Ouantity of Salt to cure all you have, which shall be sent for the first December 14 Moment that offers, as well as for the Beef and Flour now ready. Your Disposal of the Cattle unfit for Slaughter we think very proper. Boats are ordered this Day for the Beef and Flour on Wve. which shall not be discharged until all the Beef and Flour, now ready in your Hands, are delivered. If you should have any Shorts or Bran. and there should be Room in the Vessel, you will be so obliging as to fill her up with them.

Saturday 15th December 1781.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Colo Uriah For- No. 24 rest late a Comm. for the preservation and sale of Confiscated Brit- p. 192 ish property, three hundred and two pounds of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &ca of the money appropriated for the Defence of the State on Account

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That the Said Treasurer pay to Col^o Samuel Smith one hundred hhds of Tobacco on Account.

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Ordered that the Issuing Commissary deliver to Jubb Fowler Messenger to the Governor and Council two hundred pound Beef and two hundred pounds of Flour, charging him therewith, on Account of which is to be rendered this Board.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to John Wheeler late a Matross in Capt Dorseys Company of Artillery one Coat, one Waistcoat, one pair Breeches, one pair Stockings, one pair Shoes, one shirt and one hat, part of the Clothing due him and also to Henry Lynn a Matross in the Maryland Artillery one Jacket, one pair Breeches, one pair Stockings and one pair Shoes on Account.—

That John Shaw, Armourer deliver to Colo Stone two pound of Musket powder to be returned.—

That the western shore Treasurer pay to Joseph Barns eight pounds, eight shillings and ten pence of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &ca of the money appropriated for the present Campaign per Account passed by the Aud. Gen¹.—

Commission of Letters of Marque and Reprisal issued to John Kelly Commander of the Brigantine Patsey Rutledge burthen 141 Tons navigated by 20 Men, mounting 8 Carriage Guns, belonging to Archibald Buchanan of Maryland, and John Ross of Philadelphia dated 9th July last.

[Council to John Bullen Esq^r]

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The pressing Demands for Provision at this Post requires that p. 311 Vessels shold be immediately procured for the Transportation of it; we therefore hereby authorize and empower you to impress Vessels