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*Wednesday, 9th.* Crossed from Mt. Vernon to Mr. Digges a little after Sun rise and pursuing the rout by the way of Baltimore, dined at Mr. Richd. Henderson's in Bladensbg., and lodged at Majr. Snowden's,<sup>1</sup> where, feeling very severely a violent hd.ach and sick stomach, I went to bed early.

*Thursday, 10th.* Very great appearances of rain in the morning, and a little falling, induced me, tho' well recovered to wait till abt. 8 O'clock before I set off. At one O'clock I arrived at Baltimore. Dined at the Fountain, and Supped and lodged at Doctr. McHenry's.<sup>2</sup> Slow rain in the Evening.

*Friday, 11th.* Set off before breakfast, rid 12 miles to Skerrett's [Tavern] for it; baited there, and proceeded without halting (weather threatning) to the Ferry at Havre de gras, where I dined, but could not cross, the wind being turbulent and squally. Lodged here.

*Saturday, 12th.* With difficulty (on acct. of the Wind) crossed the Susquehanna. Breakfasted at the Ferry house on the East side. Dined at the head of Elk (Hollingsworth's Tavern), and lodged at Wilmington at O'Flins.<sup>3</sup> At the Head of Elk I was overtaken by Mr. Francis Corbin<sup>4</sup> who took a seat in my carriage [to Wilmington].

*Sunday, 13th.* About 8 O'clock Mr. Corbin and myself set out, and dined at Chester (Mrs. Withys),<sup>5</sup> where I was

<sup>1</sup> Major Thomas Snowden's at Elk Ridge Landing.

<sup>2</sup> Dr. James McHenry, one of Washington's aides in the Revolution and, later, Secretary of War of the United States.

<sup>3</sup> Patrick O'Flynn, at the 'Sign of the Ship.'

<sup>4</sup> Francis Corbin was then a member of the Virginia Assembly.

<sup>5</sup> Mrs. Mary Whitbey's. She was the widow of John Whitbey, an English army officer. Her hostelry, known as the 'Columbia Hotel,' was considered among the best in America.

An Inventory and Appraisement of the  
 Wives of Capt. Patrick O'Flaherty late of the Province  
 Under signed duly appeared by the Executor for the  
 The same the 26 Day of August in the year of  
 as follows to wit

The wearing apparel of the Deceased	\$ 20
One Share of Stock of the United States Bank @ 125	1250
Three Dills of Francis Turnbills Stock @ 20	240
Two Shares of Bridge Stock	100
at Negro Man called Charles who has 8 Years to Serve from this time	150
an Indented Black Girl who has 8 Years to serve called Sarah	90
An Old and decrepid Coloured Man called James who we consider as a charge to the Estate	---
a Bound Black Boy called Jack who has about 7 Years to serve	30
1 Pair of Oxen and Yoke	40
1 Old Corral Horse	30
1 Small brown Dill	20
1 Wagon and Beers	40
1 lb Salt @ 5 1 Grind Stone @ 1.50	6 50
28 Bushels of Flour @ 24	56

Total \$ 2074.50

Goods and Chattels of the Estate of  
 of Wilmington Deceased, as made and taken by the  
 Probate of Will of the County of Albemarle  
 and sold to the House and Esq. Hundred and fifteen

Amount Due to Me	\$ 278:50
Two Cases	4
1 Cotton Bed, bedstead, and Coverlid	10
1 Hair Bed & Bedstead	8
Two New Chairs --- 75¢ New Single Bed \$15	15 75
1 old single Bed, bedstead and blanket	8
1 old Bed and Bedstead (large)	8
1 Ditto --- Ditto	15
1 Ditto --- Ditto not so old	20
1 Single bed and bedstead and coverlid	18
3 pair of Blankets \$12. 1 old Table 25¢	12 25
1 Single Bed and Bedstead, quilt and sheet	20
1 Ditto Ditto --- Ditto	18
1 Small Table 25¢ 1 Bed, bedstead, quilt and sheet \$15	18 25
1 Looking Glass \$1.50, 1 old Walnut Table 75¢	2 25
1 old Fashioned Chest of Drawers	3
6 Chairs and Stand \$3. 1 old Table \$2	5
2 Sets of Bed Coverings \$8. 5 Sets of Bed Coverings \$15	23
6 old chairs. (2nd)	3
2 New Single Bedsteads & 1 pair of Sheets	20
2 Large Bedsteads --- \$15	15
	252 50



Ch <sup>m</sup> of Inventory Returned	Prot <sup>o</sup> No 10	Dollars	2760.25
Amo <sup>t</sup> in the cellar			5
1 Wheel Barrow	\$3. Saddle & Bridle	\$3	6
1 Shovel	spade pick and axe		1.50
14 Tons of Hay			140

Em<sup>t</sup> in addition  
\$1002

Shoemaker & Co  
John Sellers

3912.75  
1002  
2910.75

And Stockton

Inventory of the Goods  
and Effects of Patrick  
John Dec 15

Inventory  
Patrick & Thomas  
Sept. 8. 1815

# In the name of the State of Delaware,

By

The Governor of the said State,

**W**HEREAS *Patrick O'Flinn* \_\_\_\_\_ hath been recommended unto me, as a sober and fit person to keep a Public House of Entertainment: I DO, therefore, hereby LICENCE and ALLOW the said *Patrick O'Flinn* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ to keep a Public House of Entertainment in the Borough of Wilmington

in the House where he now dwells, for the selling of *Wine*, Rum, Brandy, Beer, Ale, Cider, Perry, and all other strong Liquors, until the last day of the next SPRING TERM of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, to be held for the said county; PROVIDED he shall not, during the said time, suffer any drunkenness, unlawful gaming, or any other disorders; but in all things observe and practise all Laws and Ordinances of this State, to his said employment relating.

GIVEN under my hand, and countersigned by the Secretary of the said State, with the Seal of his Office affixed thereto, at Dover the  
*first* day of *June*, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred *One*.

*Abraham Ridgely*  
Secretary of the State of Delaware.

Tavern Licences Granted  
at May Sessions 1796.

Tavern Licences Granted  
at December Sessions 1797.

1. John Welsh
2. Thomas Benn
3. Joshua McLean
4. James Snow
5. Robert Montgomery
6. George Taylor
7. Samuel Launders
8. James Buckson
9. John Robenson
10. Nathan Boyce
11. John Chratton
12. John Aiken
13. Gasper Smith
14. John Betson
15. Sean Elliott
16. David Kirkpatrick
17. Robert Parker
18. William Neilson
19. John Fritchett
20. Joseph Hopfinger
21. Daniel Cook
22. Peter Hendrickson
23. William Meir
24. John Spurrier
25. Charles Springer
26. James Burchell
27. Jesse Harris
28. William Bassett
29. Samuel Rowan

30. Rebecca Read
31. William Mann
32. Alexander McMullan
33. Patrick O'Flinn
34. William Shannon
35. John brow
36. John Miller
37. William Creary
38. Peter Jaquett
39. Widow Thompson
40. William Armstrong
41. Sarah Lyon
42. James Hamilton
43. Ann Armstrong
44. David Brinton
45. Rachael Montgomery
46. Enoch Welsh
47. Peter Springer
48. John Darragh
49. Jedediah Davidson
50. Samuel Burers
51. Widow Shields
52. Mary Dick
53. Watkins Crumpton
54. Sarah Darby
55. Samuel Stewart

Wm Glasgow, clk. of the Peace



Attested List of Tavern  
keepers in Newcastle County  
for 1796. →

Tavern Licences granted for the year 1799.

Brandywine Hundred.

- L. John Delahay & Wm Bonnick L. p. <sup>Doll.</sup> 12.
- Jane Elliott . . . . . p. 12.
- Mary Landers . . . . . p. 12.
- Lancelot L. Smith . . . . . p. 8.
- Samuel Stewart . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Joseph Dutton . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Charles Frute . . . . . p. 12.

Millcreek Hundred

- Robert Montgomery p. 12.
- L. John Bracken p. 8.
- Ezekiel Reece p. 12
- Alexander Forrest, gone away
- L. Maycut McDonald p. 8

Whiteclay Creek Hundred

- L. Ann Armstrong p. 8.
- L. Joseph Hossinger p. 12.
- L. Joseph Janvier p. 12.
- L. John Britchett p. 12.
- L. William Shannon p. 12
- L. George Terrill p. 8.

