

December 6 new Emission in lieu of one hundred and thirty two Pounds per  
 Liber C. B. Account passed by the Aud<sup>r</sup> General.  
 No. 24

p. 11 That the Issuing Commissary deliver to the said Captain Jonathan Sellman Eight gallons of Rum, eighteen pounds of Coffee and thirty two pounds of Sugar the deficiency to the 30 Nov<sup>r</sup> inclusive.

That Charles Blake Esq<sup>r</sup> Commissary of Purchases for Queen Anns County pay to the Honble William Hemsley Esq<sup>r</sup> fourteen thousand, three hundred and forty nine Pounds Continental Currency for Beef sold the State.

Commission of Letters of Marque & Reprisal issued to John Bull Com<sup>r</sup> of the Brig Hawke 113 Tons burthen navigated by 30 men, mount<sup>g</sup> 10 Car Guns, belong<sup>g</sup> to Ridley & Pringle &<sup>co</sup> Balt<sup>o</sup>

p. 12 On the Application of William Smith Esquire of Baltimore Town, who is to this purpose Commissioned and Authorized by Robert Morris Esquire of Philadelphia who is Agent for the supply of his Catholic Majesty's Fleets and Armies in the Spanish Colonies in the West Indies Licence is hereby given to lade and Export in the Brig Ranger, Thomas Johnson Commander now lying in the Port of Baltimore, flour for the use aforesaid on his Clearing out at the proper Office but as the Season for curing salted Beef and Pork is wearing away fast, we request you to phrchase on the best Terms you can for the Public Interest, as much as possible of those Articles. We hope there will be some Demand for the Tobacco. We have some foreign and good Country Salt, part of which shall be sent to you, but should it not reach you in Time, we recommend you to procure the quantity you may require in Baltimore Town.

December 5  
 Liber No. 78

[Council to Andrew Buchanan Esqr.]

p. 11 Many concurring Reports induce us to believe the Enemy have left the Bay, and being desirous to releive the Militia from Every Hardship and Inconvenience as soon as our Situation renders their Service unnecessary. We request you to discharge the Guard ordered out by you immediately, and complying with the Terms heretofore mentioned and directed to be complied with.

December 6

[Council to General Assembly.]

Ibid.  
 p. 11 Colonel Wood commanding officer of the Guard placed over the Convention Troops informs us in Consequence of Orders from the  
 p. 12 Execution of Virginia a Division of near twelve hundred of these Troops (including the officers) consisting of British are on their March for Fort Frederick and are to remain at Martinsburgh till his Return, he waits on us to know what Measures have been taken for accommodating them in this Sate, and says the Provision collected on their March is nearly exhausted and will be consumed in a few Days; they are so distressed for want of Shoes and other