

Robert Tate Second Lieutenant and Forrester Ensign of a Company of Militia in Queen Anne's County, belonging to the 20<sup>th</sup> Battalion.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Col. Henry Hollingworth of Cecil County five hundred pounds Common Money on account of his Contract to Manufacture Gun Barrels.

Ordered, That the said Treasurer pay to the said Hollingworth four pounds four Shillings and ten pence like Money, being the amount of his account for Carriage of Gun Powder from Christiana to Susquehanna.

Ordered, That Col. Smallwood be requested to send a sufficient Detachment to guard the Magazine near Capt. James Footes in the Neighbourhood of Annapolis.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Peter Letting Fifty Pounds Common Money on account of his Contract for making Muskets.

Adjourned till next Day 10 o'Clock.

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June 1740.

Met according to Adjournment. Present the same Members as on Yesterday.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Thomas Smyth Esq. Sixty Pounds Common Money to be lodged in the hands of the Committee of Observation for Kent County for the purpose of defraying the Expence of the Carriage of Gun powder from Indian River to Chestertown.

Ordered, That the said Treasurer pay to Thomas Smyth Esq. Forty two Pounds ten Shillings for 10 Muskets purchased by him for the use of the Province.

Copy of Letter N. 8. was sent to the Deputies of Maryland in Congress, a Copy of N. 9. to the Committee of Observation for Baltimore County.

Adjourned till Monday 10 o'Clock.

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1740.

Met according to Adjournment, Present the same Members as on Yesterday except Mr. Hall and Mr. Tilghman.

The Honble William Hayward Esq. a member of the Council attended and was qualified before Mr. Hall by taking the Oath prescribed by the Convention.

Copies of Letter N. 10. was sent to Brigadier General Hooper and Chamberlaine, Colonels Mackall, Barnes and Peems respectively, also to Captains Perjin Beall and John Allen Thomas.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. John Gasaway two hundred pounds Common Money for the use of Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Ware to be answered for.

Adjourned till next day 10 o'Clock.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 1740.

Met according to adjournment, Present the same Members as on Yesterday Mr. Hall and Mr. Tilghman attended.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Eastern Shore pay to Mr. Robert Gyppe Field Postmaster of the Regular Troops of the Eastern Shore Department, two thousand pounds Common Money.

Copy of Letter N. 11. was sent to William Hindman Esq. Treasurer of the Eastern