Christiana Hundred.

- Nathan Boyce . . . . . p. 12.
- L. David Brinton . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Sarah Bassett . . . . . p. 12
- L. Jacob Cline . . . . . p. 12
- L. Wathens Crampton p. 12
- L. James Hamilton . . . . . p. 12.
- Peter Hendrickson . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Rachel Montgomery p. 12.
- L. David Kirkpatrick . . . . . p. 12.
- L. James Rysel . . . . . p. 12.
- L. John Miller . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Patrick O'Flinn . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Joshua McLean . . . . . p. 12.
- L. George Bell . . . . . p. 12
- L. Samuel Parks . . . . . p. 12
- Charles Springer . . . . . p. 12.
- L. George Taylor . . . . . p. 12.
- L. John West . . . . . p. 12.
- L. Joshua Jackson . . . . . p. 12.

Pencader Hundred

- William Neilson p. 12.
- L. John James p. 12.

Red Lion Hundred

- John Calhoun p. 12.
- Mary McBrierty . . . . .

S. Georges Hundred.

- # John Aiken . . . . . p. 8.
- L. James Burchall p. 12.
- Mary Calhoun p. 12.
- Rebecca Shields p. 12.
- L. Rebecca Read p. 8
- L. David L. Reece p. 12.

Appoquinimink Hundred

- James Buckson p. 12.
- Thomas Benn p. 12.

Newcastle Hundred

- L. William Armstrong p. 12.
- L. Caleb P. Bennett p. 12.
- L. John Betson . . . . .
- John Crow
- John Darrah
- L. Francis Dunlap p. 12
- L. Jedediah Davidson p. 12.
- L. James McCullough p. 12.
- L. William Mann p. 8
- L. Samuel Rowan p. 12.
- William Weir . . . . . p. 12.
- Sarah Darby . . . . . p. 12.

Pencader Hundred

- Benjamin Cook p. } 8
- Sept. 12. 1799 . . . . . }

*[Signature]*  
Total Doll. 704.00

A List of Tavern Keepers Recommended by the Judges of  
the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, at the May Sessions 1799.

Brandywine Hundred -

John Delahay & Wm. Bonnicks  
Jane Elliott,  
Mary Landers  
Lancelot L. Smith  
Samuel Stewart  
Joseph Dutton  
Charles Frette

Christiana. David Brinton.

Nathan Boyce.  
Sarah Bassett,  
Jacob Cline  
Watkins Crampton  
James Hamilton  
Peter Hendrickson  
Rachel Montgomery  
David Kirkpatrick  
James Russell.  
John Miller  
Patrick C. Florin  
Joshua McLean.  
George Bell.  
Samuel Parks  
Charles Springer  
George Taylor  
John West.

New Castle - Joshua Jackson.  
William Armstrong  
Caleb T. Bennett.  
John Betson.  
John Crow.  
John Darrah  
Francis Dunlap.

New Castle Hundred.

Jediah Davidson  
James M. Cullough  
William Mann.  
Samuel Rowan  
William Weir.  
Sarah Darby.

Mill-Creek. Robert Montgomery  
John Bracken.  
Ezekiel Reece.  
Alexander Forrest

White-Clay-Creek. Margaret McDonald  
Ann Armstrong  
Joseph Hossinger  
Joseph Janvier  
John Fritchett  
William Shannon  
George Ferrill.

Pencader. William Nielson.  
John James.

Reb lions. John Colhoun.  
Mary M. Brierty

St. Georges. John Aiken  
James Burchall  
Mary Colhoun  
Rebecca Shields  
Rebecca Read  
David L. Reece.

Upper. James Buckson  
Thomas Benn.

We the Subscribers Judges of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace  
held at New Castle, for the County of New Castle, DO Recommend to his  
Excellency the Governor of the State of Delaware, the above named  
Persons, as fit Persons and well qualified for keeping Taverns or  
Houses of Entertainment in the said County, ~~in the said County~~  
Given under our Hands at New Castle, this first day of June A. D.

1799.

J. A. Booth  
Dan. Rodney

A List of Tavern Licences Granted at assize Sessions 1799.

- |  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| 1. { John Delahay and }<br>{ William Bonnick } | 33. Jedediah Davidson |
| 2. Jane Elliott                                | 34. James McCullough  |
| 3. Mary Landers                                | 35. William Mann      |
| 4. Lancelot L. Smith                           | 36. Samuel Rowan      |
| 5. Samuel Stewart                              | 37. William Weir      |
| 6. Joseph Dutton                               | 38. Sarah Darby       |
| 7. Charles Frute                               | 39. Robert Montgomery |
| 8. David Brinton                               | 40. John Bracken      |
| 9. Nathan Boyce                                | 41. Ezekiel Reece     |
| 10. Sarah Bassett                              | 42. Alexander Forrest |
| 11. Jacob Cline                                | 43. Margaret McDonald |
| 12. Watkins Crampton                           | 44. Ann Armstrong     |
| 13. James Hamilton                             | 45. Joseph Hopinger   |
| 14. Peter Hendrickson                          | 46. Joseph Janvier    |
| 15. Rachel Montgomery                          | 47. John Pritchett    |
| 16. David Kirkpatrick                          | 48. William Shannon   |
| 17. James Rupal                                | 49. George Terril     |
| 18. John Miller                                | 50. William Neilson   |
| 19. Patrick O'Flinn                            | 51. John James        |
| 20. Joshua McLean                              | 52. John Calhoun      |
| 21. George Bell                                | 53. Mary McBrierty    |
| 22. Samuel Parks                               | 54. John Aiken        |
| 23. Charles Springer                           | 55. James Burchall    |
| 24. George Taylor                              | 56. Mary Calhoun      |
| 25. John West                                  | 57. Rebecca Shields   |
| 26. Joshua Jackson                             | 58. Rebecca Read      |
| 27. William Armstrong                          | 59. David L. Reece    |
| 28. Caleb P. Bennett                           | 60. James Buckner     |
| 29. John Betson                                | 61. Thomas Beem       |
| 30. John Crow                                  |                       |
| 31. John Danah                                 |                       |
| 32. Francis Dunlap                             |                       |

Newcastle June 1<sup>st</sup> 1799. The above ~~Persons~~ <sup>the</sup> were recommended by the Judges of Court of General Sessions of the Peace for Newcastle County to his Excellency the Governor as fit Persons for keeping Taverns in said County.

Abel Glasford, Clk. of the Peace

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace for the County of Newcastle.

The Petition of Patrick O'Flinn - of Christiana  
Hundred in the County of Newcastle a/s?

Humbly Sheweth.

That your Petitioner hath for some time past, kept a House  
of Public Entertainment for Travellers & others in the  
Hundred a/s? & behaved himself according to Law.

Your Petitioner therefore Prays your Honors  
Recommendation to his Excellency the Governor that he may  
be Permitted to retail Strong Liquors at his present dwelling  
House. And your Petitioner as in duty bound will ever Pray

Patrick O'Flinn

May 22<sup>d</sup> 1798.

1797  
Petition.  
of Patrick O'Hara.



Granted

To the Honorable Judges of the Court of General  
Sessions of the Peace for Newcastle County.

The petition of Patrick O'Flinn of Horsham  
Hundred in the County of Newcastle aforesaid

respectfully sheweth,


That your petitioner hath for some time past un-  
kept a House of Public Entertainment for Travellers  
and others in the Hundred aforesaid and behaved himself  
according to law.

Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honors  
Recommendation to his excellency the Governor that he  
may be permitted to retail strong Liquors at his  
present dwelling House. And your petitioner as in  
Duty Bound will ever pray &c.

Patrick O'Flinn

May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1799.

Petition of  
Patrick O. Flynn



granted.



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Capt. David McKee 7th

Mark Lige	}	4
Joseph Murphy		
Andrew Cunnigam		
Hezekiah Peterson		

Capt. David Montgomery

John Russell	}	4
Jesse Logan		
John Tardy		
John Moore		

1st Reg't (30)

Capt. William McClay 8th

Patrick Connelly  
 Anges Martin  
 George Barnet  
 Joseph McDowell

(26) 2d Reg't.

