

C. B.

Friday 6th February 1778

Present as on yesterday.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Lieutenant Col^o Samuel Smith one hundred and twenty pounds to be delivered over to Samuel Chestis for 20 Recruits enlisted by him and passed by the Lieutenant of Baltimore County.

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut C^o Samuel Smith five hundred Dollars for Recruiting to be charged to the 4th Regiment.

That the said Treasurer pay to John Crysall Thirty eight pounds four shillings and ten pence for beef purchased by him for the State per Acc^t pass^d

That the said Treasurer pay to Richard Clark one hundred pounds one shilling and six pence on Account for Work done to the Galley Independence and the further Sum of Twenty three pounds, twelve Shillings and six pence for Work done to the Galley Conqueror per Account passed.

That the said Treasurer pay to John Crysall Twenty eight pounds three shillings and nine pence for beef purchased by him for the State

Ordered That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lieut Col^o Samuel Smith thirty Blanketts on Account of the 4th Regiment.

M^r Calhoun is requested to deliver for each Recruit of the 4th Regiment besides the pair of Shoes and Stockings already ordered one pair of Shoes one pair Stockings and also to deliver to Col^o Smith for the use of the said Regiment Cloth for 50 Coats waistcoats and Breeches with Trimmings all to be charged to the 4th Regiment.

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[Council to R. Lloyd and others.]

In Council Annapolis 6th Feb^{ry} 1778.

Gent.

We should be very glad to oblige in any Thing we could with Propriety, but, we are satisfied, Negroes or any other Kind of Property taken by the Enemy, will not be restored, on such Representations of the Dispositions of the Owners as ought to be made. It may easily be judged what kind of Language must be used to obtain Favors. We therefore, will not give any Pass and, are in Hopes, the Assembly will fully indemnify you and other Sufferers, out of the same kind of British Property amongst us.

We are &^{ca}

Col^o Richard Lloyd & others }
of Kent County. }