

Colonel Wood. will send some ^{Provisions} ~~Provisions~~ to Baltimore for
Salt, we will endeavour to send up more than will be
necessary for the use of the Troops, ~~and~~ which will probably aid
you ^{considerably} in your Purchase. We inclose an Order on Mr. Eslin for £1500
(and for 30 ^{keils} ~~keils~~ of Tobacco, and have writ to him to answer the
Orders in Preference to any others which have been drawn on him).
We refer you to Colonel Wood for further Information.
Yours Attentive Coy?

In Council 8th December 1780.

No 41. Sir, A considerable number of the Continental Troops will be Frederick
Town, in a few Days, and an immediate Supply of Provisions will be
wanting for them and their Guard. It will therefore be necessary to have
as much Flour, Bran, and Shorts as delivered to Mr. Muddock as Colonel Wood
the Commanding Officer shall direct. This we request may be done from
the Mills most convenient, reserving as much as possible those Mills
Flour in those Mills nearest to Baltimore, which you will send
by the Waggon Colonel Wood may order there for Salt.
Colonel Price?

In Council 9th December 1780.

No 42. Sir, We received yours of the 8th Instant. It is not in our Power
at this time to supply you with continental Money. your wants
shall be relieved as soon as we can dispose of some Tobacco.
Mr Thomas Dannelon.

In Council 9th December 1780.

No 43. Sir, We received yours of the 5th Instant and cannot yet account for
the Deficiency of the money sent by Clifford. We send by Daniel
Munroe £2000 for Captain Conway (and hope to complete the
Payment in the course of next week).
Mr William Herbert.

In Council 11th December 1780.

No 44. Sir, We wrote to you on the 9th Instant, requesting you to transmit
us the first opportunity the names of the ~~ships~~ ^{ships} and Captains