3 Regiment

Capt. Abraham Stotts 1st

John Holland	}	
James Garrison		
George Phips		

Capt. William Clark 2d

Joshua Gyles	}	3
Archibald Finney		
Abraham Deford		

Capt. William Moody 3d

Peter Cruzen	}	4
John McDonough		
Thomas Brouster		
Cornelius Belveal		

Capt. Thomas Weatherspoon 4th

James Lyle	}	3
Jacob Street		
John Reed		

Capt. Peter Hyatt 5th

Rob't Owens	}	5
John Hanson		
Abraham Vandegrift		
John Tate		
William Belveal		

Capt. John Crawford 6th

Robert Craig	}	4
Thomas Hawke		
Abraham Gonce		
Rob't Streets		

Capt. Thomas Rees 7th

Stephen Enos	}	4
David Stuart		
Mathew Williams		
John Gluckan		

Capt. John Cleaver 8th

Daniel Terry	}	4
James Reynolds		
James Bruxson		
Gilbert Whittington		

3d Reg't (30)

pr me

GEO: EVANS

July 5th 1781.

Capt. Thomas Keans Company consisted of	107 men
John James	110 do
Patrick O'Flins	87 do
Joseph Marshalls	104 do
William Robinsons	89 do
John Garrits	103 do
David McKees	97 do
David Montgomerys	100 do
	—
total	—797
	—

Capt. Isaac Alexanders	57 do
Isaac Granthams	80 do
Isaac Lewiss	79 do
Joseph Israels	66 do
Walter Carsons	78 do
Morton Mortons	46 do
Alexander Thompsons	50 do
William McClays	90 do
	—
total	—556
	—

Capt. Abraham Stotts	65 do
William Clark	84 do
William Moody	95
Thos. Weatherspoon	88
Peter Hyatt	104
John Crawford	100
Thomas Rees	106
John Cleaver	96
	—
total	—744
	—

On the back of the paper:

A list of the mens Names furnished by New Castle County in Coll. II. Neils Reg't.  
1780. Rec'd to hand July 15, 1781. Sam'l Patterson.

For  
His Excellency Caesar Rodney, Esquire.

Return of Militia furnished by New Castle County for the Reg't under Colo. Neill  
To be laid before ye Gen'l Assembly.

His Excellency Caesar Rodney Esquire

Xteen.

To Capt'n Dunn's  
Care if Absent.

3d Reg't (30)

pr me

GEO: EVANS

July 5th 1781.

I do hereby Inlist myself as a Soldier in the Delaware Volenteers for four Months unless sooner Discharged, for one of Six Men of Capt. Jno. Garret's Company of Militia of Colonel Duff's Redgment. In Witness Whereof I sign my hand this 8th Day of July 1780.

Witness

George Stern?  
Tho's Clark.

his  
John X Byrnes  
mark

I do hereby Inlist myself a Volinteer for one of the six men to be (torn) turn out of Capt'n John Garratt Company of Militia till the first day of November next if not sooner discharged, to receive pay, rations Pay etc. the same as the soldiers in the continental army, as Witness my hand & seal this 12th day of July 1780.

Witness

William Brackin  
James Franciss.

John Gass. — (SEAL)

I do hereby inlist myself a Souldier in Capt. John Garrett's Co. for one of six men to turn out of said Company till the first of November next if not sooner discharged to receive Pay, Rations, Etc. the same as the Continental soldiers. Witness my hand this 15th day of July 1780.

Witness

William McClay  
James Dunn.

his  
John X Roberts.  
mark

#### CAPTAIN ISAAC GRANTHAM'S RETURN—4 MEN.

Sir

The Substitutes engaged by me are as follows, viz: *Alexander Patton, James Hall, John Thomas, & Charles Carty.*

Signed  
Isaac Grantham.

To Colo. Henry Darby

July 10th 1780. N.B. The above named is to wait on you next Wednesday.

(On the back of the paper.)

Alexander Patten, an Irishman aged 24 years 5 feet 9 fair hair.

James Hall, an American 23 years 5 feet 8, black hair.

John Thomas, an American 21 years 5 feet 6 Sandy hair.

Charles Carty, an American 18 years 5 feet 7 Dark hair.

A LIST OF THE NAMES OF THE PERSONS ENGAGED TO JOIN THE CONTINENTAL ARMY, BY THE MILITIA COMPANY IN THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ST. GEORGES HUNDRED IN THE COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE? IN COLONEL MCDONOUGH'S BATTALION, THE 4TH OF JULY, 1780.

Robert Owens, John Hanson, Abraham VnDegrift, John Tate, and William Belveal.

Peter Hyatt, Capt.

CAPT. JOS. ISRAEL'S RETURN.

A Return of the Men Engaged to Serve in the Regiment Ordered to be Raised by the Assembly of the Delaware State, the 21 June last, and out of the New Castle Company of Militia.

*Jos. Israel, Captain.*

James Kenear an American 28 years of age, about 5 feet 7—  
Israel Vanleudenghi an American 28 years, 5 feet 10, fair hair.  
Edward Taylor an Englishman 28 years, 5 feet 9—dark hair.  
Cornelas Lary an Irishman 24 years, 5 feet 8—dark hair.

CAPTAIN'S THO'S KEAN'S & PATRICK O'FLINN'S RETURN FOR WILMINGTON.

A List of the Men hired for Captain Kane's Camp'y, July 17, 1780.

*Danl Coghran, David Ross, Robt McCauly, Lewis Jones, John Cample.*

A List of Men hired for Captain O'Flinn's Company, July, 17, 1780.

*Chars Devin, Andw Peterson, Benjm Glen, David Ruth.*

Signed

Patk O'Flinn.

Captain THOMAS WITHERSPOON—3 MEN.

These are therefore to certify that I have Enlisted three effective able bodied Men out of my Company of the Militia, Namely: *James Lyle, Jacob Street, & John Reid*, agreeable to a late Act of Assembly of the Delaware State, in order to re-inforce the Continental Army under comand of the Commander in Chief of the United forces of America. Given under my hand this 8th day of July 1780. Thos Witherspoon, Capt.

To Capt. Saml Smith, Esq.)  
Lieut. of New Castle Co. )

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To the Committee appointed by the Honorable House of Assembly now sitting.

Jany 22d 1781.

Gentlemen you have called upon me to make a report of the proceedings of the several Captns of Militia in Sussex County with respect to the number of Substitutes furnished by each Company &c. I must beg leave to acquaint you that I have come unprepared not having the Returns necessary for your information and can only report from what my memory retains.

Capt. William Stayton of Col. Polks Battalion proceeded to draft but the Company refused to turn out agreeable to his draft or to furnish substitutes or to comply with the Law in any part.

Major Polk says that Capt. Staton sent 2 men afterwards instead of 4 men.

Lt. Wright Commanding Captn Nuttors Company of Col. Polk's Battalion found that his Company would neither suffer him to hire substitutes or draft, each of the aforesaid Companys Quota are four men.

I cannot inform you in what manner Captn Horseys Company of Col. Jones Battalion proceeded after I marched with the Regiment they refused to furnish their quota of men when I marched, (7 men their Quota)

Capt. Gibbons Company furnish'd three Substitutes their Quota was five.

I am Gentlemen yrs to Command

H. NEILL, LT. SUSSEX COUNTY

P. S. Major Polk says Capt. Blowmen sent 2 instead of 3 men.  
Capt. Houston say Capt. Horsey hiar'd 2 of his number  
Capt. Young says he wanted one man  
Capt. Collins say Capt. Geo. Polk wanted one man  
Capt. Shankland wanted a man sent 3 instead of 4  
Capt. Marsh Wanted the same.

On the back of the paper:

Capt. Dawson Paid up Baptis

Davis in full £1515

Daniel Davis he Paid £631: 7: 2

P. S. Clark Cannon & Rich'd Cannon had taken

Notes from Sundrys for Corn &c. Pray the  
house what shall be Don with them & of the  
money that was Paid.

