

Saturday Aug^t 9th 1777.

C. B.

Present as on yesterday

Ordered, That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Richard Sprigg Esquire seven pounds, six shillings & eight pence due on Account passed.

That the said Treasurer Pay to Thomas Sim Lee Esq^r sixty one pounds seventeen shillings & six pence for Attend^e on Council

Pardon issued to William Morgan of Harford County.

[Gist to Gov. Johnson.]

C. C.
Original.

Dear Sir

I forgot to mention in my last p M^r Gordon that I shall march 62 men to Camp in three days. None of them have Blankets nor Cloathing of any kind.

On looking over the Blankett bill, I find that no Blankets Collected in this place, can be delivered to any officer without an order from the Governor & Council

I shall Esteem it a very Singular favor if you would be kind Enough to procure me an Order for Sixty two Blankets and forward it to me by the return of M^r Gordon in much haste

Yours Respectfully

M. Gist

Bal^t 9 Aug^t 1777.

Monday August 11th 1777

C. B.

Present as on Saturday except M^r Rogers & M^r Lee

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer Pay to Benjamin Parsons eighteen Pounds two Shillings due on Acc^t passed the B^d

That the said Treasurer pay to John Annis eight Pounds five shillings on Acc^t passed.

Capt: Conway,

Instead of going directly to the Havannah as mentioned in your Instructions of the 8th proceed to the Moale and there dispose of your Cargoe and purchase there Bark & Flies if to be had on good Terms, & Salt with outgoing to the Havannah; if you cannot sell to advantage at the Moale and are ascertained that your Cargoe is admissible at the Havannah & that you can do better there, proceed to the Havannah or if Tobacco is not admissible at the Havannah & you cannot sell at the Moale, Store your Tobacco there & go to the Havannah and take the Chance for the Governor's giving you