

any for Capt. Harris. I should be much oblig'd for a line from your Board. Any think in my power you may depend on.

I am Sir your Humble Serv^t
Tho^s Bond.

October 18th 1776.

Original.

[N. Bond to Council.]

Gentlemen.

Baltimore Octo 18th 1776.

M^r Bailey the Lieuten^t of Cap^t Deem's Company intends to continue in said company and the men of Norwood's Comp^y are discharge, but wont go in the other. The men are stroling about town and if any officer except Cap^t Deems was appointed they would Enlist during the war. Cap^t Deems tells me he has orders from you to enlist during that time & if you think proper to appoint me, may take this for an application, to enlist for the same time. Excuse haste.

Your very hum. Serv^t
Nathaniel Bond.

C. S. J.

Saturday October 19th 1776.

Council met. Present as on yesterday.

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to Daniel Fallin two Pounds, nine shillings and four Pence for Am^t Acc^t

Ordered That said Treasurer pay to John Smoot two Pounds, six shillings and eight Pence for Am^t Acc^t

Ordered That said Treasurer pay to Maj^r Tho^s Snowden one hundred and one Pounds, three shillings and four Pence for Gun Carriage.

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to James Cheston thirty one Pounds, ten shillings for Am^t Acc^t

Ordered That said Treasurer pay to Bennett Ryley one Pound, twelve shillings for Am^t Acc^t

Commissions issued to Robert Harrison appointed Captain, William Cole 1st L^t Benjamin Scott 2^d L^t and James Steele Ensign of a Comp^y in Harford County, raised to compose Part of the Flying Camp.

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to Captain Rob^t Harriss seventy five Pounds, to be accounted for.

Ordered That Commissary of stores at Annapolis deliver to Captain Harriss eighty two Priming Wires & Brushes.

The charge against William Bartlet Townsend having been referred to the consideration of the Council of Safety, by the Convention—he was thereupon called upon, and attended, and sundry Depositions against him being read, and several Witnesses examined, relative to the charge against him,

It was ordered that he be discharged upon his giving Bond