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Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Eastern Shore pay to Robert Lloyd Needs Esq. Paymaster of the Regular Troops on the Eastern Shore one thousand Pounds Currency.

Ordered, That no person whatever be permitted to embark on board any Man of War, Tender or other Vessel in Order to remove out of this Colony to Great Britain, and that the Committees of Observation and Military Commanders see that this Order be strictly executed until the meeting of the next Convention.

Ordered That Capt. John Tunby March with his independent Company to Cambridge in Dorchester County and be stationed there according to the Directions of the Committee of Observation for said County: Also further Ordered, that Capt. Thomas Woolfard march with his independent Company to Greensboro in Somerset County and be stationed there according to the Directions of the Committee of Observation for said County.

Copy of Letter of the 20<sup>th</sup> was sent to Brigadier General Hanson, Co. of the 23<sup>rd</sup> to Major Price, Co. of the 24<sup>th</sup> to the Committees of Dorchester and Somerset Counties respectively, Copy of the 25<sup>th</sup> to the Honble Matthew Shipman Esq. and Copy of the 26<sup>th</sup> to Col. Richard Barnes.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to Mr. Samuel Barber twelve pounds for two months service as adjutant to Col. John Harris Detachment of Militia.

That the said Treasurer pay to Abbot Joy Bailey sixteen pounds for three months service as Adjutant to Col. Mundsicks Detachment.

That the said Treasurer pay to Vincent Price twelve pounds for two months service as adjutant to Col. Richardson's Detachment.

That the said Treasurer pay to Oliver Whiddon \$3 15 for a musket and Bayonet.

Ordered, That the Company of Stores deliver to William Johnson 15 pieces of Gunpowder to be made into Tents.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the Trustees for building the new Church in the City of Annapolis, forty two pounds two Shillings and five pence for planks.

Ordered That the soldiers in this Colony who may work at the Intrenchments in the City of Annapolis be allowed the additional pay of 14<sup>th</sup> per day.

Warrant issued to Mr. Thomas Beall appointed Capt. of the Rifle Company, to be raised in Frederick County in the room of Samuel Barrett who has never acted agreeable to his warrant.

Adjourned till next Day 10 o'clock.

Friday 26 July 1776.

Council Met. Present the same Members as on Yesterday.

Ordered, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to the Committee of Observation for Baltimore County one thousand pounds Currency, for the purchase of Arms and Blankets.

Ordered, That Capt. Anderson detach one sergeant and 12 Men to relieve the guard at the Magazine in the neighbourhood of Capt. James Foster.