

Schoolfield 2 L^t & Brittain Powel, Ensign of a Company in C. S. J. the 17th Battalion of Militia.

Also to Ballard Bozman app^d 2 L^t & James Curtis Ensign of a Comp^y in ditto.

Also to W^m Waller appointed Ensign of a Comp^y in ditto.

Also to Benjamin Schoolfield app^d Captain, Thomas Jones 1st L^t & Samuel Dixon 2 L^t of a Comp^y in ditto.

Copy of Letter N^o 184 was sent to Colonel Joseph Simm.

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to Levin Covington two hundred & twenty five Pounds for Bounty for a Comp^y of Flying Camp militia.

Warr^t issued to him for the Purpose aforesaid.

Ordered That Sam^l Messersmith be requested to deliver to Captain Brooke all the Guns in his Possession belonging to the public after repairing the same.

Adjourned 'till next day 10 °Clock.

[Council to Sim.]

C. S. C.
No. 184.
[194.]

Col^o Joseph Simm, Prince George's County

Sir

We send by Cap^t L. Covington the Bounty money for raising a Company of Militia in y^r County. We do not send the month's pay advance because we think the Company ought to be in some forwardness before that money is issued. Armes are to be borrowed or impressed; you are to have a Meeting of Field Officers and Captains on Monday next, by order of Convention; when the recommendations are completed, we will send down warrants & money for Guns on having the appraisement returned.

19th Sept.

[Travers to Council.]

Original.

Gentlemen: The conduct of Levi Willen first Lieutenant, and Job Todd Ensign in Cap^t Henry Lake's company, of my Battalion, being very exceptionable, I beg you will be pleased to appoint a Court martial, to enquire into their Conduct.

I am with much respect

Gentlemen, Your most Hble Serv^t

Ann^s 19th Sep^t 1776

William Travers.

[J. Johnson to Convention.]

Original.

Frederick County Middle District

Gentlemen.

Sept. 19th 1776.

We had sent an express to you acquainting you there was one Company ready to march and they ar well armd, thar is