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Rec^d from W. William Tompkins in Store Eight Barrell
Powder and Twelve Boxes Lead which I Promise to delever
to the order of Anthony Porter Esq^r or am^t for the Same

Darien 4th Jany. 1814

Geo H. Cray

(REVERSE)

Geo H Cray

Receipt

Bryan County 6th Jan^y 1814.

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His Excellency
Peter Early

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Sir

By this mail I have reported to Major James Potter the detachments ordered from my regiment on the frontier, as I am at a loss how to direct to him I have the best to Enclose to your Excellency a duplicate to be forw'd. General McIntosh promised the officers & Men Composing the regiment Under my Command that he would request you to give them some Relief by an order authorising him to admit of a relief every twenty days, as also to request that this duty should not be confined to the first Class whose numbers are Small one Many drawn from the Seaboard frontier which in all probability is more exposed than the Indian frontier. I am sorry it was not in my power to of got a person to supply the Troops to be ordered on the Seaboard at a less rate than mentioned in my last to you. I however hope you may Ere long have in your power to get some person who may undertake for such price as may meet your Excellencys Expectations. As my impressions are that we are in much more danger since the passage of the Embargo Law, than we were previous, as the want of Provisions for the Support of the British fleet will be additional inducements for drawing their Attention towards us, who no doubt, they are apprised are in no preparation for defence. The U. States quota from Gen^l McIntosh division are placed under my Command when ordered out in case of Invation Gen^l Pinckney has authorised Gen^l McIntosh to order these Men out. I have informed him repeatedly in case of a call for them, it would be impossible for me to get them into the field in less than one Month as they extend from Jefferson County to Camden and are not in any organized situation, some Countries not having a Single

officer for me to call on. General M^cIntosh informed Gen.^l Pinckney of the difficulties which would occur in case of a call, when the Gen.^l informed him the U. States look up to the State Governments to have the quota called for organized. Permit me to suggest for your Consideration of taking Such Steps as will enable me to Organize at least those taken from Gen.^l Floyd Brigade most of which are on the Seaboard - to organize them it will be necessary to Convene them in Numbers sufficient to Compose a Company, to Effect this it would require the Expence of a few days rations as they must more or less come out the Counties which they reside in.

I am Yr Excellencys
Very ob.^t Servant

Jn^o Pray

(Reverse)

Letter from

Lieut. Col^o John Pray- dated
Bryan County 6th Janry 1814

Military Stores

Answer written
12th January 1814

May 17

His Excellency
Peter Early

Milledgeville
Georgia

Mail)

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Augusta January 7th 1814

The Honorable

Peter Earley

Dear Sir,

Having understood that you wanted powder for the use of the state, we take the liberty to recommend to you a consignment we have of 150 Kegs, made at the Brandywine mills, the first factory in the United States, which we are ordered to close the sales of at costs and charges. Together with the freight from the northward, it cost \$19 37/100 per Keg of 25^{lbs}. We have made frequent sales of this powder to merchants in this place as well as others, and knowing the quality of the powder to be the first, we have always given purchasers liberty to return it if not approved of. If you think proper to purchase it, we will warrant it, and will receive it again if upon trial it is not found to be the first quality. The whole of the state of Virginia has been supplied with the same powder & it has been very highly approved of.

We should be glad to hear from you on the subject by the return mail.

We are, Dear Sir, Respectfully yr. very obt. Servants

Mitchell & Dickinson

cts
77 per pound

REVERSE

The Honorable Peter Earley
Governor of Georgia
Milledgeville

Mail

Letter from Mitchell & Dickinson
dated 7th January 1815

Military Stores

Private

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Fort Mitchell January 9th 1814

Governor Early

Dear Sir

This will be handed to you by my Son who is on his way to the low Country. I have directed him to Call on you for instructions concerning twelve or thirteen Stand of State arms, which I had taken into my possession agreeable to the instructions of the late Governor. they were loand to the detachment of Militia who went into Florida under Colonel Newnan.

Their present Situation is an unsafe one it therefore might be proper to put them into the possession of the Major, or Colonel of the Regiment; what ever directions you may think proper to give this young Gentleman respecting them, will be attended to.

I have the honor to be very Respectfully

Your Excellency's M^o. Ob^t. Ser^t.

Jno. Floyd

REVERSE

Letter from

Brig. Genl. John Floyd

dated "Fort Mitchell Jany.
9th. 1814"

Public Arms

His Excellency

Peter Early

Governor of Georgia

Master Milledgeville
Charles Floyd

Milledgeville Jany. 16, 1814

His Excellency
Governor Early

Sir

Inclosed you will find a letter from my father
respecting a few public arms in his possession. any di-
rections that your Excellency may think proper to give me,
you will direct to St Marys and they will be attended to.

I am very respectfully
your Excellency's
Mot. Obt. Ser^t.
Cha^s. Floyd

REVERSE

His Excellency
Peter Early
Governor of Georgia

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Muster Roll of a Detachment of Militia in the Service of the
State of Georgia, Stationed at Fort Perry on the Frontier of
Tattnall County; from the 18th. of January 1814 to the 10th of
March 1814 Inclusive--

Names	Rank	Names Present	Remarks
1 Edmond, P. Wester	Lieut	Edmond P Wester	Two horses
2 Henry Sap	Sergt.	" " "	ordered for the
3 Demsy Holland	Cap ^l .	" " "	use of this De-
4 Izarel Baxter	priv ^t	" " "	tachment com-
5 John Smith	"	" " "	menced with the
6 Archibald Johnson	"	" " "	detachment (say
7 Henderson Frier	"	" " "	Jany 15th 1814
8 Daniel McNab	"	" " "	and ended the
9 Randol Johnson	"	" " "	10th of March
10 John Buye	"	" " "	1814-Inclusive
11 Silas Hunter	"	" " "	
12 Joab Jones	"	" " "	
13 Stephen Baxter	"	" " "	
14 James Sadler	"	" " "	
15 William Eason	"	" " "	
16 Leonard Jackson	"	" " "	
17 Lewis Hall	Spy	" " "	The two spys was mounted on their own horses agreebly To the orders of Majr. James Patton
18 James Kemp	"	" " "	

I certify the above Muster Roll to be correct - Having signed

Triplicates

Edmond P. Wester Lieut.

