

Monday 1st January 1781.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Lieut Edward Eagerly of the 2nd Maryland Regim^t thirty pounds of the new Emission agreeably to a Resolution of the General Assembly passed the 30th of December last, on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Christopher Lybrant Twenty seven pounds, thirteen shillings and one penny half penny of the same Emission for five Sheaves and eighteen Quires of paper purchased of him for the use of the Public. —

That the said Treasurer deliver to Richard Daltam twenty eight Chids of Tobacco weighing twenty seven thousand four hundred and seven pounds net with four p^{ts} out in twenty eight, thousand five hundred and three pounds sold him at fifteen Shillings Green p^{ts} out.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Joseph Smith Capt in Col^l & Nath^l Gists Regim^t Cloth and Trimmings for a suit of Cloaths and Linen for two Shirts, in part of the Articles allowed by the Gen^l Assembly for the year 1781.

Commission issued to William Weems appointed Captain of the Sloop Porpoise to cruise against the Pickaroon in the Bay. —

Commission of Letters of Marque and Reprisal issued to William Weems Commander of the Sloop Porpoise eighty five Tons burthen navigated by eighteen men, mounting six carriage Guns four Howitz and one Jewel, belonging to John Davidson, Charles Wallaw and Stephen Steward of Maryland and Robert & Morris of Philadelphia. —

Tuesday 2nd January 1781.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Nathan Atkinson thirteen pounds, fifteen shillings of the new Emission in lieu of five hundred and fifty pounds due him per Account passed by the Depy Aud^r. —

That the said Treasurer pay to Daniel Kumo thirty four pounds nine shillings of the same Emission in lieu of one thousand three hundred and twenty eight pounds due him p^r Account passed by the Depy Aud^r. —

That the said Treasurer pay to John Johnson three Pounds seven shillings and six pence of the same Emission in lieu of three hundred and fifty Dollars for the use of John Ball p^r Account passed by the Aud^r Gen^l. —

That the said Treasurer pay to Lieut Henry Batson of the third Regim^t thirty pounds of the same Emission allowed by a Resolution of the 30th of December last on Account.

That the Commissary of Stores deliver to Capt Robert Chesley of the 2nd Regim^t Linen for four Shirts in part of the Articles allowed by the General Assembly. —

Wednesday 3rd January 1781. —

Ordered That the Armourer deliver to Major John Stewards for the use of the sloop Porpoise on his cruise down the Bay against the Pickaroon two 4th Guns, two ship carriages for ditto, two 4th Ladles and worms, four 4th Hammers and Springs, three 3rd Ladles and worms, four 3rd Hammers and Springs, six pint Stocks, nine trucks, six pounds Match rope twenty four kettles, four powder horns six 4th Cartridges of grape shot, one dozen Hammals, twenty four pair handcuffs eight Muskets with Bayonets, ten Cartridge boxes eight Bayonet belts, twenty four pickers & bushes, 200 Musket Cartridges & 60 Gunlinks. —

Ordered!