Liber C C [Council to Andw. Buchanan, Josh'a Beall & Rich'd Dallam Esqrs.] Sir John Hamilton and Edw<sup>d</sup> Joes of Baltimore County, William р. 156 Usher and Thomas Wall of Prince Georges County and Edmund Burgess of Harford County, have been adjudged altogether unfit for military Service and are therefore returned to you. We think the Classes which found these Men, are improperly exempted, and that, at any Rate, they ought not to be admitted to the Credit of the County

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Present as on Saturday.

Ordered That Mr John Shaw deliver to Colo Peter Waters 100 Musket Ball and 2 t Powder to be returned in kind.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lieut Sam<sup>1</sup> McLane & Ens Ignatius Boone of the Reg<sup>t</sup> Extra each I piece of Brittanies in part of the Articles all<sup>d</sup> by the Gen<sup>1</sup> Assembly.

That Mr Crisall Issuing Commissary deliver to the Officers of the Regimt Extra Rum and Sugar according to their Returns allowing 2 Galls Rum p Officer p month and 8 is Brown Sugar p Offr D Mo charging the same to said Regt

That the Collector of the Tax for Fred County pay to Colo Thos Price Commissary for said County Two thousand Two hundred and Fifty Pounds to be by him Accounted for.

That the said Collector pay to the said Colo Thomas Price seven thousand Eight hundred and seventy five Pounds to be expended in the Purchase of Hatts for the Army

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## [Council to the Purchasing Commissaries]

Sir So much depends on your Success in procuring an immediate Supply of Provision for the Army that we Suffer the greatest Anxiety in finding you are under any Difficulties in executing the Business entrusted to you; in order to facilitate it all in our Power Pounds of Tobacco, which we request you to we have enclosed dispose of on the best Terms you can, not under and to apply it towards the Purchase of Provision. We are sensible this will go but a very little way, yet it may be of some Assistance, distributed among those whose wants are most pressing until we can send you a further Supply which we shall attend to when in our Power. From the Difficulty of procuring the necessary Materials, we are afraid it will be at least three weeks before the Treasury will be supp. 157 plied with the new Money to be emitted under the Act to enable the Treasurer of the Western shore to draw and sell Bills of Exchange and for an Emission of Bills of Credit if necessary. When that is done you will receive a share of it and it will be proper to make your