(On Reverse)

Muster Roll Fort Perry

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Pay Roll of a Detachment of Militia in the Service of the State of Georgia Stationed at Fort Perry, from the 18th of Jan'y 1814 to the 10th of March 1814 Inclusive, under the Command of Edmond, P, Wester Lieut, Com'd, &c-

No	NAMES	RANK	Commencement of pay in this detachment or settlement	Expiration of Service or of this Settlement	Term of Service		Pay p. Month		Amount of Pay		NAMES
					M	D	Dols	Cts	Dols	Cts	
1	Edmond P Wester	Lieut	Jan'y 18th	March 10th	1	22	30	"	52	00	Edmond P Wester
2	Henry Sapp	Sargt	"	"	1	22	11	"	18	35	Henry Sapp
3	Demey Holond	Cap	"	"	"	"	10	"	16	66	Demey Holond
4	John Smith	Priv	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	John Smith
5	Israel Baxter	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Israel Baxter
6	Archd Johnson	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Archd Johnson
7	Henderson Fryer	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Henderson Fryer
8	Daniel McNab	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Daniel McNab
9	Randal Johnson	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Randal Johnson
10	John Buel	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	John Buel
11	Silas Hunter	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Silas Hunter
12	Joab Jones	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Joab Jones
13	Stephen Baxter	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Stephen Baxter
14	Jas Sadler	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Jas Sadler
15	William Eason	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	William Eason
16	Leonard Jackson	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	13	86	Leonard Jackson
17	Lewis Hall	"	"	"	"	"	22	50	31	50	Lewis Hall
18	James Kemp	Spy	Jan'y 28th	"	"	12	22	50	31	50	James Kemp
Add amount paid for the use of two Horses kept at the Fort, per receipts enclosed - - - -											
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Pay Roll Fort Perry.
Voucher 61

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Voucher 61

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Monticello 21st, January 1814

Dear Governor

I received your letter of the eight instant directing me to send the arms and accoutrements which I had on the expedition to Fort Hawkins they will start for that place tomorrow- there is six barrals of powder on broke making five hundred and twenty eight pounds and about fifteen hundred pounds of lead in bars, two and an half flour barrels, two boxes of the size used at Milledgeville and one large card box full of cartridges, some ball and buck shott- a considerable quantity of the powder which I had on the expedition was injured by the almost continual rains- I do not know how to make a statement of the condition of the cartridges without taking them to pieces to see what is injured- I called on Major Cook to look at the situation of the ammunition and requested him to state to your Excellency how it appears- I hope you will direct me what to do with it perhaps it will be best to send it to Milledgeville

I am with due esteem

Your Excellencys humble Servant

David Adams

(On Reverse- His Excellency
Peter Early
Milledgeville
by Major Cook)

Abstract of Provisions issued to a Company of Georgia Militia
Stationed at Fort Smith commencing the 22nd and 27th of Decem-
ber 1813 and Ending the 30th day of January 1814 - Un Contract
of Dudley Jones Esq^r

Date 1813	N ^o Returns	N ^o Days drawn for	N ^o Rations	N ^o Men	N ^o Women	N ^o Horses	Complete Rations for men	Complete Rations for Horses
Commencing the 22 nd december 1813								
Commen ^{cd} 27 do 1813								
And Ending the 30 th day of January 1814								
2 Spies Commenc ^d the 3 rd Jany. 1814								
And Ending the 30 th of the same month								
	5	3	3		1	15	5	
	35	16	16		2	560	70	
	29	2	2		2	58	58	
						633	133	

I do certify upon honor that I have Carefully Examined the above abstract with the original return now in my possession and find it is a true and correct amount of the Issues made to a Company of Georgia Militia Stationed at Fort Smith Commenceing the 22nd and 27th of December 1813 and Ending the 30th day of January 1814 Inclusive amounting to Six hundred and thirty three Rations for men and one hundred & thirty three Rations for horses,

Isaac Daniell, Lieut.

(REVERSE)
Cirtificate
Fort, Smith
Clark County
Provesion Rations

Washington 24th Jany 1814

To his Excellency Governor Early

You will no doubt recollect some conversation I had with you previous to my leaving Milledgeville, relative to the imployment of some person in Wilkes to make a par-cell of Swords for the use of the Cavalry of the Rigiment allotted to my Command - I beg leave to State to your Ex-cellyency that could I be authorized to make propositions for the making as many swords or swords and pistols as may be wanting, I could be instrumental in facilitating this object, which is Certainly desirable (at this important Crises) - I need not recapitulate to your Excellency that it is in vain that the officers and troops of the Cavalry are convened for the purpose of instruction in Military decipline while they remain without arms - Should you incline to imploy any person or persons in this county for the com-pletion of the object to which I ^{allude} ~~alluded~~, and you should confide anything to me it would be promptly attended to - I have the honor to (paper torn) Excellency, most ob^t. Serv^t.

