

~~to transmit for the information for the information of the Committee a statement of the~~
Military Stores in the arsenals of the State, by which they will be able to ascertain what
additional Articles, it will be necessary to purchase for the equipment of the Troops of the
possible expense of which the Executive have neither data than the Documents already
transmitted, together with the Militia Law of the United States by which an estimate
can be made.

James L. Donaldson Esquire

We have the Honor to be
Robert Bowie

Sir
Council Chamber Annapolis July 18th 1798
I have the honor to inform you that you were on this day appointed Ammunitioner at Eastern Point
You will without delay make return of such Articles belonging to the State as
may have been in the possession of the late Ammunitioner. As soon as the Ammunition
which is now building shall have been completed the Executive intend sending
on from Baltimore two thousand Stand of New Musquets to be placed under your
care and superintendance. The Governor and Council intend in the course of
a short time to proceed to fix your Salary.

Wm Lambert Clayland
Talbot County

Yours Respectfully
Merian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

Sir
Council Chamber Annapolis July 18th 1798
By the Records of the Council it appears that ... Stand of Arms complete
were loaned to you on the ... day of ... I am therefore directed by the Executive
to ask that you will as soon as possible make return to them through me in
such manner as will best gratify the object of the annexed Resolution of the
Legislature.

Circular

I am with much Respect
Merian Pinkney
Clerk of the Council

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Council Chamber Annapolis July 18th 1798

In consequence to a standing Resolution of the General Assembly of this State
I have the honor to transmit to your Excellency herewith, a copy of the Laws of
Maryland, of November Session eighteen hundred and eleven. I am
His Excellency the Governor of Rhode Island.

Robert Bowie