

Morris and Company at Philadelphia and you may depend upon  
their being duly honoured. Next to Salt we want a large  
quantity of coarse Cloths, Blankets, Sail Duck light as well as  
heavy, Lead and Muskets. — We do not restrict you in price — but  
leave it to you to do the best you can for the State of Maryland —  
and your Bills for the whole or any part thereof will be paid  
P.S. your Bill on J. Johnson Esq. }  
Will be duly honoured ..... } We are &c.

September 12<sup>th</sup> 1776.

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N<sup>o</sup>. 183. To Mess<sup>rs</sup>. Vanbeber and Harrison.

Gentlemen,

Enclosed you have Invoice and Bill of Lading for  
Twenty five Hogheads Tobacco, two hundred Barrels super fine Flour  
and One hundred Barrels of Bread on Account of this State which  
we wish may get safe to hand and to a good Market you will be  
pleased to dispatch Captain Conway with a light Load of Salt &  
such of the Articles as you can purchase for us as recommended  
to you in our Letter of equal Date with this

September 12<sup>th</sup> 1776.

We are &c.

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N<sup>o</sup>. 184. To Captain George Cooke, Saint Marys County.

Sir,

We have the pleasure to inform you that you were

(Yesterday)