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Salted Provisions

Cecil, to be sent to the Head of Elk Kent & Caroline to the Head of Elk Somerset to be lodged at Princess Ann

Worcester at Snow Hill

Dorchester, at Cambridge.

Talbot & Oueen Anns, at the Head of Miles River

Somerset, Worcester, Dorchester, Talbot & Queen Anns, The Cattle to be put into good Pastures Subject to the future Orders of the Board.

Saint Mary's. as above

Harford & Baltimore, Cattle & Salt Provisions, to Baltimore Town. Ann Arundel, Prince Georges, Charles, Calvert and Montgomery, at George Town

Frederick

Salt Provisions to George Town

Cattle to Fredericksburg Washington

Money Sent.

To Harford, Baltimore & Cecil, each 100£ by Purdy Express To Oueen Anns, Caroline, Talbot, Dorchester, Somerset and Worcester each 100£ by Mr Welch

To Montgomery 100£ by Express

P. S. to Kent, Caroline, Cecil & Oueen Anns,

"This Letter will Supersede our Orders of yesterday"

[Council to Capt. Keeports.]

Ibid.

We want three hundred stand of Arms compleat to equip the p. 267 Troops now here which we request you to forward immediately to enable the two Battalions to march, we also request you to send all the Blankets and shoes that you or Colo Smith can possibly collect either by purchase or Seizure for the same Purpose

[Council to Colo. Samuel Smith.]

Ibid.

By Information this Day received from his Excellency Gen^I Washington of a Detachment of the main Army marching towards Virginia under his immediate Command, and urges the immediate Equipment and March of the Levies at this Place, and before they can move, it will be necessary to furnish them with Blankets and Shoes; we therefore earnestly request you to purchase or otherwise procure all the Blankets, or Cloth proper for Blankets and Shoes in Baltimore Town, and have them delivered to Capt Keeports who will forward them; we flatter ourselves from the Importance of the Service every good Citizen will chearfully sell the Articles required.

[Council to Philip Thomas, Esqr.]

Ibid.

M^r Dawson has been so obliging as to take £100, which we request you to forward immediately to Moses Rawlings Esq^r Commissary