

June 18 [Chris^r Birckhead Talbot County to His Excellency Tho^s Sim Lee Esq^r]

I send by Cap^t Rich^d Bruff Nine of the draughts from this County, there are some from their indisposition of Body are not able to march, and the others refuse to march at all. Your Excellency will use y^r pleasure, respecting those that refuse to march, I hope some other officer may be appointed to compel those that refuse

June 18 [Capt. Joseph Ford to Col. Forrest]

I have taken the Liberty of enclosing you a Letter for his Excellency Tho. Sim Lee Esquire Respecting the Goods M^r Campbell has Liable to a seizure by Law—it is my opinion that such goods as he has may be laid in upon better terms in Annapolis and Baltimore & for that Reason I have thought best to lay the matter before the Council and that we may get there determination more Speedily I shall be obliged to you to wait on them and forward there answer by the Return of Charles Lansdale. M^r Campbell has suspended the Sale of them till I have their directions if the Assembly have taken order in my Matter be so obligeing as to inform me of their decree.

June 18 [Gabriel Jacobs, Frederick Town, to Gov. Lee.] (Hon^d by
Red Book Mr. Foster)
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I wou'd thank your excellency for an Order for the Cloathing specified in a Memorandum from Capt. Reed & delivered to your excellency by Cap^t Davis & allso for twenty pair of Shoes, Capt. Reed had the Promise of The shoes from M^r Murdock but he has not furnish'd them, the men are Exceedingly distressd for want of the Cloathes

June 20 P. S. Since I wrote the above have inlisted two men shou'd be glad of an order for Cloathing for them allso

June 18 [Hezekiah Reeder, Port Tobacco, to the Governor and Council.]

I receiv'd your order of the 9th Ins^t to purchase one hundred Beef cattle which I expect to compleat in a few days, I hope you will direct in what manner I am to be furnished with cash to enable me to carry on the business in this County, the late commissary M^r Jenifer drew on the collector of the Tax for £200 as directed by Law

June 18 [Sam. Smith, Balto., to Gov. Lee.] (p^r Mr. Buchanan)
Red Book I did myself the Honor to write your Excell^y yesterday since when
No. 27 I rec^d Information that M^r Hollingsworth will fall short 1000 B^{bles}
Letter 97 flour from the order I rec^d & M^r Dallam writes that the principal part of the wheat in his County is ground up, so that the Delivery in this side M^r Calhoun's District will fall short at least 500 B^{bles} This will