

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 1776.

C. S. J.

Council met. Present the same members as on yesterday.

Ordered That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Lieutenant William Sterett, for the Extra Subsistence of Capt. Samuel Smith's Company, fifty eight Pounds two Shillings and a penny Common money.

Ordered that the said Treasurer pay to Col. William Smallwood five hundred Pounds on Account of the Continent.

Ordered that the following notice be given in the Maryland Gazette.

"Wanted immediately a number of Labourers. Persons applying to the commanding Officer of the Artillery at Annapolis for that purpose, will meet with Encouragement."

By Order.

R. Ridgely Ass. Cl.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Captain John Day Scott ten pounds seventeen Shillings and ten pence on Account of his Company.

That the said Treasurer pay to Cap<sup>t</sup> Patrick Sim five Pounds thirteen Shillings and eleven pence on Account of his Company.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 14 was sent to M<sup>r</sup> Jesse Hollingsworth, Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 15 to Thomas Smyth, Thomas Bedingfield Hands and Joseph Nicholson Esquires. Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 16 to Brigadier General Buchanan, and Colonels Thomas Dorsey, Aquila Hall and William Buchanan, Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 17 to Edward Parker of Cecil County, Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 18 to M<sup>r</sup> Amos Garrett, Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 19 to M<sup>r</sup> Stephen Steward, and Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 20 to Mess<sup>rs</sup> Archer & Harris of Harford County.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to M<sup>r</sup> Beriah Mayberry five Pounds twelve Shillings and six Pence for Boat hire to transport the Troops to the Head of Elk.

Copy of Letter N<sup>o</sup> 21 was sent to M<sup>r</sup> Richard Dallam, Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 22 to M<sup>r</sup> William Whetcroft, and Copy of N<sup>o</sup> 23 to Col. Thomas Dorsey.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Lieutenant William Harrison two hundred Pounds Currency on Account of Cap<sup>t</sup> Veazey's Company.

Ordered That the said Treasurer pay to Robert Reynolds for the use of John Annis thirty one Shillings and seven pence for repairing the Guard House in Annapolis.

Ordered That the said Treasurer pay to M<sup>r</sup> Francis Smith thirty one Pounds ten Shillings for leather Breeches.

Adjourned till next Day, 10 o' Clock.