

Wednesday November the 23. 1803

The Council met. Present The Honble Allen. B. Duckett, Francis Biggs and Purdy Ghiselin.

By the Petition of Joshua Bolk of Caroline County accompanied by a Transcript from the Proceedings of the Court of the said County it appears that he was fined by the Court of the said County at October Term last on three presentments the sum of six pounds on each. The Petitioner states that he employed a certain Levin Wright to procure a licence for him to retail Spirituous liquors and gave him the Money for that purpose: that the said Levin Wright induced the Petitioner to believe that he had his licence, and told him that on a certain day he might proceed to sell: The Petitioner further states that fully confiding in the said Wright he began to sell liquors after the time mentioned above. The Board on consideration of which circumstances and from the recommendation of the Court of the said County do remit the said fines

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The Council resumed the consideration of the appointments of Justices of the Peace and other officers directed by the Constitution and laws to be appointed annually and not having come to a conclusion postponed the further consideration thereof till to Morrow.

#### Post Meridum

The Council met. Present as in the Morning.

On the application of Thomas Sparkes of Baltimore County for a preference in the purchase of part of a Tract of Land called Fair Play situate and being in Baltimore County beginning for the same at the end of the South thirty seven acres East twelve Poles line of the whole Tract and running thence with and bounding on the out lines of the whole Tract the three following Courses C. P. C. 145 P. N. 24. C. 141. P. S. P. W. 144. P. thence still. S. P. W. 36. P. thence N. 72. E. W. 88. p. to a marked Red oak thence N. 65. E. W. 43. E. p. to a marked White oak thence N. 27. 3/4. C. 34. P. to a Stone marked with the letter B and thence with a straight line to the first place of beginning containing thirty seven acres and three quarters and two Poles. The Board agreed to sell the State's right to said land for the sum of twenty five dollars and fifty cents.