

Major Nath Smith is hereby authorized to take or seize all such of the Commodities not allowed to be exported by the act entitled "An Act to prohibit for a limited time the Exportation of Wheat, Flour, Rye, Indian Corn, Peas, Bread, Beef, Pork, Bacon live Stock and other Virtual" as he shall happen to find know or discover to be laid onboard any Ship or other Vessel or Boat at Sea or in any Port or in any Navigable River or Water to the intent or purpose to be exported transported or conveyed out of this State contrary to the true intent of the said act and also the Ship Vessel or Boat in which the same shall be found and to bring the Goods to some safe and convenient place near which such seized shall be made in order to be proceeded against according to law.

(Monday 21 September) 1778 —

Present as on Saturday —

Permission given to the Sloop Hannah, Paul Hussey Master to load with Flour and grain within this State for the consumption of the Eastern States agreeable to a Resolution of Congress of the 2<sup>d</sup> September 1778.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Elizabeth Shaw seven Pounds ten shillings per Aul. passed by the Aud. Gen.

That the said Treasurer pay to Comr. Thomas Grason Twenty eight Pounds, ten shillings for the use of John Ritter per Aul. passed by Alg.

That the said Treasurer Pay to John Bullen four hundred and sixty six Pounds, eighteen shillings and seven pence and also the further sum of two hundred and seventy nine Pounds, sixteen shillings and six pence per Accounts passed by the Aud. Gen.

(Tuesday 22 September 1778)

Present as on yesterday

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Rob. Ridge fifty Pounds, ten shillings and one pence per Aul. passed by the Aud. Gen.

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut Edw<sup>r</sup> Gale eight Pounds one shilling four pence per Aul. passed by Alg. Gen.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Lt. Gale 10 ft. Shoes for the Capt. Campbell & Co of Mattocks.