

[Council to Colo Philip Thomas.]

September 1  
Liber No. 78  
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There is an immediate Occasion for ten good Waggon and Gears to forward the Troops to the Southward. We enclose you three hundred Pounds towards enabling you to purchase them, which we request you to do, or employ some fit Person, so that not a Moment be lost. If the Owners refuse to sell or you find any Difficulty in purchasing: We hereby authorize and empower you to impress the above Number of Waggon with Gears and have them ready to forward whenever required. We would not give you the present Trouble but we know no Person on whom we can so much depend as on an Emergency so pressing

[Council to Colo Joseph Wilkinson.]

Ibid.

We have received your Letter of the 29<sup>th</sup> Aug<sup>t</sup> and enclose Commissions for Capt. Cleland and Lieu<sup>t</sup> Blake of the Select Militia, when you recommend an Ensign, a Commission shall [be] issue[d] to him. There is a Necessity that all the Draughts and Recruits from your County should be sent up without any Delay: Orders are given for them to be marched as soon as it is possible to collect and prepare them.

[Council to General Smallwood.]

Ibid.

There are several Vessels in the Harbour, impressed for the Purpose of transporting Troops, Baggage &<sup>ca</sup> from the Head of Elk. We request you will be so obliging as to order an Officer to take Charge of them and proceed immediately to the Head of Elk.

Monday 3<sup>d</sup> September 1781

September 3  
Liber C. B.  
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Ordered that the Commissary of Stores deliver to John Anderson late a soldier in the 3<sup>d</sup> Regiment one Coat and one hat in part of Clothing due him

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Edward Compton one pound seventeen shillings and six pence of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit, not exceeding 200,000<sup>£</sup> &<sup>ca</sup> of the money appropriated for the present Campaign due him p<sup>r</sup> Acc<sup>t</sup> passed by D. Aud. p. 146

That the said Treasurer pay to Stephen Boone sixteen pounds four shillings and two pence of the same Emission of the money aforesaid due him per Account passed by the Dep<sup>y</sup> Aud.

That the said Treasurer pay to Burle Boone five pounds ten shillings and ten pence of the same Emission, of the money aforesaid due him per Account passed by the Dep<sup>y</sup> Aud.

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut. Robert Denny seventy five pounds of the same Emission of the money aforesaid to be delivered