

Ordered That the Spring Commissary deliver to Capt. James Testate one hundred and forty four pounds of Coffee for the like quantity borrowed of him to supply the Maryland Troops in the Continental Service.

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt. Michael Boyer of the Queen's Regiment Twenty eight pounds, fourteen shillings and ten pence half penny of the new Emission in lieu of an order of the 19th Septem^r last in his favor for Eleven hundred and forty nine pounds, fifteen shillings which is now returned.

That the said Treasurer pay to John Randal's State (leather) two hundred hogheads of Tobacco on account.

The Memorial of Leigh Master Captain of the Sloop Experiment getting forth among other Things, that he obtained a Flag of Truce from the Governor of the Bahama Islands to carry American prisoners from New Providence to Baltimore in Maryland and to receive British prisoners in Exchange and that the said Sloop Experiment her Tackle Apparel &c were seized by Thomas Sollars Naval Officer and detained in the High Court of Admiralty, was laid before the General Assembly and by their Resolution referred to us, giving power to make such orders respecting the seizure of the Flag as we might think proper, and directing, if no intended and gross violation of the Flag has happened that the said vessel be discharged and the said Leigh Master ordered to depart with such provisions as may be necessary for the crew and prisoners.

This Board in pursuance of the powers delegated to them by the Resolution aforesaid, having considered the Facts contained in the said Memorial with the Affidavits thereto annexed together with the Libel exhibited in the Court of Admiralty against the said Sloop Experiment and the Answer on Oath of the said Leigh Master thereto, are of Opinion that no intended and gross violation of the said Flag has happened and do therefore Order the said vessel with her Furniture Tackle Apparel and Cargo be discharged and restored to the said Leigh Master and that he depart with his said vessel within ten Days from the date hereof.

Permission is hereby given to the said Leigh Master to carry with him for the use of the prisoners and crew belonging to the Sloop Experiment, Ten barrels of Bread, five barrels of Flour and ten barrels of Salt Beef or Pork.

Wednesday 6th December 1780.

Ordered That the Western Shore Treasurer pay to Captain Jonathan Sellman of the 4th Regim^t Three pounds five shillings of the new Emission in lieu of one hundred and thirty two pounds per Annum paid by the Aud^r General.

That the Spring Commissary deliver to the said Captain Jonathan Sellman Eight gallons of Rum, eighteen pounds of Coffee and thirty two pounds of Sugar the deficiency to the 30 Nov^r inclusive.

That Charles Blake Esq. Commissary of Purchases for Queen Anne's County pay to the Hon^{ble} William Assembly Esq. fourteen thousand, three hundred and forty nine pounds Continental Currency for Beef Job the State.

Commission of Letters of Marque & reprisal issued to John Bull Com^d of the Brig Hawke 113 Tons burthen navigated by 30 men monthly to Car Anns, belong to Ridley & Pingle.