

In Council, 19th July, 1781.

Sir, We request you will deliver to John Wilmoth five thousand Pounds N^o: 634 of the unsigned Bills of the last Congress to be delivered to the special Council for the Eastern Shores being Part of the sum appropriated for the Defence of that Shore?

Thomas Harwood Esq^r

In Council, 19th July, 1781.

Sir, Your Letter of the 17th Instant respecting the Horses taken from you by the Collector of Horses for your County we have received, as the Law expressly directs the Collector to take Horses from such Persons he 635. thinks ~~was~~ under the Description of that Law, this Board do not think proper to direct the Horses to be restored without being well and particularly informed of all the Circumstances.

Gabriel Vanhorn

In Council, 19th July, 1781.

Sir, We received your Letter of the 17th Instant, and can't help expressing our Surprise that the Letters and warrants for the recruiting Officers of your County were not sooner delivered, the Letters and warrants for all the Counties were sent down to the House of Delegates, and given to the Members that they might certainly be received in Time; the Law has not vested a Power in us to suspend the Draught, and therefore it would be improper in us to direct a Suspension for ever so short a Time.

William Hensley Esq^r

In Council, 19th July, 1781.

Sir, Gen^l. Mr. Shaw informs us you have a quantity of Pewter taken 637. as confiscated British Property, we shall be obliged to you to reserve it to make Buttons for the Soldiers of the Commissioners for the Preservation of British Property.

In Council, 20th July, 1781.

Sir, The General Assembly at their late Sitting having directed the Specie procured by the Silver consigned you to be transported