

September and good Disposition of great Numbers of Gentlemen on the Eastern
 Liber No. 78²⁴ Shore, and the entire Reliance we have on the Efficacy of your Exer-
 p. 288 tions and Applications, induce us to recommend this Business (the
 immediate Supply of Flour for the Continental Army) to your most
 serious Consideration, and we flatter ourselves, the Measures you
 adopt, whether by Purchase, by Loan or otherwise will be most
 effectual to answer the present Exigency. If wheat and Flour are
 purchased, Money shall be transmitted for immediate Payment and
 Certificates may be granted for all Loans bearing an Interest of
 8 p Cent to be paid in Kind, and we think if Vessel can be procured in
 your Rivers, the Flour, as fast as it can be collected in proper
 Quantities, should be sent to the Army in Virginia.

September [Council to Capt George P. Keeports.]
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 Ibid. We request you to forward immediately all the Cloathing and
 Blankets in your Possession, to this Place

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 Liber C. B. Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Col^o Thomas
 No. 24 Woolford of the 5th Regim^t nine pounds of the Bills emitted under
 p. 156 the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &^{ca} of the money appro-
 priated for the present Campaign for Stores on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Benjamin Yieldhall eleven pounds,
 six shillings and three pence of the same Emission of the money
 aforesaid due him per Account passed by the Aud. Gen^l

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt. Horatio Clagett Twenty
 pounds & six pence of the same Emission of the money aforesaid to
 be delivered over to William Clagett on Account

That the said Treasurer pay to L^t John Kilty fifteen pounds Specie
 part of the 4000£ approp^d for the Officers going to the Southward on
 account

p. 157 Ordered that the Issuing Commissary deliver to Col^o Thomas
 Woolford twenty four gallons of Rum and ninety six pounds of
 Sugar to the 1st Instant and also to Elizabeth Murphy a soldiers wife
 of the 2^d Maryland Regiment one ration per Day until further orders.

September [Council to James Calhoun, Esqr.]
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 Liber No. 78 In Addition to our Letter of yesterday we have to request you will
 p. 288 direct all the County Commissaries within your District, to torward
 the Beef Cattle to George Town on Patowmack, except those from
 Washington and Frederick, which are to be sent to Fredericksburg in
 Virginia. We flatter ourselves you will use every Endeavour to
 collect and forward the Supplies to the Army in Virginia, without
 Delay.