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[Sam Smith, Balt., to Gov. Lee.]

This Day the three weeks is out in which I engag'd to furnish the Clothing & to morrow the whole will be ready except a few of the Coats (their Delay is owing to a want of Red Cloth & of Buttons neither of which was procurable either here or in Philad<sup>a</sup>) & Blankets which are not obtainable any where, However the Troops are so Supplied that they will have five Blankets to every Six Men. If there should be a greater Number of Recruits than was at first Imagin'd I ought to be Imm<sup>y</sup> Inform'd. The Rum & Coffee I forwarded to Anapolis & all the soap procurable here, The Sugar requir'd was forwarded by Col Dorsey. The Drums & fifes cannot be furnish'd for this Detachment in any reasonable Time, I Have wrote to Philad<sup>a</sup> for them & more Tent Cloth, there not being more than necessary for 50 Tents & officers Tents in this place, The Tobacco on Choptank I sold yesterday for Hard Cash at 15/ p 100<sup>lbs</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Poe Informs me that unless the Tents goes thro: his Department the Continent will not acco<sup>t</sup> for them, His Deputy M<sup>r</sup> Swan will Carry this, & will pass receipts for them, if you are of the same opinion

500	Coats @	80/	2000
300	Jackets	30/	450
1000	p <sup>r</sup> Overalls	20/	1000
1000	Shirts	25/	1250
212	p <sup>r</sup> Woolen Hose	10/	100
500	Hatts	7/8	187..10
191	Blanketts	50/	477..10
102 $\frac{3}{4}$	yds. Sup <sup>r</sup> Cloth @	5£	510
404	p <sup>r</sup> Breeches	20/	464
400	Stocks @	/1/6	30
6	p <sup>r</sup> thread Hose	20/	6
68	Camp Kettles	20/	68
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8	Horsemans Tents	400	
50	Tents 11/5	500	
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20 yds.  
120 yds @ 7/6. 45