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In Council Annapolis 2<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Sir We received yours of the 3<sup>d</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> ult. As you have already engaged  
to transport the Wheat you have seized, as soon as the Navigation is open  
No 99. we think it will contribute most to the Publick service to have it delivered  
to Mr Henry Hollingsworth at the Head of Elk. We are of Opinion, the  
Slaves purchased by the French Agents is subject to Seizure, under the  
Law, but would not have it removed, until you receive further Directions  
from us. We have sent you a few Certificates by Mr Waderstrandt.  
Mr Charles Blake  
We are &c.

In Council Annapolis 3<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Sir Please to deliver to Capt George Keeports, the Slaves purchased by the  
100. Governor and Council of Md Young  
Mr Daniel Bowley  
We are &c.

In Council Annapolis 3<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Gentlemen We shall be obliged to you to send a Load of Slaves for the Continental  
101. Troops in this City. We have wrote to Mr David Poe, Dep't Genl. of Mil'ty  
to supply you with a Team  
The Commissioners for Baltimore Town  
We are &c.

In Council Annapolis 3<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Sir We shall be obliged to you to furnish the Commissioners of Baltimore  
102. Town and Capt Keeports with two Teams for the Transporting Slaves and  
Cloathing to this City, for the Use of the Continental Troops  
David Poe Capt D.L.M.Y.  
We are &c.

In Council Annapolis 3<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Gentlemen Several Applications have been made to us by the Soldiers belonging  
to this State, for Cloathing which they allege is due to them, and, to support  
their Claim, have produced Certificates from the Pay masters. We wish to be  
103. informed whether they are entitled to Cloathing, or Money, in Lieu thereof,  
and whether, if they are entitled to Cloathing, we shall be justified in issuing  
it to them, agreeable to the Certificate produced.  
Honble Board of War  
We are &c.

In Council Annapolis 9<sup>d</sup> March 1780

Sir It appears to this Board by the Certificate of James Shaw that a certain Tom  
Gantow has been apprehended as a disaffected Subject from the State of Delaware  
and committed to the Gaol of Dorchester County in Virtue of the "Act for the  
104. Security of the Government" after his Owners Refusal to take the Oath prescribed by the  
said Act. We have determined to release the Prisoner, on his giving Bond with good  
and sufficient Surety in the Sum of twenty thousand Pounds, to make a full and  
Appearance before the Executive of the State of Delaware within two months after  
the Date of such Bond; and on complying with the Terms specified in the Bond  
herewith sent the Blanks of which Bond we require you to cause to be  
legally executed previous to giving a Discharge, and transmitting to the Board  
James Woolford 3<sup>d</sup> Capt  
Shriff Dorchester County }