

It being apprehended that the three Negro Men belonging to this State two of whom are with Capt. King of the Plater and the other with Captain Rowland of the Dolphin are desirous of deserting to the British Fleet, Capt. King is requested to carry the said Negro Men to Charles G. Griffith Esq. of Montgomery County who will be so obliging as to place them out separately at the risk of the State to such persons as he may imagine will keep them securely and treat them well until the State may again want their Service —

Mrs. Amicetta French having been committed by a Magistrate of Baltimore County on suspicion of her having acted inimically to the American Cause, and being brought before the Governor and Council for examination, Upon Consideration It is ordered that the said Mrs. French be permitted to return to her Husband Thomas French's present dwelling plantation and ^{that} she confine herself to the said Dwelling plantation and do not depart therefrom until further order of the Governor and Council —

Commission of Letter of Marque and Reprisal issued to John Bryner Master of the privateer Schooner called the Enterprize mounting six Carriage Guns, four howells and ~~two~~ ^{twelve} Musquets navigated with sixteen Men belonging to John McClure and others of Baltimore Town —

Commissions issued to Zaddock Magruder appointed Col —

Francis Deakins Lieut Col. Enoch Campbell Major, Solomon Simpson Capt. William Blackmore first Lieut, Michael Dowden second Lieutenant George Hawkins Ensign. Richard Smith Capt. Thomas Hayes first Lieut John Sommers second Lieut, Hezekiah Neach Ensign. William Vease Capt. Charles Gaspaway first Lieut, Benjamin Sommers second Lieut, John Walling Ensign, John Walter Capt. George Walter first Lieut, Samuel Watson second Lieut, David Walter Ensign, Frederick Sprigg Capt. Thomas Kirk first Lieut Charles Bury second Lieut Howard Griffith Ensign, Thomas Sprigg Capt. William Stonis first Lieut, George Stonis second Lieut John Harris Ensign, Archibald Allen Capt. John Farwright first Lieut Samuel Blackmore second Lieut Thomas Hilton Ensign —

John !