

It should be noted that the name of Joseph Clark appears in several issues of the Maryland Gazette(March- April 1790) under an advertisement for a lottery pertaining to the construction of a church.

II Timeline of Current Statehouse Construction

A basic time line of the construction of the current State House can be made from Radoff's The State House at Annapolis, John Appleton Wilson's "The Present State House at Annapolis" and Thomas Griffith's Sketches of the Early History of Maryland.

- 1769: Daniel Dulany, Thomas Johnson, John Hall, William Paca, Charles Carroll, Lancelot Jacques, and Charles Wallace appointed commissioners to superintend the erection of state house. 500 lbs appropriated. (Griffith 62)
- 1771: Charles Wallace signs contract to build State House (Radoff 7)
- 1772: Eden places first stone of foundation; basement and first story completed (Radoff 7-8).
- 1773: Controversy over copper material chosen for roof (Radoff 7).
- 1774: Roof and four "upper rooms" completed (Radoff 8).
- 1775: Hurricane demolishes roof (Radoff 8)
- 1779: Seats in galleries authorized, Senate Chamber appropriated
"Wallace gives the job up as impossible"
Evidence State House used in Session of 1791 (Radoff 11-12).
- 1783-1884 Continental Congress takes over State House (R 12)
- 1785: Joseph Clark named as architect of new roof and cover to the Governor's House and repairs to roof and dome of state house
Clark advertises for carpenters to erect cupola (R 17).
- 1789: Shaw fashions privy house