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[Council to Honble Intendant.]

Commodore Grason with about 80 Men, is going upon a Cruize of four or five Weeks, down the Bay. We request you will take Measures for furnishing him with such Provisions and Stores as he may want.

Ibid.

[Council to Col^o Samuel Smith]

We were informed by His Excellency General Washington, that he had granted Permission for the Sloops Mary, and Leith to proceed from New York to Baltimore, with Cloathing and Necessaries for the British and German Prisoners in this State, and suppose they are the Flags which have arrived; if so it will be proper to continue the Guard on Board and to take every necessary Precaution to prevent any Intercourse with the Inhabitants. M^r Carroll, of Congress, writes that the Flags which went to Philadelphia with Cloathing for the British Prisoners, have been seized, for having on Board very considerable Quantities of British Goods, not comprehended in his Excellency's Passport. You will be pleased, before you permit any of the Goods to be landed, to compare them with the Invoice and Passport, and if you discover they have Goods of considerable Value on Board, not intended for the Prisoners or covered by the Passport, you will seize the Vessels and inform us thereof; a Surplus in a few Suits of Cloaths or Necessaries intended for the Prisoners, need not be noticed. Should it appear there has been no Violation of the Flag, you will suffer the Officers who have the Cloathing and Necessaries in Charge, to land and transport them to Frederick Town, and assist them in procuring Waggon at the accustomed Prices, for it is our Wish they should not be imposed on. You will deliver the enclosed Passport to the Officers who attend the Waggon for their Safe Conduct through the Country to the Place of Cantonment, after filling up the Blank with their Names. If the People on Board should be in Need of fresh Provisions, you may assist the Officers in procuring it.

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Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Benjamin Sylvester twenty pounds, six shillings and three pence and Thomas Jones Ten pounds of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &^{ca} due them per Accounts passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Allen Quynn Twenty Pounds of the same Emission due him on a Certificate issued agreeable to the Act to adjust the Debts due from this State—”—

Rules and Orders for the Direction of Surveyors in their Office, established by the Governor and Council the 15th Day of April 1782—