

unalterably remain, untill your Memorialist can be present to have them properly adjusted

Red Book  
No. 28  
Letter 12

Your Memorialist conscious of indulgence from your humanity & consideration, presumes to recommend his critical situation to your notice hoping that where the satisfaction of so many are concerned you will not refuse your assistance, but by enabling your Memorialist to dispell the anxiety of his friends make a whole family indebted to you for their happiness

[H. Hollingsworth Head of Elk, to His Excellency, Thomas Sim Lee, Esqr., in Council.]

May 21  
Red Book  
No. 30  
Letter 95

Inclosed is a return of Provision received in April which should have been sent in much sooner had not I expected much fuller returns from the Commissarys of the distant Countys, but as I have receivd none but such as appears more proper for the returns to be made for this month, have thought it most proper to send these forward, and to inform your Excellency and Honours of the prospect I have for may, which is enacted to the foot of the return, which I shall accompany a full return for, and deliver in, in a few days, and shall then explain anything that may appear not clear or Satisfactory (if any such there should be) (See page 250)

[John Scott, W. Bordley, Rob<sup>t</sup> Maxwell, Sam<sup>l</sup> Davis, James Claypoole, to His Excellency Thomas Sim Lee Esq<sup>r</sup>] May 22

The Office of Coroner for the upper part of Kent County being Vacant, We begg leave to recommend to Your Excellency—George William Forester as a proper person to fill that Office.

[David Randal, Main Gard to Gov. Lee.]

May 22

Most Worthy & Honourable Sir this is the Humble Pertision of a poor man without Friends trusting to your Honourable Benediction hoping your Excelency will take it into Consideration in this matter of unjustis as I Deem it to Be no Less Being about my Lawfull Business M<sup>r</sup> Clark & M<sup>r</sup> James Williamson haveing Been Gaming at Cards Williamson Being the Loser of one Hundred weight of Beef & a quantaty of pork which was to Be Paid in the winter But Clark Pertending to have a Commission to take up all strolers he for Gave that Debt of Williamsons to assist him to take me as such But I being no such a person as Being well Known to Every one But minded My Business to maintain my famialy & to Pay my taxes as a free man ought to Do M<sup>r</sup> Clark as far as I Could understand had as it were sold me for a quantaty of Rum to Be paid By M<sup>r</sup> John Steward to Bring me to Anopalice after the return of the Receipt Given for me at the abovementioned Place But I making my Escape from Clarks house meeting James Stone he told me if I