Person ? herd 8th July 1780.

Report of Colo. Neill.

July 28th 1780 Received of Geo. Evans one thousand pounds, part of the  
Substitute money pr me,

On the back of the paper:

David McKee.

Capt. Patrock O'Flins Company July 24th 1780, Peter Hill 105: 0

Aug. 2nd 1780 Received of Geo. Evans seven hundred & fifty pounds on  
account of Capt. Joseph Marshall, in part of my Substitute money pr me  
750: 0: 0 John Sanders

Aug. 3rd 1780 Received of Geo. Evans nine hundred & thirty two pounds  
on account of Capt. Joseph Marshall in part of my substitute money pr me  
932;: 0: 0. Robert Caskey

Aug. 3rd 1780 Received of George Evans five hundred & three pounds  
15/ on account of Capt. David McKee in part of my Substitute money pr me  
503:15: 0. His  
Andrew Cunningham  
Mark

Aug. 9th 1780 Received of George Evans on Account of Capt. David  
McKee, three hundred pounds in part of my Substitute money, pr me  
300: 0: 0. Mark Iego.

Aug. 9th 1780 Received of George Evans, twenty one pounds on account  
of Capt. David McKee, in part of my Substitute Money pr me  
21: 0: 0. His  
Andrew X Cunnigam  
Mark

Aug. 11th 1780 Received of George Evans, two hundred & thirty six  
pounds 12/6 in full of my Substitute money on Account of Capt. David McKee pr me  
236:12: 6. Andrew X Cunningham's  
Mark

of whome, and to whom delivered taking thir receipts. for the Same, Specifying every article-and in what order. You will also farther note, that the Field and Staff is in pay the day I received my orders from his Excellency John McKinly Esqr. dated May the 8th for which you will be accountable for their rations, as they are not drawn by them. You cannot be to Circumspect in your Conduct, and your whole time is to be devoted to the charge.

Saml. Patterson Coll. DB Militia

To Mr John Dickson QM.

N. C. County.

N B a duplicate of the provision return is always to be left with me.

S P

The Field

Saml. Patterson Collo. Henery Foster Lt. Collo. Geo Evans Major

Q M. John Dickson Paymaster Wm Millan

S P—

On the back of the paper:

Orders to Mr Dickson Q.M.

May 11th 1777.

Coppy—

Flying Camp.

To

Mr. John Dickson Q M.

To D B. Militia

Wilmington 17th June 1777.

Collo. Patterson/

In pursuance of an Order of Congress of the 10th Instant, you are forthwith to Order Two Hundred effectives of the Battalion Militia under your command to get their Arms & Accoutrements in best order & to hold themselves in perfect readiness so as to march to . . . . . ? place as completely equiped as in their power next Friday being the 20th Instant formed in three Companies, each to consist of One Captain One Lieutenant One Ensign Four Serjeants Four Corporals One Drummer One Fifer & Fifty Four Privates, to be supplied from the respective Companies of your Battalion in the manner & proportion set forth in a Draught herewith delivered to you.

Jno. McKinly President.

To Samuel Patterson Esq. Collo. of the  
Second Battalion of Militia, of

Nw. Castle County.

On the back of the paper:

His Excellencys Orders

for the Militia

June 17, 1777.

with the drafts.



To march to Wilmington 20h. June 1777.

First Battalion N. C.  
to furnish as follows,

viz. viz—	Cpts.	Lieuts.	Ensigns.	Serjs.	Corps.	Drums.	Fifs.	Privates
Capt. Delaplain. ....	1			2	1		1	18
Capt. Reid. ....		1		1	2			18
Capt. Railstone. ....			1	1	1	1		18
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Capt. Pierce. ....	1			2	1		1	18
Capt. Kean. ....		1		1	2			18
Capt. O Flinn. ....			1	1	1	1		18
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Capt. Black. ....	1			2	1		1	18
Capt. James. ....		1		1	2			18
Capt. Marshall. ....			1	1	1	1		18
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Total. ....	3	3	3	12	12	3	3	162

Second Battalion N C  
to furnish as follows

To march to Wilmington 20th June 1777

Viz—	Cpts.	Lieuts.	Ensigns.	Serjs.	Corps.	Drums.	Fifs.	Privates
Capt. Bryan. ....	1			2	1	1		18
Capt. Clark. ....			1	1	2			18
Capt. Carson. ....		1	0	1	1		1	18
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Capt. Watson. ....	1			2	1		1	16
Capt. Alexander. ....		1		1	2			16
Capt. Lewis. ....			1	1	1	1		22
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Capt. Grantham. ....	1			2	2		1	22
Capt. Dunn. ....		1	1	2	2	1		32
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Total. ....	3	3	3	12	12	3	3	162

To march to Wilmington 20th June 1777.

3d. Battalion

to furnish as

follows viz—	Capt.	Lieuts.	Ensigns.	Serjt.	Corps.	Drums.	Fifs.	Private
Capt. Staats. ....	1			2	1		1	18
Capt. Rankin. ....			1	1	2			18
Capt. Ellis. ....		1		1	1	1		18
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Capt. Clark. ....	1			2	1		1	18
Capt. Caulk. ....		1		1	2			18
Capt. Witherspoon. ....			1	1	1	1		18
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A RETURN OF THE SEVENTH REGIMENT OF DELAWARE MILITIA REVIEWED BY HIS EXCELLENCY JOHN DICKINSON, ESQR. PRESIDENT—&c.—AND SAMUEL PATTERSON, ESQR. BRIGADIER GENERAL.

Officers	Commissioned.										Non Commissioned & Privates.						Total	
	Colonel	Lieut. Col.	Major	Adjutant	Standard Bearer	Surgeon	Captains	Lieutenants	Ensigns	Sergt. Major	Sergeants	Corporals	Drum Major	Pipe Major	Drummers	Pifes		Privates
Abram Stauts.....		1	1	1	1		1	2		1	2	2	1	1			20	34
Wm Clark.....							1	1			2	2					24	30
Wm Moody.....							1	1	1		2						45	50
Peter Hyatt.....								2	1		2						42	47
Thos. Witherspoon.....							1	1	1		2	2				1	54	42
John Crawford.....							1	2	1		2					1	60	67
John Clever.....							1		1		2						40	44
.....								1			2						27	30
																	292	344

To Samuel Patterson, Esqr. Brigadier General  
New Castle County Delaware State--

Cantwell's Bridge 12th October 1782  
Henry Forster Lieut. Col.  
7th Regiment D. M.

(On the back of the Paper:)  
Return of Collo. McDonoughs Regt.

October 12. 1782.

AN ACCOUNT OF THE NUMBER OF MEN IN EACH COMPANY OF MILITIA IN THE 1ST REGIMENT, COMMANDED BY COL. THOS. DUFF.

Captain.	Thomas Kearns	Company,	100 Men.	Returned 5 Men.
"	John James	"	110 "	" 5
"	Patrick O Flin,	"	87 "	" 4
"	Joseph Marshalls	"	89 "	" 4
"	William Robinsons	"	86 "	" 4
"	John Garrets	"	103 "	" 6
"	David McKees,	"	97 "	" 4
"	David Montgomerys	"	100 "	" 4

2nd. REGIMENT COMMANDED BY COL. GUNNING BEDFORD.

Captain.	Isaac Alexander	Company.	57 Men.	Returned 3 Men
	Isaac Grantham		80	4
	Isaac Lewis		79	3
	Joseph Israel,		66	
	Walter Carson,		78	4
	Morton Morton,		46	2
	Alexander Thompson,		50	2
	William McClay,		82	4

3rd. REGIMENT COMMANDED BY COL. THOMAS MCDONOUGH.

Captain.	Abraham Stotts,	65 Men.	Returned 3 Men
	William Clark,	84	3
	William Moody,	95	4
	Thomas Weatherspoon,	88	3
	Peter Hyett,	104	5
	John Crawford,	106	4
	Thos. Rees,	106	4
	Jno. Cleaver,	96	4

—7 March 1778—

COL. DUFFS LISTS OF ENROLLERS.

