

c. s. c. the above matter into your most serious considerations, and grant me the above commission, and your Petitioner shall ever be in duty bound to pray

Head Quarters Annapolis

Thomas Doyle.

March 4<sup>th</sup> 1777.

So God bless the Congress, and direct our General.

To the Honourable the Council of Safety of M<sup>d</sup>

c. s. J.

Wednesday March 5<sup>th</sup> 1777

Council met. Present as on yesterday.

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to John Bullen One hundred pounds Also the further Sum of Seventy five Pounds. That the said Treasurer pay to M<sup>rs</sup> Unsworth Three pounds.

That the said Treasurer pay to John Smith one hundred and forty three pounds for the use of Isaac Vanbibber.

That the said Treasurer pay to Captain John David Two hundred and forty six pounds fifteen Shillings and three pence. Also the further Sum of fifty Pounds.

Adjourned till next day 10 °Clock.

c. s. c.

[Petition of Vincent Lusby.]

The Petition of Vincent Lusby of Anne Arundel County most humbly sheweth. That on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1776 your Petitioner entered into the service of his country under the Command of Captain James Disney of this Country. That on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November following he was taken prisoner, and so continued until the 3<sup>d</sup> day of January 1777 That from the time of his being taken prisoner down to the present time he hath not received one farthing of wages. Wherefore he prays your Honours to take his case under your serious consideration and grant him such relief in the premises as to your Honours shall seem meet. And your Petitioner as in duty bound will pray &c.

To the Hon the Council of Safety of M<sup>d</sup> March 5<sup>th</sup> 1777.

c. s. J.

Thursday March 6. 1777.

Council met. Present as on yesterday.

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Joseph Brown four pounds.

That the said Treasurer pay to George Hartshorn One pound two Shillings.