

Liber R. Countrey, the said Capt. Brandt and other the Inferiour Officers and Souldiers of the s^d Troope be free in their persons and Estates off and from all & all manner of Arrests and Attachm^{ts} whatsoever, provided they make over unto their Credito^{rs} (for security of their Debts) what pay shall accrue or grow due unto them for such their Service soe farr forth as the same will amount unto towards Satisfaction of their said Debts with due regard had to Sufficient ffood & raiment with other necessaryes whereby to subsist without leaveing themselves and ffamilys wholly destitute. It is also Ordered that upon the discovery or approach of any the said Indians or other Enemy Captⁿ Randolph Brandt call and take to his assistance about twenty or thirty of the Pascattoway Indians (as he shall think fitt) to march with him in discovery or pursuite of the said Enemy placeing in their Roome & stead the like number of English ffoote Souldiers (well provided with provision Armes and Ammunition in all respects as is requisite for garrison Souldiers to be at the charge of the Province under such Commander as his L^{spp} shall think fitt to appoint) to remaine in the ffort for the protection of their Old Men Wives and Children dureing such time as they shall continue with the troope. And that the Choptico Indians be required to joine themselves with the Pascattoway or Nanjemaick Indians in one of their fforts if they expect protection from the English. Ordered also that (if occasion Require) another Troope of horse be sett forth out of S^t Maries or Calvert County for the Defence of the Inhabitants of the said Counties, or to assist Captⁿ Brandt upon the approach of the Enemy as aforesaid. Ordered also that John Lemaire of Charles County be and he is hereby appointed Chyrurgion to Capt. Brandts Troope, and is hereby also charged and commanded to give his constant attendance when and as often as occasion shall require. Ordered also that for all such ffoote Souldiers as shall now or at any time hereafter be thought necessary to be raised for the further Security and Defence of the Inhabitants of the said

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County or else where in the Province Sufficient provisions be pressed for them (to be paid and Satisfied for out of the publick leavy of this Province) dureing such time as they shall be employed in the service of the Countrey as aforesaid.

Signed p ord^r

p J. Llewelin Cl Consil.

It was the Opinion of the board being demanded by his L^{spp} that (noe pay being ascertained by Act of Assembly for Dragooners) it were not convenient to raise or sett out any such but that rather (if occasion should require) another Troope be sett forth out of S^t Maries or Calvert County for