

March 5 for the present year. and also to Capt David Lynn of the 7 Reg<sup>t</sup> a  
 Liber C. B. suit of Cloaths and Linen for two shirts in part of the Articles for the  
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On Considering the Charge against Thomas Wall and the Proof adduced in Support thereof as well as the Defence made by the said Thomas Wall to exculpate himself therefrom. Ordered that the said Thomas Wall leave Frederick County in a reasonable time after his wife is delivered of the Child with which she is now pregnant not exceeding thirty Days, that in the mean time the said Thomas Wall remain in Frederick Town and that the said Thomas Wall do not return to Frederick County after his removal therefrom without the leave of this Board first obtained

Ordered that the said Thomas Wall give Bond with one good security in the penalty of Five hundred pounds to comply with the above order.

Ordered that the Commissary of Stores deliver to Col<sup>o</sup> Adams fifty pair of shoes

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[Council to Stephen Steward, Esqr.]

The Marquis La Fayette with fifteen hundred men from the main Army are now at the Head of Elk and are intended to be transported down the Bay upon a most important Expedition which are retarded for the want of Vessels and meat Provisions we most earnestly request your Assistance on this Emergency and beg you will exert yourself in forwarding any Vessel you can procure fit for transporting Troops, and if you have any meat Provisions that you will sell or lend and collect all you possibly can, by Purchase or otherwise, to do this you will send to all those people who you may think have Beef on the Hoof. The Vessels to be sent immediately to the Head of Elk, the Salt Meat, if any to be sent and the Beef on Hoof to be drove or if those who have Beef will not sell it on the Hoof, you will hire waggons &<sup>ca</sup> to bring it immediately to this Place We enclose you a Warrant for impressing Vessels their Hands Rigging &<sup>ca</sup>

Ibid.  
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[Council to James Calhoun, Esqr.]

We request to furnish M<sup>r</sup> Chase with one hundred and twenty Barrels of Flour, which is to be replaced when demanded. If you have not as much in you Possession you will draw on M<sup>r</sup> Donallan for it.

Ibid.

[Council to General Gist.]

Your's of yesterday is received. Upon so pressing and important an Occasion as the present, we have no Doubt but the Merchants of Baltimore have cheerfully consented to let their Sea Vessels go for the Purpose of transporting the Troops from the Head of Elk and in protecting them on their way down; should they not have con-