

sive of the inequality of their Burthen of the Warr and have patcht up a peace wth Canida which I was Oblidged to acquiesse with not being in a Condicōn to make Warr upon them it will be much the concern of Maryland as well as of other Provinces, that the Indians be kept stedfast to the English and the ffrontiers of this Province better Secured Were there sufficient force to justify all our out posts this had not gon so farr & I doubt not yet to reclaim them I have proposed a new SHEME of a joynt assistance w^{ch} is inclosed the like is sent to S^r Edmond Andros So desire you will consider of it Count ffrontiniac is at Mount Reall wth Considerable forces hath some designe I have sent to discov^r his Motion & give you a Copy of the intilligence I am

S^r

Your Excellency's
humble Servant
Ben ffletcher

Govern^r Maryland.

Governor of New Yorkes Scheme of a Joynt assistance to Maryland &ca Pursuant to an Order of his Excellency in Council dated the 30th of August last Wee have made the Computation what the charge will amount to for maintaining of five hundred Soldiers with their proper Officers which of Absolute Necessity are required to be continued at Albany and the out Garrisons of that ffrontier to secure the same and to prevent a further defecōn of the ffive Indian Nations together wth the Ordinary charge which this Governm^t for severall years past has been at in Presents to the said ffive Nations and to Compute the same as followeth

	lb	s	d		
For 5 Cap ^t at 8 ^s p diem is for one year	£	730	00	00	p. 141
For 10 Liev ^{ts} at 4 ^s p diem is for one year	£	730	00	00	
For 15 Sergeants at 1 ^s 10 ^d is for one year	£	501	17	06	
For 15 Corporalls at 1 ^s 4 ^d p ^d is for one year	£	365	00	00	
For 10 drummers at 1 ^s 4 ^d is for one year	£	243	06	08	
For 500 Private Soldiers at 12 ^d p diem is for one year	£	9125	00	00	
For 1 Adjutant at 4 ^s is for one year	£	73	00	00	
For 1 Com ^{missary} at 2 ^s 6 ^d p day is for one year	£	45	12	06	
	£	11813	16	08	

Item for incidents of firewood candles bedding hospitall for Sick men transportacon of men & provisions from New York to Albany & the out Garrisons building and repairing barracks & other Contingent charges that