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Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December 1778

Present as on Yesterday

Commission of Letter of Marque & Reprisal issued to Clement Johnson Commander of the sloop Dispatch to Tom Gunther, mounting four Swivels and 8 small arms belonging to Henry Hooper, Joseph Dawson and John Johnson.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Benjamin Aronson one hundred and forty five Pounds, five Shillings and three Pence three farthings for the use of White Powder for captured by the Pmt. S. to the Am. Qd.

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> December 1778.

Present as on Yesterday

Commission issued to William Buchanan, appointed Register of Will for Baltimore County by the General Assembly in the room of Thomas Jones who has resigned.

John Woodfield a private in Capt. Campbell's Company of Mattocks who obtained a Furlough from this Board on the 14<sup>th</sup> November last for one month to endeavour to Recover his Health but he still continues unfit for service. It is therefore Ordered that his said Furlough be renewed for one month longer from this Date.

Commission issued to Isaac Rawlings appointed Third Lieutenant of Capt. Campbell's Company of Mattocks in the Service of this State in the room of Benjamin Johns who resigned.

Commission of Letters of Marque & Reprisal issued to George Buchanan Commander of the Brigantine Salisbury, mounting 6 Swivels guns and 3 small arms 100 Ton Gunther belonging to Archibald and George Buchanan Esq<sup>r</sup> of Baltimore and also to Capt. Weatherly Commander of the schooner Polly 80 Ton Gunther, mounting 6 Swivels and 8 small arms, belonging to Hugh and William McBride, James Houston and William Honey of the State of Maryland.

Monday 21. December 1778

Present as on Saturday except T. Smi Lee Esq.

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Capt. Thomas Grafton