

of light Horse in Cecil County raised in Virtue of the Act to encourage the raising a Volunteer Troop of Light Horse in Baltimore Town and each County of this State.

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[Council Circular to Lieut^s of Charles, Prince Georges, Montgomery and Frederick Counties.]

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The Information we received a few Days past of a large Force of the Enemy coming up Patowmack appears to have been without sufficient Foundation. We therefore think it unnecessary at present to keep the Militia at large on Duty and direct you to have them dismissed.

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In pursuance of the Resolution of the General Assembly of the 13th June 1781. This Board took into Consideration the Cases of John Hammond Cromwell and William Groves and after deliberating on the Circumstances thereof are of opinion that their going at large would be Dangerous to the State and therefore Order that John H. Cromwell be confined to the District of Octarara Hundred in Cecil County and William Groves to the District of Harford County not to depart the Limits thereof without the Leave of the Governor and Council for the time being first had and obtained and to be of good behaviour in the mean time and that John Hammond Cromwell enter into Bond with two good and Sufficient Securities in the Penalty of three thousand pounds Specie and William Groves in the Penalty of seven hundred and fifty pounds Specie to comply with the said order and further that William Groves give Bond with one other good Security in the penalty of one hundred pounds Specie that his son William Groves Jun^r be of good behaviour and conduct himself as a good and faithful Subject of this State during the present war between America and Great Britain.

Commissions issued to Osborne Williams appointed Captain Joseph Cross Lieut. Joseph Queen Ensign of a Company of Select Militia raised in Prince Georges County and also to Henry Dickinson appointed Captain Vincent Price Lieut and Charles Daffin Cornet of a Troop of light Horse in Caroline County raised in Virtue of the "Act to encourage the raising a Volunteer Troop of light Horse in Baltimore Town and each County of this State"

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[Council to Thomas How Ridgate Esq^r.]

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Yours of the 13th Instant by M^r Turner is received, the Price of the Goods quoted by you are much higher than those of the same kind offered, and therefore we cannot purchase them on the Terms proposed.