

Trimd Before shee is sent Down Pleas Give the Lingth and Sises of the Bots and How many Will Bee Wanted and How Soon. I Will make the Best Bargin I Can for you Excuse My Not Writing Sooner as I Was in your Servis and Not at Home. the Frigget Wee Lanst yesterday a fine Lance and a fine Ship from your

Humble Servant

Jesse Hollingsworth

Baltimore August 13, 1776

[Baker to Council.]

Original.

Gentlemen.

Talbot County August 13th 1776

I herewith have the honor to return you my commission, it not laying in my power to discharge the trust under the present Resolves of Convention.

I am your Honour's most obed^t Hble Servant
Frs. Baker.

[Dorchester Committee to Council.]

Original.

Gentⁿ

Dorchester County

August 13th 1776.

We herewith send you under guard John Price who was taken in the service of Dunmore with Wheland Evans and Howith whom we sent you some time since. Price was in the small pox when the others were sent which occasioned the delay of sending him with them; the Charge against him will appear in the depositions of Yell and Mareman, already transmitted to you.

We are Gent your very Hb^{le} Serv^{ts}

Signed by order of the committee

Jos Richardson chairman

Wednesday August 14th 1776.

C. S. J.

Council met. Present the same members, as on yesterday.

M^r Nicholson attended.

Copy of Letter N^o 133 was sent to the Committee of Obsⁿ for Northumberland County in Virg^a

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to Charles Wallace five thousand Pounds Curr^y, on Acc^t of Salt Contract.

Ordered that Western shore Treasurer pay to Captⁿ Ja^s Nicholson one hundred Curr^y to defray the expences of Powder imported in Virginia.

Captains Tillard, Hanson, Forrest & Deakins Companies for the Flying Camp commissioned.

Adjourned 'till next day 10 o'Clock.