

Red Book
No. 26 In answer I am to Inform you that Only Twelve have bin pased
in this County.

A Muster Role of Which I have Inclosed. I was in hopes I should have had Instructions from you relitive to Shipping Corn from Senepuxent to the Armeý, our Stores will soon be full.

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[Geo. P. Keeports Baltimore to His Excellency
Thomas Sim Lee Esqr]

May It Please your Excell^y Since my Letter of the 29th I Received Your Excell^{ys} Favou^r of the 27th Ins^t with an Order for Six thousand pounds on the Colector of the Tax I Call'd on him for the money and he Informs me that he will not have it in his Power to pay that Sum in Less then three Weeks.

I am in the Greatest Need of money Imediately to pay the Balances due the Waggoners who are A Continual Plague to me and for Purchasing shoes which may be Bought Cheaper then they Can be made for here

There is not been any Alteration with the Military Stores under my Care Since my Return of July 1779.

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[Richd Ellis, Bohemia, Cecil County to Gov Lee]

Sir My Hastey departure from Annapolis, caused me to omit applying to your Excellency for those Instructions that are necessary for me, in the execution of my Office ; there are some Difficult circumstances in the Surveyors business through its Various branches, in which I am not able to Act in every Case, with Impunity. I know that under the former Constitution there were Instructions carefully handed to the Several Surveyors of Counties, but whether such instructions will ans. under the Present Constitution I am not a Judge. However Your Excellencies & Council's instructions and directions under the Present times, shall be the invariable Rule of my conduct, with which, I humbly request you would take the earlyest opportunity of furnishing me by the Post, to be left at Elk, if none other more favourable opportunity offers.

April 11

[Richard Curson, Baltimore, to Gov Lee]

[The Irish linen had been sold to Philadelphia. Will give notice, if other goods come]

April 12

[Chas Pettit A. D. M. G^l Extract of a Circular letter]

The settlement of all the accounts of the Quarter Master's department is a work of absolute necessity independant of these circumstances, which however afford additional reasons for urging it the more speedily, I must therefore beg you will not fail to furnish me