

to your Consideration, whether at this critical Juncture, the Vacancies
 arising to the Army, from filling of these Vacancies will not be
 any Inconveniencies which were apprehended from further
 Inconsequence of our Letter of the 20th Jan^r last, a Commission of Agency
 issued to John Smith in Stead of Edward Miles Smith, we beg you
 will correct the Error and believe us to be with Sentiments of Affection
 Board of War.

In Council Annapolis 30th May 1700

229. Sir. We enclose you a Permit for the Sloop Francis Capt. Prudden, to
 take on Board nine Hundred Bushels of Indian Corn, to be transport-
 ed to the Island of Bermuda, which we request you to retain and
 that it shall not have Effect until the Capt. and every Person on
 Board the said Sloop Francis shall take the Oath prescribed by the Genl.
 Assembly for that Purpose, a Certificate of which you will transmit
 Thos. Sollers Esq^r } We are &c.
 Navl. Off^r at Balt^o }

In Council Annapolis 31st May 1700

230. Sir. We request you to have all the Indian Corn which you have
 engaged for public Use, transported to this Place, as soon as you
 can do it with Convenience. We are &c.
 Col. Elijah Robeson.

In Council Annapolis 31st May 1700

231. Sir. If, contrary to our Expectation, you have more Pork or Beef
 on Hand than you will have immediate Occasion for, we request
 of you to send ten or twelve Barrels of either by the Return of
 Mr. Chalmers's Boat We are &c.
 Mr. David Par.

In Council Annapolis 2^d June 1700

232. Sir. The Taxes have not as yet been collected to answer the Conti-
 nental Draughts on this State; yet we fully expect to be enabled
 to supply you with a sufficient Sum of Money by the 15th Inst.
 to pay for all Provision which you may purchase for the Use
 of the Continental Army We are &c.
 Conrad S. Weyerstrandt Esq^r.

In Council Annapolis 2^d June 1700

233. Sir. Mr. Weyerstrandt delivered yours of the 27th Ult^o, and we are bound
 the Necessity of informing you that from the State of our Affairs
 at present, receive any Assistance from it, in carrying into Execution the
 Business entrusted to him. We have done our Duty in our Power, and