Honorable Sir

Herewith I have enclosed you all the returns that came to my hands from the Captains of my Battalion of Militia I thought it expedient to send you Copies of what I was possessed of, and as I think from the due notice they had from me in general they will yet make the remainder of the returns, I shall as soon as they come to hand Transmit copies thereof to you—

Captain James says he cant make a Return of his Company unless Captain Black & Rice, was present, as they have not divided the Hundred into Districts, I remember the return they made to me in the former Presidents time, was a Joynt return of the three Companies, which included the whole of the Hundred.



Serving any longer, having a disorder that renders him unfit for Service, as the law cant be carried into execution without Officers. I shall be obliged to you for advice how to proceed. I am apprehensive that a proper person cant be had to command in that district.

I remain your Humble Svt

On the back of the paper.

Geo. Evans.

Letter from Colo Evans Lieut of New Castle County respecting Commissions to Militia Officers.

Nov. 1781.

His Excellency Caesar Rodney, Esqr., Dover.

RETURNS OF CAPTN. WALTER CARSONS COM'Y.		June 7 1779.	August 30th	Sept. 25th	Oct'r 19th	April 29th 1780.	May 26th	June 6th
Pd.	Benjamin Chambers.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Chambers, Senr.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Tardy.....	1	1	1	1			
	James Kerr.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Kerr.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	James Russell.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Wm McClay, Weaver.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Chambers, Jun.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	David McConkey.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Taylor.....					1	1	1
	Isaac Hearshy.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Joseph Steel.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Isaac McConnell.....					1	1	1
	James Anderson, Weaver.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Pasmore.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Dolton.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Richard Roberts.....					1	1	1
	William Evans.....	1	1	1				
	Robert McCosgray.....	1	1	1		1	1	1
	James Simpson, Merch't.....					1	1	1
Pd.	William Mann, Jun'r.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	John Wattson.....	1	1	1	1			
	Thomas Hall.....		1	1				
	Thomas Bradley.....			1	1	1	1	
Pd.	James Stewart.....			1				
	Samuel Ennis Under Age.....		1	1				
	Peter Worms.....		1					
	John Prichitt.....				1			
	Charles Graham.....				1			
	Henry Gunn.....				1			
	Robert McKintire.....				1			
	William Hanen.....				1			
	James Musgrove.....				1			
	James Brown.....					1		
	Samuel Kerr.....					1	1	1
	Thomas McCallen.....					1	1	1
	Alexander Cummings.....					1	1	1
	Joseph Prichit.....					1	1	
	Daniel Flen?.....							1

I do Certify that the above is a true Copy from the Originals the Captain produced me.

HENRY DARBY, Sub L't. N.C.

## CAPTAIN JAMES POLLOCK'S TROOP OF HORSE

contained the following names

JAMES POLLOCK, Captain  
 WILLIAM OWENS, Lieutenant  
 JOHN POLK, Quarter-master

## Troopers

GRAY, THOMAS  
 GRIFFITH, JOHN Jun.  
 HURLEY, EDMUND  
 HURLEY, LEVIN  
 HURLEY, PHARAOH  
 MURPHEY, ISAAC  
 OWENS, DAVID  
 POLK, JOSEPH  
 WILLEY, ABSALOM

(See Sheet of Receipts for pay.)

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Received July 20th 1787 of James Pollock, the sum of four pounds eleven shillings & eight pence, in full for my Cotor of pay for serving as Lieutenant in said Pollock's Troop

*William Owens.*

Received August 29th 1787 of James Pollock, the sum of three pounds thirteen shillings & four pence, in full of my pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

DAVID OWENS.

Received August 1st 1787 of James Pollock the sum of one pound two shillings & eleven pence in full for his services as a Trooper under said Pollock

Edmund Hurley.

Received August 17th 1787 of James Pollock the sum of one pound two shillings & eleven pence in full of his pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

LEVIN HURLEY.

Received August 17th 1787 of James Pollock the sum of one pound two shillings & eleven pence in full for his Cotor of pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

JOSEPH POLK.

Received August 28th 1787 of James Pollock the sum of one pound two shillings & eleven pence in full for my pay for serving as a Trooper undre said Pollock

PHARAOH HURLEY.

October 3rd 1787 Then Received of James Pollock the sum of one pound two shillings & eleven pence in full of his cotor of pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

his  
 ISAAC MURPHEY  
 mark

October 8th 1787, Then received of James Pollock the sum of eight shillings & four pence in full of my cotor of pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock by me

JOHN GRIFFITH, Jun.

Received November 5th 1787 of James Pollock, the sum of eight shillings & four pence in full of my pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

THO'S GRAY

Received November 5th 1787 of James Pollock, the sum of two pounds one shilling & three pence, in full of my pay for serving as a Quarter-Master under in a Troop of Horse Commanded by said Pollock

JOHN POLK.

Received November 13th 1787 of James Pollock the sum of fourteen shillings & seven pence in full of my pay for serving as a Trooper under said Pollock

ABSALOM WILLEY.

A List of the Rations Drawn from Abijah Phillips, for the use of the Regiment by me George Evans.  
July 25th 1780

Capt. Israel's Men	4 Rations	2 Days.	
Capt. Jos. Marshall's Men	4 do.	3 days.	
Capt. McKee's .	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Garret's	6 do.	3 do.	
Capt. James	5 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Carson	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Grantham	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Robinson	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Thomson	2 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Kean	5 do.	3 do.	
Capt. O'Flin	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Clark's	3 do.	3 do.	26
Capt. Montgomery	3 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Hyatt's	5 do	3 do.	
Capt. Moody	4 do.	3 do.	
Capt. Lewis	3 do.	3	
Capt. Alexander	3 do.	3	

RETURN OF THE ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS THAT ARE FIT FOR SERVICE IN COLONEL JOSHUA POLK'S BATTALION, OCTR 19th 1782.

Companies	Guns	Bayonets	Cartouch Boxes.
Captns			
Joseph Dawson	33	1	
Nath'l Hays	21		
Francis Wright	20		
Curtes Morriss	20		2
Levin Shaver	24		
John Chance	20	1	8
Nehemiah Cary	13		
Luke Watson	16	1	1
Total	167	3	11

## DELAWARE MILITIA.

### ARRANGEMENTS & LIST OF THE SUMS CHARGED IN THE "GENERAL STATE OF THE MILITIA ACCOUNTS.

22d of August for 1000 militia to rendezvous at Newport & Christiana bridge then to be in the pay of the Continent until the 30 of November unless sooner discharged, to wait the orders of genl Washington. On the 23 before he received this requisition, president McKinly ordered the whole militia to be arrayed, those of Sussex to remain in the county for defence thereof against internal foes & depredations of the enemy: and those of Newcastle & Kent to rendezvous at Middletown under the command of genl Rodney. And I am not informed whether any orders were afterwards given to comply more particularly with the requisition: Yet the the accounts for the whole of the New castle & Kent Militia them embodied, and part of them continued to October are now exhibited to form a charge against the United States. I never understood that the Kent militia Joined the continental army or acted under the orders of the commander in chief: but some of those embodied in Newcastle whose numbers were equal to the requisition I am informed did act under the orders of the commander in chief in concert with the continental army, but I am not informed that all of them did and for the whole time charged in the rolls; the contrary appears more probable from the face of the rolls, especially with respect to Col Cantwells battalion, some companies of which appear to have been in service at Port Penn, & Bombay hook, where it is probable they were not ordered by genl Washington: And only two companies drew the bounty which it seems those who marched into Maryland were entitled to by act of Assembly,\* and I cannot suppose (without authority for so doing) that any part of them were continued in the service of the United States, after the army moved to Chester without them. If then any part of the service is to be charged to the United States, some evidence to discriminate it from that which ought not, is necessary. And if the whole is, other evidence that I am possessed of is necessary to prove it.—Four thousand dollars on account of the United States was advanced in this service by president McKinly on the 28th of August to George Latimer esqr. who was appointed to pay these militia.

\*See the note on next page.

On the back of the paper:

Colonel Duffs Battalion.

Field & Staff.....	5	from 23d Augt to	12 Septemr.
Capt Black's Company .....	46	.....24	" 12 days.
James's " .....	58	..... "	" 15 do.
Robinsons " .....	40	.....23	" 21 to 26 do.
Keans " .....	73	.....24	" 23 do
O Flynn's " .....	38	..... "	" 21 to 23 do
Rices " .....	33	..... "	" 11 do
Pearce's " .....	26	.....23	" 9 to 11 days.



