

From INAEY

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1779
June 15.

A Letter from Col^l Lewis DeBois dated at John's Town in Tryon County was laid before the Board informing us that he sends to us under Guard by order of Brigadier General Clinton the following Persons (who were confined in Tryon County Goal and for want of a sufficient Guard to take Care of them at that Place he now sends to us to have confined here (to wit) Henry Merkle, Jacob Merkle, Derick Merkle, Godfrey Supher, Peter Schuyler, David Barber, John Staring, George Fikes, John Kitman, Julius Bush, Dedirick Louks, William Empey [70] Nicholas Shafer, Adam Shafer, John Shafer, John Alt, Nicholas Alt, Jacob Broadhower, Michael Cochnought, John Van Sela, John Devoe, Job Bullingham and John Waters Resolved that they be confined and that a Mittimus be made out for them —

Resolved that Letters be wrote to Col^l Klock, Col^l Vischer and William Harper Esq^r requesting them to transmit to this Board the Crimes with which the above Persons severally stand charged —

Adjourned —

1779
June 18.

Met Albany 18th June 1779

Present

John M. Beeckman	}	Isaac D. Fonda
Mathew Visscher	}	John M ^c Clung ¹

Ensign Tucker of Col^l Alden's Regiment appeared before the Board with two Men belonging to the said Regiment who he informed us he had about a Fortnight since been sent to the Hellebergh in search of a Deserter, that they had returned this day and informed him that they have been taken Prisoners by a Party of Robbers who before they discharged them made them take an Oath not to take

¹ McClung was a commissioner of the Charlotte County board.

up Arms during the present War and it being probable that some very material Information may be collected from their Examinations therefore resolved that they be severally examined — 1779
June 18.

Jeremiah Johnson appeared before the Board & made Application for a Pass to go to New Jersey resolved that he be informed that no pass can be granted him unless he brings [71] a Certificate of the officer under whom he does Militia duty that he is a Friend to the American Cause and has contributed his Proportion towards raising Men for the nine Months Service —

Upon the Representation of Major Schermerhorn that Lambert Burghart lies dangerously ill of the Yaws, and that unless he be permitted to receive the benefit of the Assistance of his Family, his Life will be endangered resolved that the said Lambert Burghart have Permission to go and reside with his Family at Kinderhook during his present Ailment —

Adjourned —

Present Met Albany 19th June 1779

1779
June 19.

John M. Beekman	}	{	Isaac D. Fonda
Mathew Visscher			

John M^cClung one of the Commissioners for Conspiracies for the County of Charlotte made application to the Board for the sum of one hundred Pounds to defray the necessary Expences of the Board held in the said County of Charlotte — Resolved that the Secretary pay him the same —

Benjamin Glazier who was Yesterday examined was again brought before the Board and examined his Examination is as follows, (to wit) (see Examination on File) —

A Letter from Hugh Mitchell Esq dated 24th Instant was laid before the Board wherein he informs us that agreeable to the Resolution of this Board he has ordered the Reverend M^r Stuart to repair forthwith to Schenectady there to remain till the further Order of this Board —

1779
June 28

A Letter from Col^l Jacob Klock of Tryon County dated the 23^d Instant was laid before the Board respecting the Prisoners lately sent from that County by order of Brigadier General Clinton which Letter is in the Words following (to wit) (see Letter on File) —

A Letter from Col^l Frederick Visscher dated the 20th Instant was laid before the Board containing the Charges exhibited before him against John Van Sela which Letter is in the Words following (to wit) (see Letter on File) —

A Letter from Col^l Frederick Fisher, Zepheniah Batchelor, Andrew Wemple and John Fanda Esq^{ts} dated Tryon County 12th Instant was laid before the Board containing the Charges against Philip Helmer of Tryon County now in Confinement which Letter is in the words following (to wit) (see Letter on File) —

Whereas Information has been given to this [78] Board that a Quantity of Flour is secreted in the woods on the West side of the River near the mouth of Niefes Kill by a certain William Harrison with an Intention to transport the same to the Eastern States contrary to a Law of this State and whereas this Board are in great want of Bread to supply the prisoners confined in Goal.

Therefore resolved that M^r Cornelius Swits of this City be requested to proceed to Schodack there to apprehend the said William Harrison and convey him to the Prison in this place provided he will not discover the flour concealed by him on the West side of the River and in Case of its being removed to give Information where it is to be found. And

1779
July 6.

Met Albany 6th July 1779

Present

John M. Beekman	}	Mathew Visscher
Jeremiah Van Renselaer	}	Isaac D. Fonda

Received a Letter of Col^l Klock of Tryon Dated 3^d Instant inclosing a Number of Examinations and Charges against the prisoners sent down by order of General Clinton & who are now here confined which Letter is in the Words following, to wit (prout)

It appearing in Consequence of one of the Examinations in the above Letter alluded to that John Van Seyla's Crime is of such a Nature as to admit of his being bailed therefore ordered that the said John Van Seyla be brought before the Board & that he be discharged from Confinement on entering into a Recognizance with a sufficient Security for his future good Behaviour and Appearance before any one of the Commissioners for Conspiracies when called upon.

John Van Seyla on Recognizance in. £100 — 0 — 0
Jacob Gardineer his Bail in. £100 : 0 — 0

[85] Frequent Complaints having been of late exhibited against William Sanders who was some Time since liberated from Confinement the Board do therefore order that John Devoe who became Bail for the said William Sanders be and is hereby strictly enjoined and Committed to deliver up to us the said William Sanders on or before saturday next and that in Case he does not obey this Order that his Recognizance be instantly prosecuted.

John Dusenbury was brought before the Board and liberated from Confinement on entering into a Recognizance for his future good Behaviour & Appearance before any one of the Commissioners of Conspiracies when called upon.

[126] Met Albany 1st December 1779

1779
Dec. 1.

Present

John M Beeckman } { Isaac D Fonda
Mathew Visscher }

a Letter from Col^l Jacob Clock & Peter S Dygert Esq^s respecting Peter D Schuyler and Johan Jost Schuyler was laid before the Board in Consequence whereof resolved that the said Peter D Schuyler and Johan Jost Schuyler enter into Recognizance for their Appearance before the said Col^l Clock and Warner S Dygert in ten Days from this Day and that they give such Security for their future good Conduct to the said Col^l Clock and Warner S Dygert as they May require of them and that during the above time they be of the good Behaviour towards all the Liage Subjects of this State —

Peter D Schuyler of Tryon County Farmer

in £500

Johan Jost Schuyler of the same place

Farmer in £500

Abram Schuyler of the City of Albany

Merchant their Bail in £500 —

Adjourned —

Met Albany 7th December 1779

1779
Dec. 7.

Present

John M Beeckman } { Isaac D Fonda
Mathew Visscher }

Resolved that John Overhart Unger be discharged on entering in a Recognizance with a Sufficient Surety for his good Behaviour doing his Duty as a faithful Subject of the State & appearing before any three of the Commissioners for Conspiracies whenever thereunto required —