Johnson Wellborn

REVERSE

His Excellency Governor Early

Milledgeville

Georgia

Letter from

Lieut. Col^o. Johnston Wellborn of the 4th Regiment of Cavelry dated Washington 24th January 1814

Public Arms

Answer written 17th February 1814

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I have the honor to report the following list of the Killed and wounded in the Action of the morning of the 27th January 1814 -

Capt^d Thomas' Artillery

"	Patrick Ward	Killed
"	Alex ^r D. McFarlin	ditto
"	Joseph Lilsby	Wounded Mortally
	Rich ^d Darit	" Severely
	Thomas Nappin	" --
	Fielding Rucker	" "
	E. Lester	" "
	Eli Mash	" Dangerously
	William Culbreath	" Severely
	Colston Copeland	" "
	Philip Logan	" Slightly
	George Hammond	" "
Serg ^t	Lewis H Kenan	" "

Cavalry

Adj ^t	Abercrombie	Wounded Severely
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Hamiltons Troop

	Thomas Blakely	" Slightly
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2^d Reg^t of Infantry

Col ^o	Daniel Newnan	Wounded dangerously
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Butts?
Capt Butts' Company.

Cap ^t	Butts	Wounded Mortally
	Thomas Carroll	" Dangerously
	Thomas Higginbottom	" Severely
	Jefse Loyal	" Slightly
	John Fry	" "

of Capt Butlers Company

	James Camel	Wounded Severely
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Capt Kings Company

	Leonard R. Harris	Killed
	John Burt	"
	Eli Smith	"
	Capt. King	Wounded Slightly
	John M. Stewart	" dangerously

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Joel Knight	Wounded Seriously
Charles Knowles	" "
Stephen Gatling	" Dangerously
Allen Peavy	" "
Benj ⁿ Brown	" Slightly
W ^m C. King	" "
Price Burnhart	" "
Henry Parish	" "
Hardy Stone	" "
James Riley	" "
Major Ivy	" "

Ganns

Daniel Malone	Wounded Severely
Henry Singleton	" "
David M ^c Gurk	" Slightly
Hubbard Mitchell	" "

Weatherby

Obey Glascock	Wounded Slightly
Benj ⁿ Beeland	" "

Lees Comp^y

Serg ^t	Littleton Picket	Killed
	John Thornton	"
	Joseph Beard	Dangerously

Myricks Company

Serg ^t	Walter T Brockman	Killed
Corp ^t	James Dick	wounded dangerously
	Samuel Edmonson	" Severely
	Thomas Watts	" "
	William Johnston	" "
	Hazlewood Wilkinson	" "
	Federick Colbert	" Slightly
	John Stewart	" "

Browning

Capt.	Browning	wounded Slightly
Serg ^t	Joshua Mercer	" dangerously
	John Bell	" Severely
	Timothy Hunt	" "
	Vinson Watts	" "
	Sam Hobbs	" "
	Samuel Daniel	" (torn)
	Elisha Williams	" "
	John Johnston	" "

Henry's

Joseph Thompson	Killed
John Madden	wounded dangerously
William Hodges	" "
Josiah Morgan	" "
Simon Duke	" Severely
Thomas Elliott	" "
Alex ^d Horton	" Slightly
John B. Smith	" "

Owens

Serg ^t	William Dillon	Killed
	Micajah Bennett	wounded Severely
	John Green	" "
	John Hawkins	" "
	James Bentley	" "
	Josiah Bentley	" "
	John C. Hall	" "
	Rollo Hopper	" "
	John Huddleston	" "
	Brice Eidson	" "
Corpl	John Simmons	" "
	Leroy Williams	" "
	John Stroutman	" Slightly
	William G. Smith	" "
	John Singleton	" "
	Allen Prior	" "

(torn) Infantry
(torn) Company

Lieut.	A. B. Strickland	Dangerously
	Thomas Grayham	" "
	Dennis Hopkins	" Severely

Broadnax

John Whitehead	Killed
Jourden Taylor	wounded dangerously
Joseph Nichols	" "
Joel Dixon	" Severely
Jeremiah Clark	" Slightly
William Whitehead	" "
William Fitch	" "
William Mathes	" "
Edward Cavandor	" "
James Greer	" "
Isaac Rials	" "
John Brown	" "

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Joseph T. Cunningham's

Elliott Hodge	wounded Severely
Thomas Averett	" "

Bartons Company

Charles Salmorrs	wounded Severely
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Clevelands Company

Samuel Carpenter	wounded severely
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Parks Company

Edward Jones	wounded dangerously
Samuel Walker	" severely
Elisha Siven	" Slightly

Smiths Company

Reuben Golsby	wounded Severely
Abner Jackson	" "
Anderson Hicks	" "
John H. Greer	" Slightly

Littles Company

David Lowe	wounded severely
Bedford Gade	" Slightly

Heaths Comp^y

	Edmond Hays	wounded dangerously
	William Holebrook	" Severely
	Aaron Fiel	" Slightly
	Gutridge Jones	" "
Capt.	Adam Heath	" "

John Cunningham's Company

William Bailey	Killed
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RIFLE BATTALION

Adams' Company

David Blaylock	Killed
John Cooper	"
David Anderson	"
Green Berry	"
William Blaylock	"

Adams' Company - Continued

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Capt Adams	wounded Severely
Robert B. Holt	" dangerously
Elijah Mosely	" Severely
John Dennis	" "
Archibald Thompson	" "
Josiah Cook	" "
Rich ^d Branham	" "
William Roberson	" "
William T. Harper	" "
John M. Woolsey	" Slightly
William Duck	" Severely

Sandridge CompY

William Bush	wounded Severely
B. Coffee	" "
O. Hooper	" "
C. Richie	" Dangerously
James Brown	" Slightly
Armstead Murphy	" "
O. Bell	" "
B. Watkins	" "

Fords Company

Thomas Batie	wounded Slightly
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Merreweathers Company Rifle

Ange Delapirriere	wounded Slightly
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Total Killed - 17
Total wounded- 152

(Signed)

Charles Williamson

Hospital Surgeon

N.B One of the wounded since died

5 of the friendly Indians Killed
15 Wounded

(This Battle was known as the battle of
Challibee - L.F.H.)

