

A List of the names of The several persons recommended by the April 17
field officers to supply the Vacancies in the Salisbury Battalion
of Militia in Somerset County.

Levin Irving, Major; For the Salisbury Comp^y, W^m Byng, 2nd
Lieu^t; George James, Ensign.

For the Barren Creek Comp^y, McKimney Porter Ensign.

For the Quantico Company, Edward Kellum 1st Lieu^t; Joseph
Piper 2nd Lieu^t; James Phillips Ensgⁿ.

For the Quantico Comp^y, Joseph Wails Ensgⁿ.

For The Nanticoke Point Comp^y, John McClester Cap^t, Jn^o Evans
(of Nicholas) 1st L^t, W^m Stewart 2nd Lieu^t, W^m Waller Ensgⁿ.

For The Black Water Comp^y, Gilliss Polk Cap^t, James Hainey
1st Lieu^t, Isaac Henry 2nd Lieu^t, John Scroggin Ensgⁿ.

For the White Haven Comp^y, Joseph Cotman Cap^t, W^m Gale
1st Lieu^t, Will^m Cotman 2nd ditto, Tho^s Holbrook Jun^r Ensgⁿ.

[Saml. Huntington, President Philadelphia to His Excellency
Governor Lee]

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Your Excellency will receive herewith enclosed, an Ordinance
for establishing Courts for the Trial of Piracies and Felonies com-
mitted upon the high Seas, passed in Conformity to Articles of
Confederation.

P. S. I have been Honoured with your Excellencys dispatches of
the 23^d March & 8th instant.

[Joseph Ford, Leonard Town, to Gov. Lee.] (p Mr. Mills) April 17

What flesh provisions I procured, was sent Agreeable to your
Excellencies order to George Town except Two Steers that I Re-
ceived since my last appointment which I have delivered to the Mili-
tia hereby Coll Barne's orders we have had constantly on duty for
this Two weeks about Two Hundred men, I have furnished them
so far with provisions, but it has been with some difficulty as I had
no money. I am indebted between four and five Thousand Pounds
continental money and what further sum may be necessary depends
on the time the Militia may be on duty If it can be conveniently spared
I should be glad of about Two Hundred & fifty pounds of the new
money what may with safty be sent by the Barer M^r John Mills, A
circumstance which I did not think to mention to your Honorable
Board, Respecting the Horse that I Received of the Reverend M^r
Stephens a nonjuror now occurs that some time after I returned with
him, he got into a neighbours Wheat field several times, at lenght he
came home with his back bones nearly in two this together with the
bad character he had got before was the Reason he sold so low, of this
if it should be necessary I can procure the Vouchers of some Re-
spectable People for, the Horse was so great a Rogue that I had come