

C. B. That the said Treasurer pay to Henry Schnebely Twenty five pounds ten shillings for the use of Jacob Ott per Acc^t passed by the Aud. Gen^l

Lieut Samuel Sadler is appointed Quarter Master to the Hospital in Baltimore formerly kept in Baltimore Town, now ordered to be kept in the Fort at Whetstone Point

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[Council to N. Smith.]

In Council Annapolis 5th Nov^r 1778

Sir

We would not have you vendue the Chain, 'til the Act against Vendues expires, which will be with the End of the present Session of Assembly. If in the mean Time you should have an Opportunity of selling any Part of it at private Sale, for the selling Price or nearly the selling Price of Bar Iron at Baltimore, we wish you to sell at private Sale. We are sorry you did not mention to us the Article of Wood before; it is certainly prudent to lay in soon as much as will serve well into March, we suppose about 150 Cords will do 'til that Time or, if the Winter is moderate, longer. Your Wood lying so near the Fort, will make it more convenient to the Public and yourself to contract for 150 Cords with you at once; we are willing to give you £ 5.10. a Cord for that Quantity to be delivered at the Fort at such Times as best suit you, so that the Supply is kept up. It appears to us that three Feet a week for six Men, is not extravag^t moderate or very cold Weather will make a Difference which we wish should be attended to; we wish to avoid Waste and are equally desirous the Men should be kept comfortable: there must necessarily be some Latitude given to the Officers who are on the Spot and we hope for their Care and Discretion. We much approve your Removal of the Hospital and the good Effect it has had ought to silence all Objections; we would have the Sick continued at the Point, unless Circumstances should hereafter make it prudent to remove them. It is for the Sake of the Sick only that we employ a Doctor, Quartermaster or Nurse, the Doctor must attend his Duty, or we must get another.

Lieu^t Saddler is much more conveniently situated than M^r Gerrock and therefore we have appointed him. We don't imagine any Pay will be expected for a Nurse in Town, when there was no Sick there; the Woman you have employed and who has done a real public Service, ought to be paid by the Public

Maj^r Nath^l Smith }
Baltimore }

We are Sir &^{ca}