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The remarks of the 3<sup>d</sup> Auditor on the claim which was made out by me, have been received at this Department, and among the items which are suspended for further vouchers, the Contractors accounts on the Eastern Shore, from a third <sup>Part</sup> by about twenty five thousand Dollars - I have written to Messrs Low, Brown, Lyson and Mitchell, on the subject, and can get no satisfaction from either - The General Government require that this Department should produce the original Vouchers calling on the contractors for the Rations - If you ~~can~~ afford any aid you will know readily give it, when you pass on Contractors accounts did you not require vouchers shewing that the Rations charged had been delivered to the Militia - 109,000 Dollars on account have been suspended for the