

intreated me to use my Endeavour to obtain him his Pension again from
Chelsea; tho I am afraid such a thing cannot be brought about yet I
should be obliged to You for enquiring of some Person who You think
may know whether it would be possible to get his Name on the List
again & if it would what Steps must be taken by him or any one else
in order to have it effected.

To Christopher Kilby Esq: Annapolis the 3 of Aug: 1761.

Mr. In Answer to the Letter You were pleased to favour me with the 27 of
April I embrace an Opportunity that now offers to inform You that the
Officers of the Maryland Troops & M^{rs} who victualled them having in
Sept: 1759 in Petitions addressed to the Rth honble Mr Secy Pitt represented to
him the Difficulties they laboured under & into which they had been brought
by obeying the Orders they had received from His Majesty's Generals & by the
Obstinacy of our Assembly I took the Liberty to transmit the same to the Secy
of State in a Letter dated the 20 of Sept: 1759 & at the same time sent my
Brother William the Muster Rolls & Accounts which had been put into my
hands by the Officers & M^{rs} & to which they in their Petitions or Memorals
referred in order that the said Accounts &c. may be by him delivered into the
Secretary of State's Office, in case such a Step should be regular & proper. These
Accounts having been afterwards sent to the Treasury were by their Lordships referred
to the Examination of Lord Loudoun, Gen: Abercrombie & Gen: Stanwix who were
desired to make a Report thereon which my Brother tells me they accordingly did
being fully convinced by the Papers & by what they themselves knew concerning the
Affair that the Representations of the Officers & M^{rs} were true & that their Claims
were just & reasonable. This it was all that had been done the 15 of April last, the Report
had been made to the Treasury but no Orders for Payment had been issued, if in case Nothing
has been since done You will be so kind as to second my B^r William's Solicitations & en-
deavour to obtain an Order for the Money due. You will extremely oblige all the Party
concerned & in particular the

P.S. The enclosed list & general Stat^e of the acct^s will show you what
the acct^s will be to M^{rs} & the Troops