Louisa J. Hayes

Calabee Valley

Battle of Calabee (Challibee) fought by Gen. John Floyd's Georgia Militia in
Macon County, Alabama, near Tuskegee, Jan. 27, 1814.

Fernandina

Feby 5th. 1814

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Dear Sir,

You will do me a favour by forwarding the enclosed letter from the Governor of this province to Govr Early by the best conveyance you may have at hand. I have reason to believe it relates to the late expedition of your citizens against the Indians within this province, which turns out to have been the object of the people collected by McDonald, whose letter I put into your hands when I had last the pleasure of seeing you.

Large reinforcements of troops are sailing from Spain for her colonies, but I trust in God that such measures will be immediately taken to put the affairs of the frontiers in order as to render their employment unnecessary.

I am Sir

Very truly Yrs

José^e Hibberson

Cha^s Harris Es.

1874
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Warrenton Georgia Febyth 14

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Dear Sir I Recd your favor of the 5th of this Instant inclosing a Summons from the Commander in Chiefe Requiring of my attention as a witness in a Case of the State against Brig^{dr} General Geo W Simmons. Sir you stated to me to assign the acknowledgement of the Receiving of the summons and send^d it back to you. I think it not proper to send it back to you for it is all I have to warrant my attendce as a witness I Recd the summons and assign the acknowledgement of the same. I must ceep the summons unless it is drawed from me by a legal process of Law

Yours very

Respectfully

Jeremiah Perryman

(Reverse)

(Post Mark)

Warrenton Ga
Feb 14

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MC

A. C. Coldwell

Augusta

Georgia

Savannah 18th. Febr^y 1814

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Sir

I had the honor to receive your communication of 31 Jan^y and 2nd. Ins.^t The supply of One Thousand Dollars for defraying the expence of Watch Boats at Tybee & Warsaw, is seasonable and very acceptable. I have written to Gen^l McIntosh on the subject of the 150 Stand Arms designed for my Regiment, as yet I am without a reply.

With much pleasure I accept the Agency for receiving the Powder, Rifles and charge of the Magazine from the City Council of this place. I addressed a note on the subject to the Major on the 8th Ins.^t, on the same day they passed a Resolve; appointing a Committee to deliver over to me the Powder Rifles & Key of the Magazine. As yet I have not heard from the Committee, and it is probable it will be some time before I do, as large bodies move slowly. As soon as I am put in possession of the articles, I will do myself the honor of informing you.

I should have communicated to your Excellency on this, but was in daily expectation of hearing from the Committee of Council.

I have the honor to be

Very Respectfully

Your Most ob^t Serv^s

James Johnston

Rec^d. 24.th Febr^y

His Excellency
Peter Early Esq^r 17

Governor &c of Georgia
Milledgeville

(Reverse)

Letter from
Lieut. Col. James Johnston,
dated, "Savannah 18th February 1814"

Military Stores

Head Quarters

Sixth & Seventh

Districts -

Fort Hawkins 18th February 1814 -

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Sir

The District Paymaster Lieut: Cook has not been able to procure small bills, or species, to facilitate the payment of the Militia; if you Excellency has any made whereby you could obtain for him a supply thereof in exchange for larger Bills it would be a great accomodation to the Troops. -

Lt Cook has brought with him only \$150,000 but the full pay would require a larger sum, this deficiency is attributed to the want of the necessary estimate being forwarded to the Pay Office, this document was however forwarded four days before Lieut: Cook left Charleston, and he hopes that he shall receive the balance due before the Troops may have all come in; if that should not be the case, has your Excellency the means of lending for a short time the sum which may be deficient? -

I had the honor of receiving yesterday your letter of the 16th of this month. - The United States have at Savannah Arms & Cartouch Boxes sufficient for the three Companies of Militia destined for the protection of the Sea Coast: the accomodation you desire will therefore be complied with, and the Quarter Master has directions to provide - whatever other accomodations may be necessary

I have the honor to be very respectfully

Your Excellency's Most Obedient Servant

Thomas Pinckney

His Excellency

Governor Early

(Reverse)

Letter from, 26
Major Genl Thomas Pinckney
U. S. Army, dated "Fort Hawkins
18th February 1814"

Pay of Militia

Order taken
28th February 1814

Head Quarters
Sixth & Seventh
Districts -

Fort Hawkins 23rd February 1814 - 20

Sir,

The Adjutant General has communicated to me your letter of the 20th of this month, inclosing a list of the Field officers and Captains whom you have nominated for the Regiment to be commanded by Colonel Newnan; and letters have been sent to these officers informing them of the nomination. - As your Excellency has not therein designated by dates or explicitly stated the relative rank assigned to Officers of the same grade; and as it is possible you may not have decided on that point: I take the liberty of inclosing the rule which was adopted by the Department of War of the United States for establishing the relative rank of the Field Officers of the military establishment of 1812 whose Commissions bore the same date -

It is not my intention by submitting it to you, to influence your decision if not already made; but offer it as the most recent precedent which has occurred in the Military line, which may possibly in settling a question of this delicacy save you some embarrassment. -

I have the honor to be very respectfully

Your Excellency's

Most Obedient Servant. -

Thomas Pinckney

His Excellency
Governor Early }

The following is a list of Military Stores received from the Quarter Masters department from Fort Hawkins of such articles as belong to the State & were in use by Gen^l.

