

Council Chamber, Annapolis, Aug 5 1834

Sir

I have the honour to send by this despatch of the Executive for the Book which contains the Account of this State against the United States for monies advanced for Militia expenses incurred during the late War with Great Britain. The purpose for which it is wanted, is to enable the Treasurer and myself to arrange and number the original Orders which issued from the Department for the payment of the respective accounts and which are now on file in the Treasury Department.

The Account was made out by me with great care and labour. Indeed I examined every entry on it with those of the Treasury as you will perceive by my certificate at the end of the Account and found them to agree in every particular.

The Account is completely vouchered except a small amount say about eighteen hundred Dollars and I am now endeavouring to get them.

Knowing that Mr Wagner is absent from the office to whom you referred the Account and Vouchers and who it appears will probably require their order is absent from Washington, I have to your assist accident thought proper to write to you direct, persuaded that you will readily excuse me for intruding on time that must