

mounting 14 Guns.

Ordered that the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Joseph White twenty eight pounds fifteen shillings, for Pike Staffs.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Oliver Whidow fifty five shillings for a musquet.

The Council Contract with William Goldsmith for the making five hundred Pair of Shoes at twelve shillings per pair, the said shoes to be delivered on the last day of January next.

Ordered that the Western Shore Treasurer pay to William Goldsmith one hundred and twenty five pounds in advance in consequence of the above Contract.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 15. was sent to Mr. Stephen Stewards.

Adjourned till next Day 10 o'clock

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November 1770.

Council met. Present as on Yesterday.

Ordered that the Contractor for the supply of provisions, furnish the Virginia Troops now in the City of Annapolis, and on their March to Philadelphia with three days provision.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Samuel Fischer thirty shillings Currency.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Joshua Comwell twenty nine pounds for plank sold Mr. Stephen Stewards for the use of this State.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Beniah (Maybury) twelve pounds nine shillings.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Mr. Hugh Gardner for the use of Captain Benjamin Philpott, thirty four pounds and ten pence.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 16 was sent to the Committee of Observation for Dorchester County, and Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 17 to Brigadier General Hooper.

Adjourned till next Day 10 o'clock.

Thursday 21, November 1770.

Council met. Present as on Yesterday.

Mr. Charles Wallace Howard produced and delivered to the Council, the following Receipt, to wit.

"Received 20<sup>th</sup> November 1770 of Mr. William Hindman Treasurer of the Eastern Shore by the hands of Mr. Charles W. Howard twelve thousand nine hundred and seventy pounds sixteen shillings and eight pence Currency in Bills of Credit.

Benj<sup>r</sup> Harwood jun<sup>r</sup>  
Ordered that the Treasurer of the Eastern Shore pay to Col. James Manning (forty two pounds Currency) to defray the expense of taking the number of souls in Dorchester County.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Brigadier General Hooper fifty pounds.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Major Thomas Muse fifty pounds.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 18 was sent to the Honorable John Hancock, President of Congress.