

That the said Treasurer pay to John Hood Twelve pounds five shillings for the use of Ely Dorsey ꝓ Acc^t passed by the D. Aud.

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That the Issuing Commissary deliver to Capt. William Reily sixteen Gallons of Rum and fifty four pounds sugar due him to the 1st Ins^t

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to the said Captain William Reily Cloth and Trimmings for a suit of Cloaths and Linen for two shirts in part of the Articles for the pres^t year allowed by the G. Ass^y

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Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to William Sanders Twenty five pounds due him per Account passed by the Aud. Gen^l

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That the said Treasurer pay to Caleb Burgess fifteen pounds twelve shillings and one penny half penny due him ꝓ Acc^t passed by the A. G^l

That the said Treasurer pay Benjamin Stoddert Esquire Two thousand five hundred pounds of the new Emission in part of an Order drawn by Major Gen^l Gates in favor of Col^o Thomas Polk dated the 14th Aug^t 1780 for one hundred thousand pounds Lawful money of Virginia.

That the Armourer deliver to Capt. Maccubbin as much plank as he may want for the accommodation of his Company going down the Bay on an Expedition against the Enemy.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to John Bullen for the use of the soldiers under Innoculation in the Hospital nine Beds & nine sheets

Warrant issued directed to Capt. Nicholas Maccubbin to impress a Vessel with her hands &^{ca} for the use of a Detachment of his Comp^y of Select Militia going down the Bay on a Cruise against the Enemy.

Commission of Letters of Marque and Reprisal issued to William Jones Commander of the Schooner Somerset one hundred and thirty two Tons burthen, navigated by thirty Men mounting eight Carriage Guns, belonging to John Sterett and Company of Baltimore Town in the State of Maryland.

[Council to Capt Alexander Trueman.]

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We request you to take under your Command and Directions such a Detachment of regular Troops as will fully mann and arm the State Boat Plater, the armed Boat Decoy and the State Barge we have to Strengthen you, added another Boat and ordered forty Men of the Select Militia on Board her which also are under your Command. You will without Delay proceed with those Vessels and the Troops in Pursuit of the Enemy's Barges which we are informed were discovered yesterday afternoon nearly opposite to the Mouth of