

Sir

Council Chamber Annapolis June
16. 1820

I have to inform you that the Executive
will consent to furnish your Company with
Rifles provided a Bond with security to be
approved of by the Hon^{ble} Thomas H. Wilkinson
for their safe return when called for shall have
been transmitted to this Department - They are
at present in bad order and not fit for ~~use~~
service - The Armourer however is now engaged
in cleaning them and as soon as they are finished
I will inform you

I am with great respect

Your O^bd Serv^t

Pinckney Pinkney

Capt^m Benjamin Brooks