

Original Jerry can give it to you. I will attend to the other Parts of your Letter. For news I beg Leave to refer you to my Letter yeſday to Col^o Lloyd.

I much obliged by your kind & friendly Enquiry after my Health. I have been very unwell, but am now quite recovered. I wish you every Happiness & am

Your Friend
S. Chase

C. B.

Wednesday 12 August 1778.

Present as on yesterday

George Digges a native of this State who hath been absent there from in Great Britain and other Parts beyond the Seas for about three years last Past and hath lately that is to say within three months now last past returned into this State appeared before the Governor and Council and before them did take repeat and Subscribe the Oath of Fidelity and Support to this State contained in the Act entitled an Act to Punish certain Crimes and Misdemeanors and to Prevent the Growth of Toryism

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer Pay to Daniel Bryan one hundred and fifty one Pounds, two shillings and six Pence due himself and Hands of the Boat Dolphin per Account passed by the Aud. Gen^l

That the said Treasurer Pay to William Matthews seventy two Pounds per Acc^t passed by the Aud. Gen^l

Lieut. Mitinger Resigns his Commission in the Artillery Service of this Service with intent of going into the Dragoons in Continental Service and Jacques Bajues appointed in his Stead.

C. C.
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[Council to S. Smith.]

In Council 12th Aug^t 1778.

Sir.

Your Letter of the 26th July came to Hand so late last Friday that it could not be answered by the Return of that Day's Post. We write to Gen^l Washington by this Post for his Orders for the Advance of the State Bounty and wish our Letter may have the intended Effect, if it should not, advise us, letting us know the sum wanted and we will endeavour to supply it some other Way for it is high Time to endeavour by all fair Means to keep the Regiments as full of deciplined Men as may be. We wrote to our Delegates to endeavour by all possible Means to get from the Continental Stores about 1000 Shirts and more Blanketts and put them into M^r Randall's