

Branch or to the first Fountain of the South Branch of Potowmack River I shall not at present trouble Your Ldp with any thing more on that subject, but only add that I am My Ld &c. Letter Bk. IV

[Sharpe to Amherst.]

Letter Bk. III

Annapolis the 12<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1761.

Sir

Having a few Days ago received a Letter from England advising me that by a Man of War which was about to sail in June last for New York would be transmitted to Your Excellency a Report that the Earl of Loudoun Maj<sup>r</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Abercrombie & Brig<sup>r</sup> Stanwix were pleased to make to the R<sup>t</sup> honble the Lds Comm<sup>rs</sup> of the Treasury upon some Memorials & Accounts which having been by me sent to M<sup>r</sup> Sec<sup>y</sup> Pitt had by their Ldp's been referred to those Generals I take the Liberty to express to Your Excellency my hopes that you have e'er this time received such Report & that approving thereof you will be pleased to give orders for the Payment of the several Sums therein reported to be due to the Officers & Men who sometime since composed the Maryland Troops, to M<sup>r</sup> Ross the Commissary who victualled them & to myself. If Your Excellency will be so kind as to favour me with an answer & signify to me what farther Steps we must take in order to bring this Affair to a Conclusion you will extremely oblige him who is with great Respect & Regard

Y<sup>r</sup> Ex<sup>ys</sup>

[Sharpe to Philip Sharpe.]

Ann<sup>s</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1761.

D<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup>

You have I hope e'er this received the Lett<sup>r</sup> I sent you the Beginning of August last inclosing a Bill of Exchange drawn by St Bordley on W<sup>m</sup> Perkins for £10.10 Another by Geo Steuart on W<sup>m</sup> Anderson for £75. 10. 10 & my order on M<sup>r</sup> Grove for a Ballance of about £70. I now remit you sundry Bills amounting to the Sum of £499. 18 which when paid you will place to Account as desired by a Letter I wrote to you the 29<sup>th</sup> of last Month. I had three Days ago the Satisfaction to receive a Letter from Brother William dated the 24<sup>th</sup> of July together with the several Papers which were therewith transmitted whereupon I wrote to Gen<sup>l</sup> Amherst desiring to know what farther Steps are to be taken by the Maryland Officers, D Ross & Myself in order to obtain the Sums reported by Lord Loudoun Gen<sup>l</sup> Abercrombie & Brig<sup>r</sup> Stanwix to be justly