

C. B. Commission issued to Thomas Worthington son of Nicholas appointed second Lieut. of Capt. Burgesses Comp<sup>y</sup> of the Elkridge Batt. of Mil<sup>a</sup> in Ann<sup>l</sup> County

Brevit Issued to George Randall as first Lieut. in Capt. Garretsons Comp<sup>y</sup> of Marching Militia from Baltimore County.

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[Council to Col. Tyler.]

In Council Baltimore 19<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1777.

Sir.

It is probable that we may, in a few Days, order the Prisoners who are at Queen Ann, to Annapolis; therefore we would have you suspend the Execution of the former Order, for their Removal to Frederick, but we hope that the little Time they stay at Queen Ann, there will be more Attention; for the frequent Escapes of Prisoners, is a strong Encouragem<sup>t</sup> to the Disaffected to hazard Imprisonment by their Conduct.

We are &<sup>ca</sup>

Col<sup>o</sup> Tyler Prince George's

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[Council to Sheriffs.]

In Council Baltimore 19<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1777

Circular.

As the Minds of the People are much ingrossed by the interesting Crisis of our Affairs, they possibly may not advert to the Inconveniences which would follow from our periodical Elections not being held the first Monday of next Month, agreeable to our Constitution and Form of Government. We therefore request you to give the most public and general Notice you can, of the Time of holding the Election for Delegates in Assembly, that those who are entitled to vote and can may attend.

We are &<sup>ca</sup>

Sheriffs of the different Counties.

C. B.

Saturday 20 September 1777.

Present as on yesterday

Ordered That Hugh Deem who made his escape from Queen Ann and is taken up at Elk Ridge Landing be sent under a Guard to Annapolis and there delivered to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County who is required to keep him securely in the Common Jail.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Samuel Chester Thirty six pounds per Account passed