

Council Chamber (Annapolis October 27. 1819)

Dear Sir

His Excellency the Governor and Colonel  
arrived to Annapolis under a full expectation of  
finding the other members of the Council on the 25<sup>th</sup>  
at least, and ~~was~~ much disappointed to find no  
member of the Executive here but Major Chapman.  
The Governor altho inconvenient to him, has deter-  
mined to remain here until the third of next month,  
and together with Colonel Howard & Major  
Chapman fixed on Monday the first of November  
for the next meeting of the Council, and have  
directed me to notify you of the same, and  
most especially to request that you will be here  
Sunday evening, so as to be able to proceed  
to business on Monday morning. A couple of  
days will be sufficient to get through the  
business.

I have the honor to be with  
great respect & esteem  
your obed<sup>t</sup> & L<sup>t</sup>  
Timian Pinkney

Honble

Henry H. Hallis.