

The Council appointed Thomas Culbreth their Clerk; who thereupon qualified as such, by taking the Oath prescribed by the Constitution of this State, before William McNeil Esquire, one of the State of Maryland's Justices of the Peace in and for Anne Arundel County, and by repeating and subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian Religion.

On the nomination of His Excellency the Governor, and by and with the advice and consent of the Council Henry Thompson was appointed Messenger of the Council: who thereupon qualified as such, by taking the Oath prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of this State, before William McNeil Esquire, one of the State of Maryland's Justices of the Peace in and for Anne Arundel County, and by repeating and subscribing a declaration of his belief in the Christian Religion.

Wednesday January 20. 1836

The Council met. Present the same as on yesterday.

On the nomination of His Excellency the Governor, and by and with the advice and consent of the Council, the following Military appointments were made and commissions issued accordingly viz.

For the first Regiment of Riflemen; Baltimore City  
William G. Cooke Lieutenant Colonel Vice-Medical Promoter.

For the 5th Regiment of Volunteer Infantry; Baltimore City  
Henry S. Sanderson Captain of the Independent Volunteers.  
Simon Wodge 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Edward J. Richardson 2<sup>nd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Josiah Small - 3<sup>rd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Charles Howard Captain of the first Mechanical Volunteers.  
Elias T. Griffin 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
John Wesley Watkins 2<sup>nd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Jesse Sumwalt - 3<sup>rd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Michael Earnest 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. of the Independent Blues ~ ~ ~  
Joseph Krager - 3<sup>rd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
George W. King Captain of the first Baltimore Light Infantry  
Josiah Bailey 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Henry Caneker 2<sup>nd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Daniel McPhail 3<sup>rd</sup> Ditto ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~  
Thomas Cellaristt Ensign ~ ~ ~ Ditto ~ ~ ~