

opinion is best to be done with those Vessels & Cargoes, whether I am to finish loading the latter, leaving her as she is, or discharging both of them. I am waiting your orders. Gen<sup>t</sup> your most

Obed<sup>t</sup> Hble Serv<sup>t</sup> Hugh Young.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May 1776.

C. S. J.

Council met. Present as on Saturday.

Ordered That said Treasurer pay to D<sup>r</sup> Weisenthal forty two Pounds, nineteen shillings Curry for Medicine provided by him for the Troops.

Ordered That said Treasurer pay to D<sup>r</sup> Weisenthal forty five Pounds, for 3 month's Pay as Surgeon of the 1<sup>st</sup> Maryland Battalion. Ordered That said Treasurer pay to D<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Dashiell twenty two Pounds, ten shillings for 3 months pay as Surgeon's Mate.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 149 was sent to Col<sup>o</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Smallwood.

Ordered, That Treasurer afs<sup>d</sup> pay to Capt<sup>n</sup> Edward Veazey seven hundred Pounds on Acc<sup>t</sup> of his Company.

Ordered That Treasurer afs<sup>d</sup> pay to Rich<sup>d</sup> Thompson for Use of John Yost one hundred and fifty Pounds to enable him to carry on his Gun Manufactory.

Ordered, That Treasurer of Eastern Shore pay to James Mills four Pounds, twelve shillings & one Penny Currency for the Carriage of Powder from Chester Town to the Lower Counties on Eastern Shore.

Adj<sup>d</sup> till next Day 10 o'Clock.

[Council to Smallwood.]

To Col<sup>o</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Smallwood

C. S. C.  
No. 149.

Sir.

Twenty six Prisoners are expected from North Carolina to pass through this Province to Pennsylvania, they are to be guarded through Prince Georges County to Queen Anne by the Militia of that County, and are expected to arrive there some Time to Morrow or on Wednesday. We request you would send a Detachment of Thirty of the Regular Troops commanded by a proper Officer to receive said Prisoners at Queene Anne and convey them to Baltimore Town, where you will please order them to be relieved by a like Number of Regular Troops who will convey them by Water, if the Passage be safe, otherwise by Land to the Head of Elk, and so to the Verge of the Province, and deliver them to an Officer of the