

In Council Annapolis 30<sup>th</sup>. March 1780

Enclosed you have a copy of Glaze delivered by Order of the Governor and Council to Capt. James Nicholson for the Use of the Langueux Gallies. We are in Want of those Articles and have ordered Capt. Berry to wait on you and receive them. It appears by a Memorandum at the Foot of the Account that Captain Nicholson received some Casks the Number we cannot ascertain, belonging to the State, which were to have been returned.

We are &c

M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Purviance

In Council Annapolis 31<sup>st</sup>. March 1780

Empson Bird and William Lurrer of Cecil County have, by their Petitions set forth to us that they suffered very considerable Losses by the Enemy in the Year 1777. Empson Bird, that he had taken from him by the Enemy, one mulatto Man, one Negro Woman a Horse, Saddle and Bridle, and William Lurrer that he had taken from him, four able bodied Negro Men and it appearing to us by their Depositions and the Depositions of others that the said Facts are true, and we esteeming it proper that the Collection of the present Assessments of the said Empson Bird and William Lurrer, of five Pounds in the Hundred Pounds should be suspended, do direct you not to collect the same or any Part thereof from either of them, and if collected, to refund the same.

We are &c

The Collector of the Tax }  
for Cecil County

In Council Annapolis 1<sup>st</sup>. April 1780

We enclose you an Order on the Collector of the Tax for six thousand Dollars to pay for the 200 Hats you mention, with which you are to close your Purchases

We are &c

M<sup>r</sup> Abraham Saw

In Council Annapolis 1<sup>st</sup>. April 1780

The General Assembly in Conformity to a Requisition of Langueux have requested us to direct fifteen thousand Barrels of Flour to be delivered to the Agent of France, including the Quantity heretofore he was heretofore permitted to purchase by Authority of this State. We therefore request you to have delivered to M<sup>r</sup> William Smith of Baltimore Town, all the Flour and Wheat seized by you in Pursuance of the Act for the immediate Supply of you. If any of the Wheat seized by you has been manufactured you must deliver the Flour &c produced therefrom to M<sup>r</sup> Smith

We are &c

The Commissioners for }  
Baltimore Town