

the Lieutenant of Montgomery County for a full Company of Militia when requested and to Colonel Baker Johnson Lieutenant of Frederick County. General Gist has ordered the Matrosses and the Maryland Part of the German Regiment to join the Southern Army so that we have now only the Militia to depend on as Guards for the British Troops Col Baker Johnson writes that there will be a full Company of Militia from Frederick County by the 21<sup>st</sup> and that he has wrote to Col. Griffith of Montgomery for a Company to be at Frederick the same Day. If you find that a more numerous Guard will be necessary, please to give us immediate Notice and a further strength shall be ordered from some of the neighbouring Militia agreeable to the Resolution of the Assembly. Orders have been dispatched to several Counties to hasten up Provisions to Frederick Intelligence has been received of the Misbehaviour of Thos. Wall enclosed is therefore a warrant for apprehending him; you will have the same executed and Wall sent here without Delay.

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Ordered that the Armourer deliver to Captain Gilbert Middleton one 4<sup>th</sup> Cannon one hundred & twenty five Muskets complete ten Barrels Gun powder two barrels damaged ditto. one thousand Flints half ream Cartridge paper & Cartridge paper for the 4<sup>th</sup> Shot, two hundred pounds of Lead & one hundred 4<sup>th</sup> shot to be delivered over to the Lieut. of Talbot County.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lieut. Thomas H. Lockett of Rawlings's Regim<sup>t</sup> Cloth & Trimmings for a Suit of Cloaths & Linen for two shirts in part for the present year.

That the Issuing Commissary deliver to Elizabeth Buckley a soldiers wife of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Regim<sup>t</sup> rations during her Husbands sickness.

That the western shore Treasurer pay to William Hyde five thousand two hundred and thirty four pounds due him for his last years Depreciation per Account passed by the Aud. Gen<sup>l</sup>

In Virtue of the Resolution of the General Assembly of the 1<sup>st</sup> of May 1780 This Board have agreed to allow M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Donnellan fifty pounds of the new Emission per Month for his services in receiving and forwarding Provisions for the Army.

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Permission given to M<sup>rs</sup> Jane Hamilton widow of the Reverend M<sup>r</sup> Hamilton of Cecil County to go into the City of New York.

[Council to Capt. Gilbert Middleton.]

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You will proceed immediately up Severn to the Indian Landing and take on Board twelve Barrels of Powder and four Boxes of Arms which are to be delivered you by Capt. Warfield and return to this Place for our further Directions.