

of March after the rate of one penny Currency for Foot
out of the three pences, and that for the maintenance of
a Magazine the said plank being for the repairing of the
Public House.

Upon the petition of John Young Gunner and Amos
and praying that he may be paid his last years Salary for
clearing the woods and other services to the publick.

Ordered that Col Samuel Young Treasurer of the Mass
:set should pay to the said John Young Seventy pounds
Sterling being his full Salary for the last year ending the
11th day of January last out of the 3^d of the said Treasury for
Amos &c

His Honor the Governor lay before the Board a
Letter he reciev'd from Major John Bussard which was Or
:dered to be entred and is as follows viz

Sir
Eastern Branch of Potomack February
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I am honoured with yours of the 21st instant by Samuel
Murray by Whom this morning I received half a hundred w^{ts}
of Shot and Bullets and an order from Col Addison for a quar
:ter Barrel of powder which I have sent for which shall be all
Carefully delivered to the Frontier Inhabitants for their defence
against the Indians if need be, I shall use my utmost diligence
in following your Excellencys Orders to inform the Inhabitants
the murderers are in another Government and that your Excel
:lency is so much a Friend to the Indians as to write to the
Governor of Pennsylvania to have those murderers punished
According to their desert . . .

I shall also advise the Inhabitants by no means
to Offend the Indians and for my own part will endeavour