

96. Ordered that Capt Keports deliver to Samuel Chase Esq^r a tin Order a Barrel of Gunpowder the Price to be the same as the same kind of Powder shall sell for.

That the western Shore Treasurer pay to Capt George Keports Fifteen thousand Pounds to be applied in Purchasing Clothing for the Continental Army and accounted for.

That the said Treasurer pay to John Bruce Esq^r one thousand and forty Pounds for his Attendance to the 31 of December inclusive 52 Days.

Monday 3^d January 1780

Present as on Saturday.

Commission of a Letter of Marque & Reprisal issued to James Barber Commander of the Brig Hercules, 40 Tons burthen mounting 12 Carriage Guns and 12 small Arms, belonging to Young, Vinoy, & Co of Baltimore and dated 25 of October last.

Ordered that the Company of Shoes deliver to Capt Leon Handy of the 5th Maryland Regiment 14 yds Linen Thread sufficient to make it up, and 2 pair of Stockings in part of the Allowance made by the General Assembly and to be charged at the price for which the same might have been procured and Purchased at the Commencement of the present War with Great Britain.

Tuesday 4th January 1780

Present as on Yesterday.

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to Henry Ridgely four hundred and fifty Pounds being the Compensation allowed him by the Gen^l Assembly as wd to the Senate and also the further sum of three hundred and thirty three Pounds six Shillings and Eight Pence due him for his Salary as Clerk to the Senate 2 Months to the 1st Instant as per Account passed by the Dep^y Aud^r.

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt Beriah Maybury one hundred and seventy Pounds ten Shillings due him per Account passed by the Dep^y Aud^r and the further sum of one hundred and fifty Pounds on Account.

That the said Treasurer pay to Capt Leon Handy five thousand Dollars to be expended in the recruiting Service and accounted for.

That John Shawbridge Collector for Kent County pay unto Thomas Harwood Esq^r Continental Treasurer an order unto three thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds current Money as part of the four Million six hundred and eighty thousand Dollars appropriated to the use of Congress by the General Assembly to be subject to the Order of Rob^t Henry Hollingworth being part of the four hundred thousand Dollars granted to Charles Pettit by Warrant from Congress dated December 22^d 1779.

That Robertson Stevens Collector of the Tax for Dochester County pay to Isaac Station a Recruiting Officer for the said County one thousand Dollars also to John Stewart Recruiting Officer in said County one thousand Dollars and to Benjamin Bailey one thousand Dollars to be expended in the Recruiting Service and accounted for.

That William Hooper Collector of the Tax for Caroline County pay to Peter Rich & Benjamin Sylvester Recruiting Officers for said County one thousand Dollars each to be expended in the recruiting Service and accounted for.

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