

I should like to see Mr. Baynes, Statement
before you go on to Washington. I presume
deductions are not made from the Contra
accounts, as the supplies furnished by the
Charles C Brown and Levi Tyson, &c,
were reduced to rations at 20th each.
There may however have been in the manner
of delivering them out, a departure in
some respects from the practice adopted by
the United States. They were however
believe delivered to the order of the commanding
officer. The account for powder amounts to
20,000 dollars, & I think its justice aided by
address & management, will not fail to
it through. It will afford me pleasure
you whenever it shall suit your convenience
to come to Annapolis your friend & servant
The Double for & Kerrd Amos Pinkney