Floyds Army: -

When recd.	By whom sent in	Muskets and Bayonets	Cartouch boxes and belts	Swords	Rifles	Rifle Moulds	Rifle Wipers	Musk Flints
1814								
21, April	Mathew Lyle	200						
" "	Robert Rice	100						
" "	Wm. Hairston	100						
24 "	Thos. Townes	150						
25 "	Andrew Maddox	150						
" "	Adam Kimbrough	150						
30 "	Jeremiah Miller	150	600					
2 May	Clark Branford	75	480	64				
18 "	Benj. H. Bradley	350	546					
27 "	Carter and McDougall	175		144	210			
8 June	Eli Myrick	14				143	152	2000
27 July	Cap. Samuel S. Steele			50				
		1614	1626	258	210	143	152	2000
Add as per annexed Sheet		39	38	2	2	3	5	
		1653	1664	260	212	146	157	2000
Rec ^d . prior to 21 Apr. 1814		410	620	93				
		2063	2284	353	212	146	157	200

Arms &c Returned into the Magazine at this place by the
different officers herein after mentioned: -

Officers Names	Muskets	Cartridge Boxes	Cartridges	Bayonets	Ball Screws	Moulds	Wipers	Rifle	Swords
2 March 1814									
Cap. Jo. Howard	13	13	292	13					
" Henry Cox	14	14	118	14					
8 March									
Jo. Howard	4	4	42	4					
8 March									
Henry Cox	2	2	30	2	1	1	1		
9 March									
Col ^o . Evans	1	1		1		1	3	1	
9 March									
Cap. Merewether's left in the House						1	1	1	
10 March									
Cap. Hamiltons Troop									1
Jn ^o . Bush									
10 March									
Cap. Henrys (R. Hen- son)	1	1		1					
12 March									
Cap. Weatherby's	1	1	12	1					
Jones, John Kelly									
Benj. Coleman	1	1		1					
15 March									
Cap. Cox									
Sand Coker	1	1	25	1					
18 May									
From Lucas' Tav- ern	1								
18 May									
Cap. Irwins Troop									1
Shad Perry									
	39	38	519	38	1	3	5	2	2
REVERSE									

List of arms accoutrements &c returned by
Genl. Floyds Army - 1814

Louisville 24th Feby 1814

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Sir

I have received orders dated the 22^d Inst to cause the whole of the Jefferson Artillery under my command to rendezvous in Louisville on the fifth of next month prepared &c. to be forth with employed in the service of the United States to serve as Infantry.

There were originally under the requisition of the President of the United States required from Genl Bynes Brigade 35 Artillery and my Company volunteered as that part of the quota and were received by Col. Shelman under the sanction of the Brig^{nt} genl

Upon diffusing the purport of the orders received three fifths of my men refuse to serve as Infantry, pleading as a reason the Contract entered into between them and the government and believing that some mistake may have been made from the number of hands those orders have passed through, I write by express in order to ascertain the fact, and to see whether a Change can be effected to save the honor of a uniformed company of long standing

His Excellency
Peter Early
Commander in Chief

I have the honor to be with
high consideration & respect

D^d Clarke

Capt Jefferson V. Artillery

P.S. I will observe that as artillery they are as ready to march and as well equipped, as any Militia in the Interior part of the state.

Reverse:- His Excellency
Peter Early
Commander in Chief

Milledgeville
Ga.

Letter from
Cap. David Clark of the Jefferson Artillery dated
"24th February 1814"

Volunteer Company

N^o 1

Brigade Orders ----- Savannah 18 Feb. 1814.

L^t Colonel Harden is ordered to detach from the United States quota of his regiment, Sixty nine privates under the command of Captain John Wisenbaker, to be employed in the service of the United States for the term of six months unless sooner discharged.

L^t Col Harden will cause returns immediately to be made to Major Steele White, appointed to the command of the troops of the first Division ordered into service, who will direct the place of rendezvous for the detachment from the 35th regiment.

By order Lt Col: Jas Johnston
Lt Col commanding
1 Brigade 1 Divison G.M.

Oliver Sturges
acting A.D.C.

L^t Col: Edward Harden
35 Reg^t G. M.

N^o 2

Chatham County 26 feb 1814

Sir,

By Brigade order of the 18th instant I am ordered "to detach 69 privates under the command of Captain John Wisenbaker to be employed in the service of the United States, and to cause returns immediately to be made to you, appointed to the command of the troops of the first division ordered into service, who will direct the place of rendezvous for the detachment from the 35 Regiment."

It occurs to me that if this corps is to be ordered into immediate service, that the place and time of rendezvous, being known the inspection and returns, might be made simultaneously

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with the order for marching; and I will thank you to inform me in this regard, of your wishes upon the subject, in order that I may act accordingly in obedience to my orders.

I am very respectfully

Ed: Hardin L. Col Comm^t

35 Reg.^t Georgia Militia

Major Steele White
commanding detachment
of the U.S. quota of the 1st div. G.M.)

N^o 3

Savannah April 20th 1814

Sir,

Major Steele White having informed me that he had not accepted of the command of the troops, of the first division, ordered into service, & having received no further orders, I am at a loss how to act; I am under the impression that the proper order has not been issued, because Colonel Johnston of the 1 Regt. does not feel authorised to act, as the commanding officer of the Brigade it being understood that General Floyd has returned from the Indian expedition, and therefore resumes his command, and is perhaps unacquainted with the orders, which have issued upon the subject of the requisition.