Coll Patersons Battn.

Field & Staff.....	5	.....23	Augt to	30th	Septemr.
Capn Watson's company .....	50	.....24	"	19	October
Alexanders do .....					
Carsons " .....	45	.....24	"	1	do
Granthams " .....	60	.....25	"	11	Septr
Lewis's " .....	94	.....23	"	42 to 45	days.
Dunn's " .....	29	.....24	"	30	Septemr
Clarks " .....	46	.....	"	2	do
Mortons " .....	36	.....		10 to 12	days

Coll Cantwell's Battn

Field & Staff.....	4	.....26	Augt. to	25	Septemr
Capt Hyats company .....	41	.....	"	30 to 31	days
Witherspoons " .....	35	.....27	"	21	Septr
Moody's " .....	60	.....24	"	25	do
Rankins " .....	65	.....25	"	26 do	} marched to Elk.
Elliss's " .....	29	.....		30 days	
Clarks " .....	35	.....27	"	15	Septr.
Crawfords " .....	42	.....26	"	19 to 20	days
Robinsons " .....	30	..... 5	Septr....	12	days

1025

No roll appears to ascertain the number of Cap. Alexanders company. suppose it	}	50
		1075

N.B. Wetherspoons company were discharged at Port Penn and the last service of Crawfords was on Bombay Hook. None of Col Cantwells Battn received the bounty for marching into Maryland but Rankins & Elliss therefore it is presumed none others of them did march in to that State where it is said genl Washington ordered those under his command consequently no others of that Battalion were put under the orders of genr Washington agreeable to the requisition.

Endorsed: [Observations on the requisitions and accounts of the Militia of Delaware in 1777.]

On the back of the paper.

date of the Payment 1779.				Pay allowed & Abstract	transportain allowed	Errors	Not Allowed.	Whole amount as charged in the account, exhibtd.
<u>Coll Duff's batn.</u>								
March	31	Capt	Black's Coy.....	1	150	60		
February	27		James's do.....	2	231	16		
March	12		Robison's do.....	3	252	15		
	4		Kean's do.....	4	379	86		
	1		O'Flynn's do.....	5	194	67		
	29		Rice's do.....	6	106	56		
	20		Pierces do.....	7	72	1		
			Delaplains.....	8				
			Cragheads.....	9				
May	15		Qur. Masters.....	10				
March	} to May	Field & Staff.....		11	130	37		
		Majr Walker.....		12				
<u>Coll. Patersons batt.</u>								
April	9th	Field & Staff.....		1	264	67		
March	18	Capt	Watsons Co.....	2	299	60		
	29		Alexander's do.....	3				
	20		Carson's do.....	4	375	53		
	2		Grantham's do.....	5	147	67		
	23		Lewis's do.....	6	557	81		
	16		Dunn's do.....	7	378	71		
	10		Clarks do.....	8	109	12		
	2		Mortons do.....	9	87	71		
				10				
				11				
				12				
<u>Coll. Cantwells batn.</u>								
March	15	Field & Staff.....		1				
March	15	Capt.	Hyats Coy.....	2	250	83		
	10		Witherspoons.....	3	154	2		
February	27		Moody's.....	4	344	42		
March	15		Rankin's.....	5	505	57		
	15		Clark's.....	6	130	43		
	9		Ellis's.....	7	161	36		
	15		Crawfords.....	8	151	65		
	15		Robinson's.....	9	95	38		

Proof of the within  
 Pay.....5784.76  
 Transportation 953.42  
 Rejected 4845.83  
 Suspended.....2555.80

14140.11

Paid as within by G Latimer 14061.14 — — — + 4<sup>r</sup> N. 6 + 4<sup>r</sup> 7  
 + 73<sup>o</sup>—30<sup>r</sup> 8 + 9<sup>r</sup> 12 + 2<sup>r</sup> 4a  
 + 1<sup>r</sup> 5a = amt of gen State  
 the amt. of genl State 14139.34 + 60<sup>r</sup> 4 + 10<sup>r</sup> 8a + 6<sup>r</sup> 9a =14140.11  
 Mer....?Subtracted 4.60 N. 3b.  
 14134.64  
 10 No 12  
 14134.54

On the back of the Paper;:  
[List of Charges Etc]

THE VOUCHERS FOR ACCOT NO — ENTITLED "GENERAL STATE OF THE MILITIA ACCOUNTS FOR NEWCASTLE COUNTY" WITH THOSE FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF BY GEO. LATIMER EXHIBITED BY THE STATE OF DELAWARE EXAMINED AND ARRANGED. AND THE PAY &c OF THE MILITIA CHARGEABLE TO THE UNITED STATES UNDER THEIR RESOLUTION OF AUGT. 22d 1777 ESTIMATED THEREFROM WITH REMARKS &c.—

date of the payment by Geo. Latimer		Names of the Accountants &c	No. in Geo. Latimers act	Pay as Pr Abstract Allowed		Transportation allowed		Suspended		Not Allowed		Whole Amount	
1779		Coll. Duffs Battn											
March	31	Capt Blacks Co.....	1	150	60	.....	.....	67	60	255	42	473	72
February	27	James's.....	2	231	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	305	30	536	46
March	12	Robinson's.....	3	252	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	152	60	404	75
	4	Kean's.....	4	379	86	.....	.....	.....	.....	287	30	667	26
	1	O'Flynn's.....	5	194	67	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	334	67
	29	Rice's.....	6	106	56	44	.....	.....	.....	129	20	279	76
	20	Pierces.....	7	72	1	36	.....	.....	.....	106	81	214	82
		Delaplains.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73	30	73	30
Feby	24	Cragheads.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83	.....	83	.....
May	15	Qur Mr Stedhams.....	10	.....	.....	72	72	40	60	.....	.....	113	42
March	} to May	Field & Staff 9 &	11	155	67	.....	.....	122	57	.....	.....	278	34
		Majr Walkers Corps	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	532	72	532	72
		Coll. Patersons Batn											
April	9	Field & Staff.....	1a	264	67	.....	.....	97	56	.....	.....	362	33
March	18	Capt Watsons Co.....	2a	299	60	96	.....	.....	.....	255	59	651	29
	29	Alexander.....	3a	.....	.....	.....	.....	332	15	243	12	575	27
	20	Cassons.....	4a	375	53	45	30	.....	.....	285	69	706	62
	2	Granthams.....	5a	147	67	64	.....	.....	.....	368	.....	579	67
	23	Lewis's.....	6a	557	81	85	30	28	58	661	80	1333	69
	16	Dunn's.....	7a	378	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	252	.....	630	71
	10	Clarks.....	8a	109	12	30	60	106	24	183	80	429	86
	2	Mortons.....	9a	87	71	48	.....	.....	.....	143	84	279	65
April	2	Baggs.....	10a	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	102	60	102	60
March	20	Jno. McMechin.....	11a	.....	.....	64	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	.....
		Jno Waterson.....	12a	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	5	.....
		Coll. Cantwells Batn											
March	15	Capt Hyatts Co.....	1b	250	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	41	253	34
	10	Witherspoon's...	2b	154	2	49	30	12	60	.....	.....	216	2
February	27	Moody's.....	3b	344	42	53	30	18	30	1	88	418	10
March	15	Rankins.....	4b	505	57	.....	.....	17	.....	260	.....	782	57
	9	Elliss's.....	5b	161	36	.....	.....	12	20	116	84	290	50
	15	Thomas Lawson.....	6b	.....	.....	90	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	60
	16	J. James commissary.	7b	.....	.....	.....	.....	783	48	.....	.....	783	48
	15	Will Woodland.....	8b	.....	.....	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52	.....
	15	Benjn. Williams.....	9b	.....	.....	.....	.....	441	65	.....	.....	441	65

date of the payment by Geo. Latimer	Names of the Accountants, etc.	No. of Geo. Latimers acc.	Pay as per Abstract Allowed		Transportation allowed		Suspended		Not Allowed		Whole Amount	
15	Zebn. Hollingsworth.	10b					83	30			83	30
16	Leonard Vandegrift.	11b							28		28	
	Doctr Wynkoop.						6	60			6	60
15	Sundries as on other side.	12b	603	86	122		141	55	106	17	973	68
			5784	76	953	42	2312	68	5083	49	14134	55

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		Coln. Cantwells batn contd.											
March	15	Field & Staff	12b	226	30			56	75	16	45	229	60
		Capn Clark's Co.	do	130	43	16		7	40	28	51	182	44
		Crawford's	do	151	65			10	60			162	35
		Robeson's	do	95	38	32				2	60	130	8
		George Armstrong	do					66	60			66	60
		David Stewart	do							58	41	58	41
		Benj Bunker	do			18	60					18	60
	Ozocr.	do			55	30					55	30	
				603	86	122		141	55	106	17	973	68

Endorsed: [List of the sums charged in the Genl State of the Militia Accots for Newcastle County with the dates of the payments.]

