

In Council, 2^d February, 1781.

137. Sir, By a Resolution of the General Assembly of the 1st Instant the Bonds of several Collectors are to be put in Suit, unless the amounts due from them are paid by the 20th Instant. We therefore request you to transmit to this Board an account of the Balances which may remain due from the several Collectors if you show after the 20th Instant that the above Resolution may be carried into Effect.
Treasurers of the Western and Eastern Shores.

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138. Sir, We request you to deliver to Colonel Forrest, or order three hundred Hogheads of Tobacco on such lease Houses as he may direct, any Part thereof that the Treasury will afford.
W^m Henry Dickson

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139. Sir, Yours of the 31st Ult^o respecting the Cloths we have received and in answer, request you to send us a Sample of the Cloths, the Prices and your Terms of Payment. They are ^{such} articles as are much wanted, and if we approve your Terms, shall purchase them most cheerfully. If the Stockings are proper for Soldiers and the Prices not too extravagant we will contract for them also. We shall be glad to be favored with your Answer as soon as convenient.
Henry Courtenay Esq.

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140. Sir, You are to receive on board your Boat the Dolphin on 6th Cannon wheels and Carriage 100 Stand of Arms, 1000 Flint 2 Barrels of Powder one of Cannon the other of Muskets, which you are to deliver to the Lieutenant of Dorset County for the use of the Militia of that County at Cambridge? You are then to proceed down the Bay as far as Patuxent, to the Relief of Mr. Berry who is Stationed there and look out, and dispatch him immediately with whatever Intelligence he may have relative to the Movements of the Enemy; and you