I have taken the liberty of addressing this note to you in order that no blame may attach to me, for a seeming neglect of orders, as I understand that the troops have arrived which were detached from General Bynes Brigade, I am ready and anxious to act as soon as I receive the proper order, at present I am totally in the dark as to what is required of me, or rather expected to be done by me.

I have the honor to be

Majr Gen.^l John McIntosh

General your ob^t Serv.^t
Ed: Hardin

N^o 4.

McIntosh County 23 Ap^l 1814.

Sir,

Your note of the 20th instant was duly received stating as Major Steele White had declined accepting the command of the United States quota of the first division of Militia of this state ordered into service, that you had received no further instructions, and was at a loss how to act, and that your impression was that the proper order had not been issued. I am sorry to state to you, this impression is erroneous, the proper order was issued, but a great delinquency on your part, and Colonel Johnstons in carrying into effect.

If Major White chose declining the nomination made of him in Division orders, Major Bowling accepted the appointment, and is in the actual command of the whole detachment ordered on duty except those from your regiment, therefore Major Bowling was the proper officer to report to, and make your returns, agreeable to instructions in Division orders to that effect.

I am sorry any subterfuge should be resorted to, to retard the common routine of duty for the General defence of our country; admitting some small oversight in the usual etiquette of military rule had been overlooked, which by the bye, I deny to be the fact yet I say, when it was perfectly understood, that the Major commanding the detachment should receive the returns, it appears strained and evasive, to give any other construction to this circumstance.

And as to Colonel Johnstons observation that he did not

feel himself authorized to act as the commanding officer of the Brigade in consequence of General Floyds return, is in this instance altogether chimerical.

Division orders were issued on the 14th february last, while General Floyd, was performing hard and useful services in the creek nation, and protecting the frontiers of our State by his exertions from the Cruel scalping knife of a savage foe, whilst we were enjoying ourselves in peaceful tranquility at home. Under these circumstances, on reflection, I am persuaded Colonel Johnstons good sense, will recoil at his own remark, when he takes into views the date of division orders, and that they had been acted on, and was in full operation, except so far, as the want of vigilance in himself had retarded the completion.

I therefore request colonel without further delay that the detachment ordered from your regiment, under the command of Captain John Wisenbaker may immediately be ordered into service, and report to Major Bowling agreeable to original orders. --- Permit me to assure you sir my only motive for those plain observations, in the desire I have to see strict discipline observed particularly at a time, when the smallest neglect might be productive of much injury to our cause, and disgraceful to those in whom their country have reposed a confidence

I have the honour to be Colonel

Your ob^t Ser.^t

J McIntosh

Col Edward Harden

instr. rec.^d the above 27 ap.^l 1814

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N^o 5

Chatham County 27 April 1814

Sir,

I am directed to apply to you to appoint the place of rendezvous of 69 privates under the command of Captain John Wisenbaker detached from my regiment to be employed in the service of the United States under your command.

I am very respectfully

Ed: Harden L^t Col 35th G. M.

Major Bowling

at Sunbury

N^o 6

Chatham County April 27; 1814.

Sir,

I have just received yours of the 23^d instant, in answer to my note of the 20th which I have read with regret and astonishment, because it is written in terms which I am perfectly unaccustomed to.

I am induced to hope that your expressions have been rendered unnecessarily harsh, having failed to make myself properly understood in one particular.

When I wrote that I was under the impression that the proper order had not been issued, it was by no means intended, to insinuate, that you had not issued the proper order; it was intended only to suggest that the reasons I had not received orders, was because Colonel Johnston did not think

proper to act, and General Floyd having lately arrived was not perhaps aware of the circumstance of the requisition, and of the Major appointed first, having refused to accept the command, and therefore, being without orders, and to clear myself from blame, I thought proper to address you upon the subject.

I think sir, that there has been no delinquency on my part; nor was my impression that the proper order had not been issued to me (as explained) incorrect; for the officer appointed having declined, certainly I was justified in waiting until I was officially informed of a new appointment.

In order to throw upon me the responsibility of straining a construction contrary to the tone intent of orders; or of endeavouring to evade my duty by subterfuge, it will be necessary to shew that I really did know that Major Bowling was appointed to the command; and in order to justify myself from such censure, it is necessary to state to you Sir my conduct upon the occasion.

I received Brigade orders of the 18th feb. some days after their date directing me to detach 69 privates from my regiment to be employed in the United States service, to make immediate returns to Major Steele White, who would direct the place of rendezvous; on the 26 of the same month I addressed a note to Major White requesting information as to the time and place of their rendezvous, he verbally informed the bearer of my letter that he had declined the command, and would deliver my letter to Major Wayne your aid, de, camp, which I afterwards understood he had done, I saw Major Wayne, and asked

him if he could give me any instructions how to act in regard to the matter, he said he was going to the southward and would lay my letter before you, in order that you might make such order as to you might seem fit. . Upon his return my brother saw him by my request and asked him if he had any orders for me, he answered that he had none.

And in this State was I left ordered to make returns to Major White, who refused to receive them.

I waited sometime. But feeling uneasy at my situation, I called upon Colonel Johnston, from whom I received the Brigade order of the 18th feb: 1814 to know how I was to act, he read to me a letter from General Byne, in which he stated that Major Bowling had been appointed, but he declined giving any order thereupon.

I then waited, presuming that General Floyd would issue the proper order, until I was informed that the detachment, had really arrived from General Byrnes Brigade in Savannah, then it was sir, that I was under the impression, that as Col: Johnston did not act, and General Floyd had not acted, that on account of some misapprehension of duty, I had not received the proper order; however, anxious to avoid blame I went immediately to the barracks, to enquire for Major Bowling and understood that he had gone to Sunbury, at this stage of the business it was that I thought it necessary to write to you of the situation in which I was placed. If this sort of conduct manifested a disposition to act the part of a delinquent; to shelter myself by subterfuge from responsibility, to strain constructions, or to evade duty, then indeed have I been to blame.

