

That the Collector of the Tax for Calvert County pay to Patrick Sim Smith Esquire Commissary of Purchases for the County aforesaid sixty thousand Pounds on Account.

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That the Commissary of stores deliver to Captains Henry Lyles, James Lingan and John Sprigg Belt each a suit of Cloaths and Linen for four shirts and to Captain Robert Chesely one Suit of Cloaths due them for the year 1780.

Ordered That the Issuing Commissary Deliver to Captains Robert Chesely, John Sprigg Belt, and James Lingan each twenty four Gallons of Rum and ninety six pounds of Sugar due them for the year 1780 inclusive.

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[Council to Richard Dallam, Esqr.]

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We have enclosed you an Order on M<sup>r</sup> Denny for four Boxes of Sugar agreeable to your Request, and is the opinion of this Board that you account for it, at the present current Price here, which is six Pounds 7 Pound, and we cannot think of selling it for a less Price than is in common given.

You will also receive eight hundred Pounds of the new Emission by this opportunity to compleat the Purchase of the Wheat mentioned in your Letter

[Council to Henry Sheaff Esqr.]

Ibid.  
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We are applied to by Capt. James Lingan John Bealt and Robert Chesley who were Prisoners on Long Island at the Time we requested you to advance to our Officers then in Captivity a Sum of Money sufficient to discharge their Arrearages of Board but were exchanged before they knew any thing of such Advance. We therefore shall esteem it a favor if you will direct that a Sum of Money not exceeding forty Pounds to each Officer to be paid to Colonel Marbury to be by him applied as the officers abovementioned may direct

[Council to Thomas Harwood, Esqr.]

Ibid.

We shall immediately appoint a proper Guard to escort the new Continental Bills to the Eastern Shore Treasurer, agreeably to the Direction of the Act for calling out of Circulation the Quota of this State &<sup>ca</sup> And we hope you will have the Bills in Readiness to forward as soon as one of the State Boats return to this Harbour.

[Council to Patrick Sim Smith, Esqr.]

Ibid.

We would have you continue to purchase Wheat, to enable you to do it we have enclosed an Order on the Collector for £6000, you will have the Wheat manufactured into common Flour and not separate the seconds from the Fine, our State Boats are on a Cruize