

April 12th 1856.

The Governor this day wrote to Messrs. Anthony White and Chas. L. M. Quinn of Baltimore respecting the validity of the contract entered into by Thomas R. Stewart late Commissioner of Lotteries with Richard France. See Letter Book.

14th

The Governor this day directed publication of Notice of Applications having been made to him for the Pardon of Richard Ainton, convicted at the May Term 1853 of the Criminal Court of Baltimore of assaulting and shooting Frederick Horst, and sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary till May 20th 1856. To be taken up on a after Monday May 5th 1856.

16th

The Governor this day approved the Official Bonds of Richard Hogg Inspector of Hay and Straw for the Western Hay scales in the City of Baltimore and of Samuel N. Waters Inspector of Tobacco Merchants No 5 Baltimore.

Same day the Governor transmitted to the State Comptroller the several Policies of Insurance on State Tobacco Warehouses in the City of Baltimore.

Same day the Governor remitted a Fine of five dollars imposed upon one Captain Ford of the schooner James S. Galt by H. H. Morris a Justice of the Peace for Baltimore City, for obstructing the Dock at Frederick's street in that City.

17th

The Governor issued, upon the Requisition of the Governor of Virginia, his Warrant to the Sheriff of Baltimore City or any other Sheriff of Maryland for the arrest of one J. H. Williamson, alias Edwards, a fugitive from Justice, and his delivery to Samuel N. Chipley Agent of the State of Virginia in that behalf.