

By the Petition of John Bull of Harford County accompanied by a Transcript from the Proceedings of the Court of the said County it appears that he was presented at March Term last for selling spirituous liquors without licence and was fined the sum of six pounds current Money. The Petitioner states that he has been an inhabitant of the said County since the year 1754, has been a cripple 25 years, disabled in his left wrist, has had ten children and has been keeping tavern three or four years and was so advised that he was not able to take out a licence. The Petitioner states that he expected that the House where he lived would be sold and that he would be compelled to move. The Board on consideration of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do remit the said fine of six pounds.

Francis Diggis

Allen B. Duckett

Edward G. Giddens

Ordered, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the honorable Allen B. Duckett, fifty pounds for one quarter's salary as a Member of the Council: due the first instant.

Ordered, that the said Treasurer pay to Captain Robert Benny, the sum of seventy five pounds for one quarter's salary as Auditor General: due as above.

John F. Mercer

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Tuesday May 17 1803

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and The Honorable Francis Diggis, Allen B. Duckett, Edward Hall and Edward Giddens.

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Wednesday May the 18 1803

The Council met. Present as on Yesterday.

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Thursday May the 19 1803

The Council met. Present as on Yesterday.

On the application of James Gittings, Junior, of Baltimore County for a preference in the purchase of seventy acres of confiscated Land adjoining the first and second lots of my Lord Baltimore's Manor lying in the said County which is said to be liable to confiscation. The Board agreed to sell the State's Right to said land to said Gittings for the sum of one dollar per acre.