

Mr John Lillingston accused for a late tumultuous Riot and meeting at Talbot County Court House is also called in and thereof acquitted and discharged upon the acco<sup>t</sup> aforesaid with caution given him for his good and more orderly Behaviour for the future, and to encourage him heartily to joyne with the rest of their Majestys Subjects in Solemnization of the thanksgiving day appointed

Thomas Thurston late principal Military Officer in Baltimore County against whom severall complaints have been lately made for unruly and disorderly actions and behaviour in his place towards the Inhabitants of the County &c<sup>a</sup> is also called in and thereof acquitted and discharged and from his further attendance at this Board, but the publick Ammunition in his hands he is ordered and required to deliver quickly into the hands and possession of the chief Military Officer now there appointed according to Proclamation

Proposee the appointing a certain standing number of fixt Rangers upon the Frontier parts of the Country, to be in constant Service and their pay ascertained

Ordered that Six Men with two Officers be appointed in the most considerable and exposed Places on the Frontiers viz Capt<sup>m</sup> Rich<sup>d</sup> Brightwell with six men under his command well armed & provided to range from the head & Branches of Pottomuck to the branches of Pottuxent one other with six men more armed &c<sup>a</sup> as aforesaid from the head of Pottuxent to the head of Pottapsico and one more with the like number of men from thence to the head of Susquahanna River to be nominated and appointed, as also their pay agreed for and ascertained by his Excellency the Governor

To his Excellency Lionel Copley Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor and to the honourable their Majestys Council of Maryland

The petition of James Foster of Ann Arundell County most humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioner by his own hard Labour Pains and Industry (the only means he hath wherewith to support himself his Wife and Family) having acquired a small quantity of Tobacco sufficient to purchase a small piece of Land, wheron to seat himself and make future Provision for their sustentance, did