

[Council to Daniel Hughes, Esqr.]

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We have in our Possession a Captain Charles Whitehead, who was captured in the Active Privateer by the Sloop Porpus, and have agreed to exchange him for Captain John Harrison a Subject of our State now in confinement in New York. That this Exchange may be effected without Delay, we have sent Capt. Whitehead under Guard to you and request that the Commissary General of Prisoners in New York may be apprised of our Resolution immediately and requested if such Exchange is approved by him that Capt. Harrison may be sent with a Flag to the Lines where Capt. Whitehead shall be delivered for him. If this is not the accustomed Mode of bringing about an Exchange of Prisoners we wish the proper one to be pursued by you. We also desire that Paul Busey, Thomas Sellman, Samuel Cowman, John Burns, Martin Shields Benjamin Owens, Henry Owens and Jonathan Waters Subjects of this State taken in the Sloop Lincoln and carried into New York and there confined, may be exchanged for Daniel Hawood, Edward Dyer, James Forster, William Hand, James Locory, John Drishell Andrew Allen taken in the Active and William Fallott belonging to the Suky whom we send under Guard with Captain Whitehead. p. 37

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Commission issued to John H. Beanes appointed Major of the Lower Battalion of Militia in Prince Georges Country.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Edward Gaither Two pounds, ten shillings of the new Emission in lieu of one hundred pounds per Account passed by the Aud^r General.

That the said Treasurer pay to Col^o Edward Tillard, Lieut^t James Winchester and Lieut Rezin Davis, each nineteen pounds, four shillings and nine pence of the same Emission in lieu of seven hundred and sixty nine pounds, ten shillings due them per Acc^{ts} passed by the Aud. Gen^l and also the further Sum of fifty Pounds, each of the same Emission on Account according to a Resolution of the General Assembly.

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt. Thomas Luckett of Rawlings's late Regim^t fifty pounds of the same Emission agreeable to the above mentioned resolution on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Charles Williamson Esq^r forty three pounds fifteen shillings of the new Emission in lieu of one thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds to be delivered over to Thomas Jones due him per Account passed by the Aud. General. p. 31

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Levin Wailes thirteen thousand pounds Continental and one hundred pounds of the new Emission to be delivered over to William M^cBryde Purchasing Commissary of Somerset County on Acct.