Such are the charges, which you have made against me as an

officers: They are charges which I cannot brook: an unmerited degree of blame has attached itself to me, which ought to appear before a military court, or be wiped away by the Judgment of that court.

I have therefore to ask of you sir a court of enquiry into my conduct, as soon as may be convenient, in order that the blame which has been incurred, may rest where it ought.

No officer guilty of such charges ought to hold a commission he has thereby ceased to deserve, nor can I under such imputations.

If I have in the foregoing observations manifested an unnecessary degree of warmth I request General, that you will recollect, that although not so high in Military command as yourself, I have the feelings of a man, and an officer, and in the desire to see strict discipline observed, and to be serviceable to my country, yield my pretensions to no one.

I am very respectfully

Y^r ob^t Serv^t

Ed: Harden L^t Col: Comm^t 35th C. M.

Major Gen^l

J. McIntosh

N^o 7

Sunbury 27 April 1814.

Sir,

I received your favour of the 27th of this instant, you will direct the captain, fifty two privates, to join me at this place, the balance of the privates, will join Capt^t Gambrel at Camp Pirickney, Captain Clark that is stationed at Fort Jackson has a full company, we lack a captain and fifty two privates (of) having a full company here. Captain Gambrel has officers

enough but lacks 20 privates, we have officers enough here
lacking one Captain.

The Captain of the Company would do well to apply to Captain
Russell the quarter Master in Savannah for camp utensils, to
cook in, we have not got any as yet, for there was none there
when we was there, though Col. Manning promised, that he would
send some, to us as soon as possible, I would have come to
Savannah myself (but) I am not well able to ride at this time.

I have the honour to be very Respectfully,

Yr ob servt

Robert Bowling Major Commanding
the U. S. Militia.

Ed: Harden Lt Col:

N^o 8.

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Dear Sir,

M^cIntosh County 29 April 1814.

Your letter of the 27th ins^t by mail I acknowledge the receipt of, and as it was fully and dearly explanatory of your note of the 20th as well as an elucidation of the cause of the detachment ordered into service from your regiment failing to be on duty, I do unequivocally make a recantation of any expression in my letter to you of the 23^d which was construed as passing the smallest reflection on your conduct as an officer of attention and vigilance to your duty. -- But when I concede this point you'll please to remark, that I have done so, in consequence of satisfactory and better information from your letter of the 27th which clearly pointed to me the object of your note, which I confess I had given a different construction to; believing it had obliquely a bearing on myself for a conceived neglect in not issuing other orders in consequence of Majr Whites declining the nomination made of him in Division orders of the 12th february -- and as I did not think there was an omission on my part, but that I had strictly adhered to what I conceived necessary - As soon as I was officially informed of Major Whites relinquishing the appointment, I wrote General Byne authorising him to nominate a Major from his Brigade to command the quota ordered into service, and as soon as he had done so to notify Colonel Johnston as the oldest officer in General Floyds Brigade, believing that the Colonel could not have required additional orders on that subject, and that you would have received his instructions to make your returns to Major Bowling (insted) of Major White who had declined.

I hope Colonel the explanation I have given you on this

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subject will be fully satisfactory to your feelings, I assure you it has earned me some painful sensations to reflect, that I had for a moment done you injustice.

Believe me to be D^r Sir respectfully
y^r friend & ob^t Servant

J. McIntosh

Lt Col: Edison Hardin.

N^o 9.

Sir; Savs April 30 1814

I received yours of the 27th this day, and immediately waited upon Captain Jones now commanding the United States troops in this place, by whom I am informed that it will be necessary to march the men detached from my regiment first, for inspection to Savannah and then to their places of destination, all of which shall be immediately attended to.

I have to claim the discharge of about 15 or 20 men taken from the 2^d batt: of my regiment, which on account of their exposed situation where they live, the Governor upon application from me, informed me by letter dated on the 6th instant he had directed you to dispense with, provided you had the number required by General Pinckney, say Two hundred and fifty six privates without them, I hope therefore that you will authorise me as soon as possible, if you have a sufficient number of men without them, to discharge them, or (which I would prefer) that you could be in Savannah, and do it yourself at the time.

Very respectfully y^r ob Ser^t

Ed: Harden L^t Col. 35 G. M.

Major Robert Bowling.

N^o 10.

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Regimental Orders

Chatham County 1 May 1814

Sir,

I have it in command by Brigade orders of the 18th feb. last, and additional instructions received from Major Gen.^l McIntosh of the 23 Ult.^o to detach the U. S. quota of my regiment of 69 privates under the command of Captain John Wisenbaker, to be employed in the service of the U.S. for the term of 6 months unless sooner discharged.

You will therefore proceed immediately to detach from your battalion the persons, who may be within your district, found in the inclosed return, and order them to march on a certain day (to be agreed upon by yourself and adjutant Taylor) to Savannah, there to be inspected, and to receive the necessary military equipages from the officer commanding the regular troops in Savannah, and then to be marched to their ultimate places of destination.

Very respectfully I have the
honor to be y^r ob^t Serv.^t

Ed: Harden L.^t Col: 35 G. M.

Majors Norton & Harrison (a copy each)

N^o 11

Sunbury May 1, 1814

Sir,

I received yours of the 30th wishing me to discharge 15 or 20 men, but that is out of my power, for there wont be one more than will make the companies compleat, tho' I think it very hard that those men must be taken from their families, that are exposed to the frontiers; but it is out of my power to dismiss them. The Governor directed me in his orders to dismiss those men that

you have mentioned, if there should be a surplus, but there is not. I wish you to inform me by letter when the troops will come in Savannah and I will be there, if I am able to ride, I am very much afflicted with boils at this time.

