

Dr. { *Messieurs Murdock, Dick, and Wolfenholme, to the Province of Maryland, on the Act for his Majesty's Service, &c. made in Baltimore Session, April 1757.* } Cr.

1757. Sept. 30. To Balance as per last Report, viz. _____				
Cash in the Recruiting Officers Hands, _____	657	3	2	
Ditto in the Agents Hands, _____	579	15	0	1236 18 2
To Cash taken out of the Office, to pay the Persons who furnished Provisions for <i>Beall</i> and <i>Stansbury's</i> Volunteer Militia, _____	235	17	8	
O <sup>r</sup> Oct. 31. To Ditto taken out by Virtue of his Excellency's Order, _____	1881	19	8	

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1757. By Cash paid sundry Persons who furnished Provisions for the Volunteer Militia under <i>Beall</i> and <i>Stansbury</i> , _____				
By Ditto sundry petty Charges attending the Service, including Agents Commission on the Sums drawn out of the Office, _____	235	17	8	
By Ditto for Expresses, _____	9	16	6	
By Ditto for the Hospital, _____	67	7	11	
By Ditto for Cloathing the Troops, _____	23	0	6	
By Ditto for Victualling Account, _____	715	7	9	
By Ditto Bounty-Money, _____	330	0	0	
By Ditto Pay of the Forces, _____	1409	7	8	
By Balance in the Agents Hands, applicable to the Services mentioned in the said Act, _____	250	17	9	

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Your Committee have also proceeded to Examine the Muster Rolls of the several Companies of Soldiers in the Pay of this Province, taken and returned for the Time between the 9th Day of *September* and 8th Day of *October* last, both Days inclusive; and of Capt. *Dagworthy's* Company for the Months of *July* and *August* last, and find, that on the said 8th Day of *October* there were Mustered at *Fort-Frederick* in Capt. *Dagworthy's* Company, the second Lieutenant, 1 Serjeant, 1 Corporal, 28 Private Men present at the Fort, the Captain, first Lieutenant, Surgeon, 3 Serjeants, 3 Corporals, 1 Drummer, and 38 Private Men, on Party, and 2 Private Men on Furlough. In Capt. *Alexander Beall's* Company, the Captain, first and second Lieutenants, the Ensign, 3 Serjeants, 3 Corporals, 1 Drummer, and 46 Private Men at the Fort; 1 Private Man in Prison; 1 Corporal and 11 Private Men on Party; 1 Serjeant and 6 Private Men Ranging. In Capt. *Joshua Beall's* Company, the Captain, second Lieutenant, Ensign, 1 Corporal, 1 Drummer, and 28 Private Men at the Fort; 2 Private Men in the Hospital; the first Lieutenant, 3 Serjeants, 3 Corporals, and 42 Private Men on Detachment; 1 Serjeant, and 6 Private Men on Party. In Capt. *Francis Ware's* Company, the Captain, first and second Lieutenants, the Ensign, 1 Serjeant, and 21 Private Men at the Fort; 2 Serjeants, 2 Corporals, and 39 Private Men on Detachment; 1 Corporal, and 13 Private Men on Party, and 4 Private Men Ranging. In Capt. *Richard Pearis's* Company, the first and second Lieutenants, 2 Serjeants, 1 Corporal, and 15 Private Men at the Fort; 1 Private Man Sick in the Hospital; the Captain, 2 Serjeants, 1 Corporal, the Drummer, and 29 Private Men on Detachment; 1 Private Man in Prison; 1 Corporal, and 28 Private Men on Party; 6 Private Men Ranging; and 1 Private Man on Furlough: The 5 Companies consisting in the whole, of 5 Captains, 10 Lieutenants, 5 Ensigns, 19 Serjeants, 18 Corporals, 4 Drummers, and 374 Private Men, whereof 3 Captains, 8 Lieutenants, 4 Ensigns, 7 Serjeants, 6 Corporals, 2 Drummers, and 142 Private Men appear to have been then at *Fort-Frederick*; 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, 1 Ensign, 1 Surgeon, 4 Serjeants, 6 Corporals, 1 Drummer, and 102 Private Men on Party; 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, 7 Serjeants, 6 Corporals, 1 Drummer, and 110 Private Men on Detachment; 1 Serjeant, and 16 Private Men Ranging; and 2 Private Men on Furlough. Your Committee cannot avoid mentioning a Circumstance attending the Muster Rolls of Capt. *Dagworthy's* Company, which in their Opinion is somewhat extraordinary: The Rolls of that Company for the Months of *July*, *August* and *September*, are returned separately, and with different Circumstances, and also different Certificates indorsed on them; yet it appears by the Date of those Rolls, that the Musters were all taken at the same Time, viz. the 8th Day of *October* last; from which it is obvious, that there has been a Failure in point of Duty, either in the Commanding Officer in not Mustering the Troops, or in the Commissary of Musters in not attending when such Musters were taken, agreeable to the Directions of the Act of Assembly made at *Baltimore-Town*, entituled, *An Act for his Majesty's Service, and the more immediate Defence and Protection of the Frontier Inhabitants of this Province*, whereby it is Enacted, "That the several Companies of the said 500 Men, or such Part of them as shall be at any Time

" raised,