

clams and the mens proportion, which he has not yet been a-
-granted with. Capt. Ross wants me to provide blankets and
shirts and Trussery with a number of other things that will be
very hard to get here. Yours

The Honourable Council of the ^{Province} ~~Province~~ ^{of Maryland} ~~of Maryland~~ ^{at Annapolis} ~~at Annapolis~~ } ^{Your humble servant}
Joseph Mollingsworth.

Pitts Point, January 25th 1777.

Sir,

Includ I have sent you a pattern of some light canvas, which
I look upon to be very fit for tents. if you think it will suit for that
purpose and are in want. I can furnish you with about 833
yards at 7/6 per yard. You please let me know per first opportunity
if you want it, and in that case please send the cash, or
an order to Mrs Hopkins to give it me.

The Honble Council of St Tho^s Genise } I am Sir your most Obedt Servt.
in Annapolis } William Johnson.

N.B. It will take about 20 yds to walled tent 8 17 1/2 without walls.

January 27th 1777.

Gentlemen.

I have received your letter requesting I will give re-
-sponding orders to my battalion, to march to the assistance of our
Troops in the Jerseys. You may depend that nothing shall be want-
-ing in me in forwarding their march. I am very to inform you
that there is a captain in my Battalion, who has continually refused
to obey orders, therefore have little hopes of his compliance meeting
me, and as that is the case think it would be prudent in you to make
his first Lieutenant - Mr James Mullikin's captain, which will I
am satisfied proceed this business should you think proper to remove
-me shall, no matter how soon you send Mullikin's commission.

The Honble the Council of } I am Gentlemen your most Obedt Servt.
Safety of Maryland. This } Robt Tyler.

Gentlemen.

Pitts Point January the 27th 1777.

Capt. Matthews com to me from you for cordage and canvas
I have not so much of either as will complet the galley that's finished
I have furnished this galley with fifteen or sixteen hundred feet
of my one English cordage such I am shure I cant get in this State
to replace. I have taken every step to get materials for the new
galley and the nine armed vessels and have been continually disap-
-pointed. you no I deliverd you a bill of parcels of every thing at first
but as every one that you employed to build the galley have built
them on diffrant construction from what was first proposed (it's
impossible for me to see what materials is suitable for any of them
(but)