Batalions Companies &c.		Amount in doll'rs of numbers as pr. gen State acc.		Amount paid by Geo. Latimer in dollars.		Pay allowed as pr. abstract		Transportation Allowed.		Provision all'wed	Retained rations all'd	Not allowed to debit the United States, including errors.	Surps.		
Col Duffs batn															
1	Capn Blacks Co ...	473	72	473	72	150	60	...	...	...	...	255	42	67	60
2	James do ...	536	46	536	46	231	16	...	...	...	...	305	30	...	...
3	Robinsons do ...	404	75	404	75	252	15	...	...	...	...	152	60	...	...
4	Keans + 5/ do ...	667	26	667	26	379	86	...	...	...	...	288	...	+	..
5	O'Flynn's do ...	334	67	334	67	194	67	...	...	...	...	140	...	...	...
6	Rices do ...	279	76	279	72	106	56	44	...	...	...	129	20	...	...
7	Pearces do ...	214	82	214	78	72	1	36	...	...	...	106	81	...	...
8	Delaplains do ...	73	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	30	...	...
9	Cragheads do ...	83	...	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	...	...
10	Qur. Mr. Stedhams acc	113	42	113	42	...	...	72	72	...	...	...	...	40	60
11	Field & Staff Officers	278	34	278	34	155	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	57
12	Majr R Walker Co ...	532	72	532	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	532	72	...	...
Col Patersons batn															
1a	Field & Staff. ....	362	33	362	33	264	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	56
2a	Capt Watsons Co ...	651	29	651	29	299	60	96	...	...	...	255	59	...	...
3a	Alexanders do ...	575	27	575	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	575	27
4a	Carsons do ...	706	62	706	60	375	53	45	30	...	...	285	69	...	...
5a	Granthams do ...	579	67	579	66	147	67	64	...	...	...	368	...	...	...
6a	Lewis's do ...	1333	69	1333	69	557	81	85	30	...	...	661	80	28	58
7a	Dum's... do ...	630	71	630	71	378	71	...	...	...	...	252	...	...	...
8a	Clarks + 10d do.	429	86	429	86	109	12	30	60	...	...	184	...	+106	24
9a	Mortons + 6d do.	279	65	279	65	87	71	48	...	...	...	144	...	+	...
10a	Boggs.. do ...	102	60	102	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	60	...	...
11a	John McMechin acct.	64	...	64	...	...	...	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	John Waterson.....	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...
Coll Cantwells batn															
1b	Capt Hyats Co ...	253	34	253	34	250	83	...	...	...	...	2	41	...	...
2b	Witherspoons do	216	2	216	2	154	2	49	30	...	...	...	...	12	60
3b	Moodys do ...	418	10	418	10	344	42	53	30	...	...	6	58	13	30
4b	Rankins do ...	782	57	782	57	505	57	...	...	...	...	260	...	17	...
5b	Elliss's do ...	290	50	290	50	161	36	...	...	...	...	116	84	12	20
6b	Thos Lawsons acct.	90	60	90	60	...	...	90	60	...	...	...	...	...	...
7b	Comy Jn James do ...	783	48	783	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	783	48
8b	William Woodland do.	52	...	52	...	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9b	Benjn. Williams do ...	441	65	441	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	441	65
10b	Zehn. Hollingsworth..	83	30	83	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	30
11b	Leonard Vandegrift..	28	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	...	...	...
	Doctr Wynkoop.....	6	60	6	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	60
12b	Field & Staff. ....	299	60	299	60	226	30	...	...	...	...	16	45	56	75
do	Cap Clarks Co ...	182	44	182	44	130	43	16	...	...	...	28	51	7	40
do	Crawfords do ...	162	35	162	35	151	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6
do	Robinsons do ...	130	8	130	8	95	38	32	...	...	...	2	60	...	...
do	Geo. Armstrong acct	66	60	66	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	60
do	David Stewart do ...	58	41	58	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	41	...	...
do	B. Bunker do ...	18	60	18	60	...	...	18	60	...	...	...	...	...	...
do	J Ozier.....	55	30	55	30	...	...	55	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
		14134	54	14061	14	5784	76	953	42	...	...	4845	83	2555	80

ARRANGEMENT OF THE CHARGES IN THE GENL. STATE OF MILITIA ACCOTS. OF N. C. COUNTY.

No. of the Vouchers	The Particular charges in the genl. State and their amount.	in £ s d		& dolls & 90ths	Not admittd to debit the U. States		Suspend ed	Allowed as Militia.					
		Pay	rans portation .		Provisions	Retained Rations							
1	Coll. Duff's Battn.....												
	Capt. Black's Co.....												
	Pay.....	56	10	0	150	60			150	60			
	Bounty.....	67	10		180		180						
	do & blanket hire.....	27	10		73	30	73	30					
Sep. 22d Pay & Rations.....	25	7	6	67	60			67	60				
Paper & Flints.....	16			2	12	2	12						
		177	13	6	473	72							
2	Capt. James Co. Pay.....	86	13	10	231	16			231	16			
	Bounty.....	87			232		232						
	do & blaket hire.....	27	10		73	30	73	30					
		201	3	10	536	46							
3	Capt Robinsons Co.....												
	Pay.....	94	16	3	252	75			252	15			
Bounty.....	57			152		152							
		151	16	3	404	75							
4	Capt Keans Co.....												
	Pay.....	142	4	8	379	26			379	26			
	allowed more.....									60			
Bounty.....	108			288		287	30						
		250	4	8	667	26							

No. of the Vouchers	The Particular charges in the genl. State and their amount.	Allowed as Militia.				Not admitd to debit the U. States	Suspended						
		in £ s d		& dolls & 90ths				Pay	Transportation	Provisions	Retained Rations		
5	Capt O'Flynn's Co.....												
	Pay.....	73.	0.	7	194	67			194	67			
	Bounty.....	52.	10.	0	140								
		125.	10.	7	334	67							
6	Capt. Rice's Co .....												
	Pay.....	40.	8.	10	107	76	1	20	106	56			
	Bounty.....	48.			128		128						
	Waggon.....	16.	10.		44					44			
		104.	18.	10	279	76							
7	Capt Pearces Co.....												
	Pay.....	28.	1.	10	74	82	2	81	72	1			
	Bounty.....	39.	0.	0	104		104						
	Waggon.....	13.	10.	—	36					36			
		80.	11.	10	214	82							
8	Capt Delaplains Co.....												
	Bounty & blanket hire.....	27.	10.	0	73	30	73	30					
9	Capt Cragheads Co .....												
	Bounty blanket hire &c .....	31.	2.	6	83		83						
		1150.	12.	0	3068	24	1533	23	+ 67	60	+ 1387.	31	+ 80.

