Permission is hereby given to M^{rs} Jane Caldcleugh of this State to Liber C B Solicit Leave from his Excellency General Washington or the Commanding Officer at the Out Posts of the American Army at Elizabeth Town to go into the City of New York, not to return again into this State during the Present War between America and Great Britain, without Leave of the Governor and Council for the time being, first had and obtained, with Liberty to take her Child with her, and John Stewart a Minor and Permission is likewise given to M^r John Turnbull of this State, who has given Evidence of his Attachment to America to attend M^{rs} Caldeleugh as far as the American Lines.—

Commission issued to John Bracco, William Perry, Jeremiah Banning, William Maynadier, John Troup, Richard Johns, Lloyd Tilghman, Moses Allen, Christ^o Birkhead, William Dawson, Robert Lloyd Nicolls, William Goldsborough, John Fauntleroy, Woolman Gibson 3^d And Hugh Sherwood jun^r appointed Justices of the Peace for Talbot County and also to William Perry, Jeremiah Banning, Richard Johns, William Goldsborough and William Dawson Judges of the Orphans Court for Talbot County.

[Council to Jeremiah Banning Esqr. Naval Officer 7th District.] Liber C C

Sir. In the Opinion of this Board you have been rather irregular P.44 in allowing the Mariners and Passengers of a Vessel to take a larger Quantity of Provisions than necessary to subsist them their Voyage out and Return to the Port from whence they sailed. As the Instance you mention is the first, so we hope it will be the last

[Council to Mr. Stephen West]

Sir. Good strong Stockings are much wanted for our Soldiers, and it would give us Pleasure to have it in our Power to provide them on reasonable Terms. The Samples sent appear to be good and such would suit us. The Reason you give for offering them to us, are very sufficient and we trust the former "contributing to the Relief of the Army" will induce you to part with them on such Terms as will justify us in making the Purchase. The Price hitherto given has not exceeded twenty five Dollars, but as yours are of a superior Quality, we are willing to give from thirty to thirty five Dollars, according to their Goodness and will take 200 Pairs. If you are inclined to sell them at that Rate, be pleased to inform us by the first Opportunity. We are convinced the Examples of others in demanding exorbitant Prices for what they sell will have no Influence on you, because they have a Tendency to obstruct the Object you and we have so much at Heart "the Relief of the Poor Soldiers."