

C. B. up one Waggon and Team amongst them whereby Tillage may suffer no great prejudice and to prevent the same persons who now yield Assistance from being again called on before it properly comes to their Turn a List of all Waggon and Teams employed in the said Service either on Contract or on being pressed together with the Time of their Service respectively is hereby directed to be returned to this Board

C. C.
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[Council to W. Richardson.]

In Council 12th May 1778.

Sir

James OBryan of your Regiment who obtained a Furlough, was, after the Time expired, taken up as a Deserter and escaped from Prison, has surrendered himself to Col^o Burkhead; he has been useful in assisting the Recruiting Service. Col^o Burkhead is very desirous and we join our Request to his Solicitation, that OBryan's late Conduct may wipe off his former ill Behaviour.

We are Sir &^{ca}

Col^o W^m Richardson.

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[Council to Gen. Hooper.]

In Council 12th May 1778.

Sir

One John Pennington of your County was taken up as a Vagrant by Stanly Cook and John McKeele and brought hither in the Galley. There is no Adjudication of his being a Vagrant transmitted with him and the Man disowns that he is a Person of that Character or that he has been before any Officer. We request you Sir to make Inquiry into the Matter, that Pennington may be sent back if he has not been already adjudged, and have the Hearing that the Law and Justice require, or if he has been adjudged, that the proper Certificate may be returned.

We are &^{ca}

Gen^l Hooper

[Council to R. Dallam.]

In Council 12th May 1778.

Sir

We inclose you an Order for the impressing of Waggon; it is much our Wish that this Burthen should be so divided as to interfere as little as possible with Cultivation. As to the Difficulty about Flower Casks, we cannot so easily remove it. Giving Exemptions, where we have the Power, sets up invid-