No. of the Vouchers	The particular charges in genl State & of amots	Allowed as Militia													
		in £ s d		& dollars.		Not admitted to debit U. S.		Suspend.		Pay		Transportation		Provisions	Retained Rations
10	Coll Duff's batn. contd .....	1150	120	3068	24	1533	23	67	60	1387	31	80			
	Qur Mr Stedhams accot.....														
	Retained rations due Capt Blacks, Kains, & James' Cos.....	15	5 0	40	60			40	60						
	Waggon Jas Valentines for Capt Keans Co 11 days.....	15	6 0	40	72							40	72		
	do. J. Jones for Capt O'Flynn's Co.....	10	10	28								28			
	His own team 1 Day.....	1	10	4							4				
		42	11	113	42										
11	Field & Staff.....														
	Pay.....	58	3 9	155	15					155	15				
	Allowed more .....											52			
	Retained rations & Forage.....	20	8 4	54	40			53	78						
	Pay & Rations.....	25	15 9	68	69			68	69						
		104	7 10	278	34										
12	Majr. Ralph Walker .....														
	Bale. of Pay.....	199	16 0	532	72	532	72								
		1497	6 10	3992	82	2066	05	+230	87+	1543	8+	152	72		
1a	Coll. Patersons battn														
	Field & Staff.....														
	Pay.....	98	15 10	263	40					263	40				
	Allowed more.....									1	27				
	Retained rations.....	21	3 2	56	58			55	11						
	Forage.....	15	18 9	42	45			42	45						
		135	17 9	362	33										



Third Delaware Regiment—enquire of George Latimer, Esqr.

A paper entitled “a pay roll of the Delaware officers and soldiers now in Camp near Coryell’s Ferry for the month of September, with their Receipts for the same. December 17th 1776.

Amount of which is £440:17:6—paid by Colo. Haslet, only a few days before his death, it is probable was never put into the hands of the Paymaster, and that he paid the same over again (unless the receivers were honest enough to acknowledge the Payment by Colo. Haslet which does not appear) as their pay is made up in the Rolls of the Paymaster and money Rec’d from the Treasury of the United States to discharge it. The account was probably found by his Executor among his other Papers. Quere is the Public to lose the money, or Colo. Haslet’s Children?

Darius Burns was inlisted as a soldier by the Recruiting officer for Kent County and was afterwards put in Goal for Debt, and lay there from the 16th May to the 16th November, 1782, when he was taken out by Capt. Moore—Jno. Dawson has received for his expences in Goal.....9:5:0.

Who is to pay them?

No. 115—Provisions for GenL. Rodney’s Brigade—Postponed.

No. 116—Jno. Smith’s account postponed—waggonage.

No. 117—J. Gooding’s acct.....do.....provisions.

Examine if Mr. McGemant has charged for a Beef steer had by Capt.. Lee of Colo. B. Gibbs.

Account No. 123—is postponed to be settled with the Clothing accounts.

Colo. Haslet’s estate must be charged for £32:2:6.

135 pd. John Freeman the balance due him on 95 pair of shoes for the Del. R gt.

Robert McGermant’s Receipt December 14th 1776 for 32 pair of shoes had from John Freeman for the use of Capt. Popham at 11/3.....£18.... is postponed for further consideration.

No. 140—James Fulton’s account, being for Militia Services, is postponed.

No. 142. Brittingham Ennis’s account postponed for further explanation.

No. 143. Wm. Smith’s account for a Horse impressed by a Party under Lieut. Duff—postponed for further evidence.

In Capt. Shankland’s account No. 47—and No. 145—his own pay is allowed twice, consequently there is an overcharge of 1:10:0.

Subsistance is allowed in the 1st account, 4:15:0

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£ 6: 5:0

as their whole expenses, amounting to

£31:2:4 is allowed in the 2d account

of this last account the Commissioner allowed 37/7 for waggon hire & Bridge money—and £6:7:6 for Provisions for the Prisoners.

No. 146—Plunket Fleeson for standard Drums & Colours for 2d Delaware Reg’t—Postpon’d for further evidence.

147—Wm. Flazer's for Corn furnished Gl. Rodney's Prigade in 1777—postponed—to be considered among the Militia Services.

No. 149 Capt. McLane's account for Recruiting postponed 'till those accounts are taken up.

152. James McNeill for expenses when conducting Capt. Perry, a Prisoner to Lewes—Postponed.

153—Postponed to be brought in with account for Cloathing.

154—Passage of 63 men from Wmton to Philad. an Independent Company—Postponed to be taken up with accounts of Militia Services in 1776.

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January 17th. 1787

LIST OF PENSIONERS

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Name	Receipt	Amount	Name	Receipt	Amount	Name	Receipt	Amount
Archibald McBride	20	30: 7: 6	Patrick Dunn	21	26: 5: 0	John Blaney	22	40:10: 0
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A Roster of Persons appointed Issuing Commissaries at the different Posts, with the Dates of their warrants.

1780 July 7. Samuel Johnston, Issuing Commissary at the Cross-Roads.  
 8. Thomas North do at Dover.  
 10. Solomon Maxwell do at Christiana Bridge.  
 10. Abijah Phillips do at Wilmington.  
 15. Joshua Williams do at Cantwell's Bridge.

Account of The Men Furnished By the Companies in the Eastern Battalion July 10 Day 1780—

Capt. Peter Murphy Company.	John Strafford John Chambers John Vezey	Capt. George Polk Company	James Williams John Williams
Capt. Joseph Waples Company	John Waples Constantine Mariner John Brady Jesse Williams Williams Hopkins	Capt. Thoma Groves Company	William Conwell Jacob Addison Nathaniel Bradford
Capt. Wilm. Delancys Company.	John Tam Robert Hall Jacob Nottingham John Coulter	Capt. John Sheld. Darmon Company.	Daniel Rnoch Thomas West William Hopkins Williams Collins William Mustard
Capt. John Collins Company.	Noble Tull James Jones Frazer Gray	Capt. Rhoad Shankland Company	William Coulter Major Brunley John Fleming

David Hall Colo. of the Lotrance Battalion in Sussex County in the Delaware State.

### ROSTER

Roster of the Officers commissioned by His Excellency Governor Rodney in the Regiment of Delaware Militia appointed to serve in the Army of the United States until the first of Novemr. 1780—with the Dates of their Commissions.

July 8, 1780. Henry Neill Esqr. Lieut. Colo. Commandant  
 James Mitchell Esqr. Major

### CAPTAINS

July 8. Wm. Moody, of New Castle Co.  
 10. Simon Wilmer Wilson of Kent.  
 11. Patrick O'Flynn New Castle.  
 12. Rhodes Shankland Sussex.  
 13. Charles Nixon Kent  
 14. Nathaniel Hayes Sussex

August 2d, Hugh McCracken—3d. George Smith—4th. Wm. McClement—5th  
 Wm. Moore.

LIEUTENANTS.

July 8. Thos. McClintock New Castle  
 10. William McClements Kent  
 11. James Glasgow New Castle  
 12. Samuel Derrickson Sussex  
 13. John Venn Kent  
 14. William Moore Sussex  
 Augt. 2d. Joseph Enos—4th Lucas Stidham—5th Jacob Irons, 7th Benjamin Warren.

ENSIGNS.

July 8. Hugh McCracken. New Castle  
 10. Benjamin Warren Kent.  
 11. Benjamin Allrich New Castle  
 12. Jacob Irons Sussex  
 13. James Frazier Kent  
 14. William Newbold Sussex  
 Augt. 2d. Samuel Moore—4th Peter Jaquett—5th John Piper—7th John Howell.  
 July 10. John West, Quarter-Master  
                     James Tressam Adjutant.  
 Augt. 5. Robert Wilcox, Surgeon.

THE HON'BLE THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY  
 DELAWARE STATE

Dover October 27th 1780

Gentlemen,

The Letter from Brigadier General Gist to his Excellency, being laid before the House, renders it useless for me to mention the Business on which I've returned to the State, and one from George Graghead Esqr. dated the 26th, sufficiently proves, the Deficiency of Clothing, due the Officers of the Regiment—

The disagreeable Situation of the Officers (Prisoners in the Field) must be obvious to every Gentleman of the House, when I assure them, that in our unfortunate Defeat to the Southward, our Baggage was lost, not one saving even a single shift of Clothes. In this Condition I left them expecting an immediate Relief from the State; none has yet been sent, owing to a want of Money, to make the Purchases; the Sooner this necessary Article could be procured, the Sooner Suffers will be relieved

I am, Gentlemen in behalf of  
 the Officers of the Delaware Regt.

Your very Hble Serbt.

W. McKENNAN.