

this State and for other purposes therein mentioned passed at November Session eighteen hundred and eight

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Sir

Council Chamber May The 28<sup>th</sup> 1812

The Documents in support of your demand upon the Executive of this State regarding the delivery of Anthony Dupratt and Jean Francois Archard alias Adams to the Agent appointed for the purpose of receiving them were deposited in this Department on yesterday. Archard has been ordered to be delivered up conformably to your requisition. No order has been made in the case of Dupratt because he is now imprisoned upon a criminal charge, which must be determined by the Judicial Authority of this State before it would be proper to remove him from his present situation.

His Excellency Simon Snyder  
Governor of Pennsylvania

We have the honor to be  
John Stephen Sec. Pro Tem

Sir

Council Chamber May 29<sup>th</sup> 1812

I am instructed by the Governor and Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the nineteenth instant and to inform you that they regret exceedingly that they cannot be supplied with Swords and Pistols by the General Government. They have however requested me to say that they have paid for fifty Brace of Pistols at ten dollars per pair which they have not yet received, owing to the circumstance of the United States Arsenal at Philadelphia being but ill supplied with that description of arms when our Agent visited that place in September last. The Executive will have no objection provided your consent can be obtained to take fifty Brace of Pistols of a quality and at a price mentioned in the enclosed letter from Captain Lewis, and to place in the Bank at this place the Sum of three hundred and twenty five Dollars which added to the Sum already paid will make up the difference between them and those contracted for last summer. For your better satisfaction I have taken the liberty to transmit to you the enclosed copies. We have the honor to be  
The Honorable William Curtis  
Merrill Secretary