

St George's Island, or in case of refusal to appear before this C. S. J. board on Monday the 11th Day of Nov^r to shew sufficient cause, if any he hath, for the Detention thereof.

Ordered That Western shore Treasurer pay to James Hall, for the use of Amos Garrett, two hundred Pounds, to be accounted for. Ordered That Richard Dallam, or the Supervisor of his Gun-Manufactory be requested to deliver to Captain Holland, or order twelve musquets compleatly fixed and fitted with Bayonets, and take his receipt therefor.

Adjourned 'till next Day 10^o Clock.

[Deams to Council.]

Original.

Balto Coty October 21st 1776.

Worthy Gent: Since my being last with your Honours I take this oppertunity that I have been in the greatest expedition in purchasing guns and can get but 30: as for Blanketts have got but few I have sent my Lieutenant where I inform'd you of some to be sold but he has not return^d, therefore think it impossible to equip the company to march in the limited time &^c therefore inform me by express how I shall proceed to inlist as the Chief of my officers and me officers particular is willing to joyn durein war, therefore inform me what to give and how they shall be cloath^d & whether to find themselves or the Province; how much bounty they shall receive and those who never yet inlisted, as my company is allow^d by several field officers that have inspected them to surpass almost any in the county & am Gent

Y^r most Hble Serv^t
Frederick Deams, Captain

[Maccubbin to Council.]

Original.

The 21st October 1776.

Honble Gentlemen. The engagement I have entered into with your honours, I wo'd gladly expediate as fast as possible, for which purpose I have supply'd myself with a sufficient quantity of leather, but workmen are very scarce.

I have applied to Lieut. Brown of the Train of Artillery who tells me that several shoemakers may be spared to work upon this Emergency, but is desirous to have your Honours permission, for which I make bold to apply to your Honours for your approbation that I may compleat the work before the time limited and be ready in case of necessity to obey your further orders. Am with great respect

Y^r obed^t & obliged Hble Serv^t
Nich^s Maccubbin