

Ordered that the Armories at Annapolis deliver to Captain Thomas Bruce of Prince George County fifty new Rifles and fifty Pouches for the use of the Rifle Company commanded by him. The expense of transportation to be borne by said Bruce.

From Thursday June the 21st 1824 to Sunday July the 5th 1824 the honourable Nicholas Brewer appeared in the Council Room.

Ordered that the Procureurs will take from the United States, two hundred and fifty Rifles, one hundred Pistols, one Hundred Hussars Swords, fifty Artillery Swords, and fifty Flasks, to be deducted from the Quota of Arms due the State under the act of Congress of the 3^d of April 1802. The said Arms to be delivered at the City of Annapolis.

Sir I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 31st of June and after thanking you for your kind attention to the views of the Executive, I have by the direction of His Excellency the Governor, made out an order for the kind of arms that he would prefer to receive and now enclose it to you. As soon as it will comport with the convenience of the War Department to have these arms forwarded, you will confer a favour on the Executive by having them sent, Annapolis will be the most convenient place for receiving them.

I am Sir

To Col^l George Bumbard

Miriam Pinkney

From Wednesday July 7th 1824 to Saturday July 24th 1824 the honourable Nicholas Brewer appeared in the Council Room.

Monday July 26th 1824

The Council met. Present His Excellency the Governor and the honourable Thomas Erney, Joshua Padeaux, Philemon Chew, Robert H. Archer and Nicholas Brewer.

Ordered that the Treasurer of the Western Shore pay to James Boyle, Ezekiel Chambers, and John Johnson Esquires one thousand dollars to be accounted for.