

June 19
Liber No. 78
p. 194

you not to comply with any Orders, but from us; The Tents are much wanted nor can we do without them. The Tobacco delivered M^r Key is for particular Purposes and will be solely under his Directions in Consequence of his Engagement to advance the Money for transporting and superintending that Business without a Reward. We wish you to be as expeditious as possible with the Tents and Camp Kettles, as the Mo[ve]ments of the Troops now here, depend on those Articles, The Blankets will be indisputably necessary, we therefore wish you to collect all you can, or any Thing that will answer the End. We have complied with your Requests for the Tobacco and Order on M^r Dallam for one hundred and Sixty Barrels of Flour. We conceive it proper that you should exercise the Power invested in you under the late Law for procuring Cloathing particularly when the Possessor of the Articles wanted, have been backward in affording Assistance to the State.

Ibid. [Council to Andrew Buchanart, Esqr.]

Major Griest John Steel Thomas and William Johnson have given Information to M^r Goldsmith of this City, that a Person who conducts himself in a very suspicious Manner lodges with a Man on the Point who is generally thought to be disaffected; he came from New York and has been at Baltimore about three weeks, is constantly prying into what is going on and says he associates with no one nor is known to any Body. We wish you would endeavour to find out this Man and inquire into the Circumstances of his behaviour, and if you think there is good Ground to suspect him as a Spy or a Person whose going at large may be dangerous to the State, We request you would cause him to be apprehended and his papers seized and sent with him to this Board.

Ibid. [Council to Mr. William Howell.]
p. 195

You will deliver forty Barrels of the Pork received from M^r Blake to John Chrysal issuing Commissary at this Post, the remainder you will carry to Baltimore and deliver to James Calhoun Esq^r.

June 20
Liber C. B.
No. 24
p. 95

Wednesday 20th June 1781

Ordered That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lieut Jacob Gromith of the German Regiment Cloth and Trimmings for a Suit of Cloaths and Linen for four shirts due him for the year 1780 and also to Commodore Thomas Grason nine sheets of Tinn for the use of the Barges belong^g to the State.

That the Armourer deliver to the said Commodore Grason five Swivel Guns, three formers, twelve Prickers, twenty four Tompeons, six touch hole bitts and what Swivel Ball he may want for the above ment^d Barges.