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[W^m Paca in Council to The Intendant]

We think all the Articles lately imported from France on Account of the State (except the Arms, Accoutrements, and Tents) being of a perishable Nature, should be sold as early as Notice can be given to the People all over the State, the present being the proper Season to dispose of them: And as you have Apprehensions which appear to us to be well founded, that if they were sold on short Credit for Specie only, that the Purchasers, as has already been the Case in other Instances, might trump up Accounts against the State and insist upon discounting, or might insist upon making Payment in liquidated Certificates; we think it would be best, in Order to avoid all Disputes and to benefit the State, to sell the Articles for Specie, all Kinds of liquidated Certificates, Officers depreciation Certificates, Journal Certificates, such Soldiers Certificates as have not been transferred, all Orders on the Treasury and such of your own and the Financier's Notes and Certificates as you may think proper

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Tuesday 7th October 1783

Present His Excellency William Paca Esquire Governor
The Honorable Gabriel Duvall & James Brice Esquires.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to William Harwood Fifty pounds Current Money for six months Salary as Clerk of the Ho. Delegates p Acc^t passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Frederick Green Two pounds three shillings and six pence Current Money out of the Money set apart for Contingent Expences per Account passed.—

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Thursday 9th October 1783.

Present His Excellency William Paca Esquire Governor
The Honorable Gabriel Duvall & Jeremiah T. Chase Esquires

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Jeremiah T. Chase Esq^r Sixty eight pounds, nine shillings and nine pence Current Money for One Year's Interest on Sundry Certificates issued agreeably to the "Act to adjust the Debts due from this State" per Account passed by the Dep^y Aud^r—

That the said Treasurer pay to Ignatius Digges Esquire Eighty five pounds, two shillings and five pence half penny Current Money for One Year's Interest on a Certificate issued under the Act aforesaid, dated 17 October 1781.

That the said Treasurer issue a Certificate to John Tully Young agreeable to the "Act proposing to the Citizens of this State, Creditors of Congress &^{ca}" for sixteen pounds nine shillings and eight pence due him on a Continental Loan Office Certificate adjusted by the Deputy Auditor the 10th May last