

amount to about 5000 Barr^{ls} the Quantity ordered for the Army. c. c.
We have received by this Post, a Letter from M^r Morris desiring a different Disposition of the other 5000 Barr^{ls} of the State Purchase, but from a Conversation with M^r Veazey we are apprehensive that the Flour purchased by M^r Dallam & that purchased by Col^o Henry, is removing for Philad^a which, if so, will disable us from furnishing the 5000 Barr^{ls} agreeable to the last Letter; and from your Letter of the 21st June to M^r Veazey, it seems to have been from Orders you have received, independent of us, or from your mistaking ours. What of Col^o Henry's Flour lies much more convenient to Delaware than this Bay ought to go, but we cannot apply of our Purchase, more than 5000 Barr^{ls} for the Comm^{rs} including all that has been sent before and since our Letter of the 11th of June, of the State Purchase, and we wish you to send us an Account of as soon as may be. If any remains beyond that Quantity, we wish it to be sent to Baltimore to M^r W^m Smith with an Invoice.

We are &^{ca}

Col^o Henry Hollingsworth.

[Council to Col. W. Henry.]

In Council Annapolis 16th July 1779

Sir.

We have sent you by M^r John Ward Veazey, the £12000 you wrote for. We have for some Time past refused to let any Body go into New York, nor see any Propriety in changing a Resolution which we rather wish was general in every State. We had ordered about 5000 Barr^{ls} of the Flour purchased by the State, to Philad^a the Rest, by a Letter rec^d to Day from the Hon^{ble} Gov^r Morris Esq^r is to be sent to Balt^o to M^r W^m Smith We wish you, M^r J. W. Veazey, & Col^o H. Hollingsworth would meet together & agree on the most convenient to be sent to Philad^a to make up the 5000 Barr^{ls}; the Rest of your Purchase, we request you to forward to M^r Smith with proper Invoices. The Bran, Shorts & Ship Stuff we would have delivered to Col^o Hollingsworth. Pray wind up this Business as soon as you possibly can and close & settle your Account, as we may be able to render the Congress a General Account. Expedition is the more necessary, as the State is like to be considerably in Advance, 'til the general Acc^t can be rendered.

We are &^{ca}

Col^o W^m Henry.