the last General Assembly, for the same 75 Cts, and 25 Cts for one  
quart of Ink for the Executive, & amount allowed.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay John  
McWhorter in order six dollars and fifty cents viz for binding books  
for the Library under the direction of Deacons Copying 1827 \$16.00 \$32.50  
for binding 30 numbers of the National Intelligencer \$1.50 for binding  
two volumes of the Laws in order in 1830 by order of James  
Murray Esquire, 25 cents for extra lettering and binding the Laws of  
Virginia 25 Cts, & amount allowed.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay  
Henry Thompson in order one dollar for Ink for the Executive &  
amount allowed.