

[Council to J. Bolton.]

C. C.
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In Council Annapolis 8th Dec^r 1778.

Sir.

We received yours of the 28th Novem^r and 4th Ins^t We would have you engage without Delay at £10 a Hundred for good Pork. We send to Rock Hall, from whence we hope you can easily get them, four Barrels of excellent Salt. We have Stuff to make Barrels, but have not been able to get workmen yet; we would have no Delay for your or our Difficulties on that Account, get the Pork salted well away in Bulk and, if you cannot get furnished with proper Barrels, we'll send our own Boats and remove it loose.

Be so obliging as to write us from Time to Time, the Quantity you have and what you expect.

We are &^{ca}

M^r John Bolton.

[Council to E. Hindman.]

In Council Annapolis 8th Dec^r 1778.

Sir.

M^r Joshua Clark has sent us a verbal Message that he drew out of the Treasury a Sum of Money to carry on a Public Salt Petre Work which he was desirous of returning again, but that the Treasurer thought it improper for him to receive it without particular Directions for that Purpose; we wish you to receive that or any other Money offered, giving a Receipt mentioning, in Instances like this, the Account on which the Party desires it to be received, and that you have therefore received it, subject to the Approbation of the General Assembly

Edward Hindman Esq^r }
Treas^r of the E. Shore }

We are &^{ca}

Wednesday 9 December 1778.

C. B.

Present as on yesterday

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Jesse Bussey One hundred and ninty one Pounds, ten Shillings for the Use of Benjamin Amos per Account passed by the Prin^l Cl. to the Aud. Gen^l

That the said Treasurer pay to Richard Mason seventy four Pounds five Shillings for the use of Benjamin Silvester per Acc^t passed by Aud. G^l

That the said Treasurer pay to Reubin Merriwether Nine