

[Council to Mr. John Beall, p Geo. County]

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Sir Yours of the 20<sup>th</sup> Ins<sup>t</sup> we have received, and wish we had it in our Power to furnish you with the Sum of Money you require. We recommend it to you to make as many of your Contracts for Tobacco, as possible, as that Article can be more conveniently spared from the Treasury than Money. You have enclosed, an Order on the Collector of Prince George's for £            which, if immediately received may assist your Purchase. This is all we can do, until the Taxes come in. We think it best to have the Horses put out to Pasture, until we can adopt a Mode of sending them forward to the Army

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Present as on Saturday. except John H. Stone Esq<sup>r</sup>

Ordered That the Collector of the Tax for Ann Arundel County pay to Joshua Dorsey jun<sup>r</sup> Ten thousand Pounds to be expended in the Purchase of Horses under the Act to procure an Extra Supply of Provisions &<sup>ca</sup> & to be Accounted for.

That the Collector of the Tax for Queen Anns County pay to Charles Blake Commissary for said County six thousand Pounds on Account

That the western shore Treasurer pay to John Bullen Esq<sup>r</sup> Two thousand Dollars to be expended in the Purchase of Straw & Plank for the accommodation of the Officers and Soldiers now encamped near this City to be accounted for.

[Gov. Lee to Capt. William Woolford]

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Sir We request you and you are hereby empowered to take the Command of the Plater State Boat and proceed with her down to Hooper's Streights, for the Purpose of Co-operating with Cap<sup>t</sup> Smoot in subduing and capturing the Enemy or disaffected Inhabitants of this State, who have for some Time, infested the Trade in that Quarter and committed Depredations on the good People of the State, who are situated within their Reach. The Officers and Men on Board the said Vessel Plater are required and hereby directed to act in subserviency to all your lawful Commands and this shall be your and their Warrant.

[Council to Delegates in Congress]

Gent<sup>n</sup> Enclosed you have a Few more Copies of the " Act to enable the Treasurer of the Western Shore to draw and sell Bills of Exchange and for an Emission of Bills of Credit if necessary " which be pleased to transmit for the Purpose expressed in ours of