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[Council to General Smallwood.]

We are honored with yours of this Day. As the Act for raising Recruits directs that 20,000£ be put into your Hands for that Purpose, we think you may, with great Propriety, dispose of Part of this Money in the Purchase of the necessary Books and Papers, as, doubtless, all your reasonable Expenditures are to be paid out of it. There are three thousand Dollars of the Money detained by M<sup>r</sup> Steward, in the Hands of Col. Sam<sup>l</sup> Smith which we will give you an Order for, if you think proper.

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Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to James Brice one hundred and three pounds, ten shillings—Gilbert Middleton seven pounds fifteen shillings and three pence—and James Tootell fifty eight pounds, seventeen shillings and eight pence of the Bills emitted under the Act for the Emission of Bills of Credit &<sup>ca</sup> due them for Certificates issued agreeable to the Act to adjust the Debts due from this State.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Joshua Lackland nineteen pounds, thirteen shillings and one penny of the same Emission to be delivered over to John Bullen Collector of Stores for Ann Arundel County on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Major John Swan of the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment of Light Dragoons, thirty pounds in lieu of a Suit of Cloaths for the present Year on Account—fifty one pounds, twelve shillings for Stores to the first of January on Account and twenty one pounds, nine shillings of the same Emission per Account passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Marmaduke McCain, thirteen pounds, eighteen shillings and four pence—William Pennington one pound and four pence—Stephen McCay one pound, eight shillings and eight pence and Simon Perry one pound, seven shillings and six pence of the same Emission due them per Accounts passed.—

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut Thomas Boyd of the 5<sup>th</sup> Regiment thirty pounds of the same Emission on Account.

That Benjamin Griffith Commissary of Baltimore County deliver to Benjamin Stoddert Esq<sup>r</sup> three hundred and thirty three bushels of Wheat for a Quarters Salary.—

Francis Deakins of Montgomery County is appointed Examiner General agreeable to the Directions of the “ Act to appropriate certain Lands to the use of the Officers and Soldiers of this State; and for the Sale of Vacant Lands ”—

Marmaduke McCain a Substitute from Frederick County to serve 'till the 10<sup>th</sup> of December last, having served the term for which he became a Substitute is Discharged.—