

April 20 to Capt Benjamin Murdock due him in lieu of an Order on the Treasurer of the 21st of May 1781 in his favor for eighty pounds in lieu of Twenty pounds Specie as adjusted and passed.—
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That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut Robert Denny thirteen pounds, ten shillings specie to be delivered over to Capt George Hamilton in part of the advance of thirty pounds specie directed to be made by the "Act relating to Public Creditors," on Account

Commission of Letters of Marque and Reprisal issued to Shoebail Spooner Commander of the Brig Recovery one hundred and forty Tons burthen navigated by thirty men, mounting eight Carriage Guns, belonging to James Jaffrey & Company of Baltimore.—

[Council to General Smallwood.]

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M^r B Randall has complained that Thomas Simmonds his Apprentice has been enlisted and is still withheld from him. It appears to us, by a Transcript from Baltimore County Court Records, that Thomas Simmonds was bound to M^r Randall, and Simmonds acknowledges he is the Person that was bound by the Court. We think the Apprentice ought to be restored to his Master, as the Law prohibits Recruiting Officers enlisting such Persons, and request you to give Orders for his Discharge and being restored to His Master.

Monday 22^d April 1782

April 22
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Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Zachariah Burch, ten pounds, five shillings and six pence—Edward Carter ten pounds, ten shillings—John Fitzgerrald eight pounds three shillings and four pence and Benjamin Duvall Twenty five pounds and six pence of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &^{ca} due them per Accounts passed.

[Council to Honble Intendant.]

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We have not yet taken up your Application of the 19th Ins^t As the Subject is of very great Magnitude, we would wish you to consider whether any Injury could arise from delaying the Consideration of it 'til the Meeting of the Assembly. We will be governed by your Answer, and either proceed to determine the Question immediately, or postpone the Consideration of it, for we are desirous, upon all Occasions, of paying the earliest Attention to every Thing that comes from the Intendant.

Ibid.

[Council to General Smallwood.]

We cannot think, with you, that M^r Randall has complained without Cause. The Facts, that Simmonds was bound to him by Baltimore County Court, and that he was his Apprentice at the Time of