I have the honor of
being very respectfully
y^r obt Serv^t

Robert Bowling, Major U.S. Militia

Col. Edward Harden

N^o 12

Drakes May 8th 1814.

Dear Sir,

I did not find Major Martin at home on thursday morning when I arrived the regimental orders to him, but received a note from him on Fryday morning saying he could not get his men assembled before monday the 16 inst. and on the next day (Tuesday) they will be in Savannah.

Major Harrisson has accordingly issued orders to Lt Onales to meet Captain Wisenbaker, with his party at the forks of the Augusta and Louisville road on Tuesday the 17th at 11 oclock A. M.

I saw Major Newton yesterday he seems to speak with some degree of Doubt about his men turning out.

With respect I am y^r
Most obt Serv^t
Henry Tayler

Col. Edward Harden

N^o 13

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Savannah May 10: 1814.

Sir,

Yours of the 1st was duly received, and in answer thereto have to observe, that I regret that you will not be able to comply with my request of discharging the men mentioned in my letter of the 30th ult^o. I am clearly of opinion that notwithstanding your companies may not be complete, if you have, Two hundred and fifty six privates without those whose discharge I claim, that they will be entitled to claim it as a right, under the view, which I have taken of the Governors letter to me upon the subject, and it is the more necessary now that our seaboard is actually threatened, and an attempt to stir up our domesticks to insurrection, that those men should not be taken from their homes.

Captain Wisenbakers company will reach Savannah on the 17th when I shall be happy to see you, and we will confer further upon the subject above mentioned.

I am very respectfully

Your obedient Servant

Ed: Harden Lt Col:

Comm^t 35th G. M.

→ Major Robert Bowling

The foregoing documents from N^o 1 to 13.
are time copies from the originals in my possession.

^d
2. June 1834.

Ed: Harden

N^o 1 to 13 inclusive.

Documents relative to and explanatory of the
the reasons, which caused the delay in bringing
the quota of the 35th into the service of the United States.

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Adj^t & Inspector Generals Office

Washington 30th May 1813. --

Relative Rank of the Field Officers of the Military Establishment of 1812. --

Principles governing the decision of Rank --

1. Rank in actual service when appointed under this establishment --
- 2nd Former Rank or Service in the Army or Marine Corps of the United States --
- 3rd Lottery - Among such as have not before been in the Military service of the United States. -

(Reverse)

Letter from

Major Gen^l Tho^s Pinckney

dated "Fort Hawkins 23^d

February 1814" -

Classed Militia

State of Georgia

March 5

To George Jones D^r

1814

To riding express round General Byne's Brigade for the convention of the field staff, and nine commissioned officers, and review of inspection. Three hundred and twelve miles

\$ cts
17. 82

To his Excellency

Governor

Early

Dear Sir

Pay the above account to the bearer, and this shall be a receipt in full

George Jones

I do certify that George Jones was imployed by me, for carrying the above order, and, that he has performed the same.

William Byne B. G.

State of Georgia

To George Jones Debtor

February 25th 1814

To Riding Express Round General Byne Brigade Carrying orders for the United States quote of Militia to be Mustered and Make Returns agreeable to orders from Major General Mackentush

To Riding three hundred and twelve Miles at two Dollars

----- every thirty five Miles \$17.82

Dear Sir be so obligen as to pay the above account to the bearer

\$17.82
\$35.64

George Jones

His Excellency Governor Earley Milledgeville

I do certify that George Jones was imployed by me to have the above order full in execution and that he have done so agreeable to order. -

REVERSE

Account George Jones of Burke
for riding Express for Genl Byne
Order taken 23d March 1814 \$35.64

William Byne B^r G^m

March 6 - 1814

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Burke County 10th March 1814

Dear Sir I have Received orders from General M, Intush Directing me to appoint a Major from my Brigade I had made that appointment before whin the united States quoto was first Raised by his orders I now have made the same appointment which is Major Robert Bowling which is Ready and willing to Serve, I think it best for paremoors Hill to be the place for the Detachment to Randevouse as it is the most proper place for my Regement to Meet I have ordered the united States quoto to be Mustered once aweak expecting Marching orders immediately. I have Received Returns from several Counties it appears their is some of the United States quoto inlisted & some Removed & some have Runaway. I never Received any Communication from G. M Intush on this subject I wish you to inform me how to act in that Case I went on and Reviewed the Frontears of my Brigade and fixed on the sites for the block house and made Returns to Major Paton I Have been informed he said it was unconstitutional to build them in advance I saw no necessity to build them on this side it appears to have had them built on this side, Major General M, Intush informed me that he had abandanted the building of blockhouses in Floyds Brigade & appointed four horsemen to be Constant on the alert I have ordered the same if you think it Improper let me know and I will act agreeable to your wish Give leave Dear Sir to inform you if there is a Brigadears Command that I am Ready and willing to take it at any time My son Enuch Byne is very abxious

to serve His Country and if you would Give him an appoint-
ment under Co.1.0 Newnen he would serve I have no Doubt that
he would make a usefukl officer your Aid de camp Coll.0 Beariar
is acquainted with him you Can make an inquiry of him

William Byne

(REVERSE)

His Exelency Governor Peter Earley

Milligvill

Letter from

Brig: Gen^l W.^m Byne of
Burke County dated 10th

March 1814

Answer written

12th March 1814

Military

Copy

Executive Department Georgia
Milledgeville 10th March 1814

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Sir.

By a letter addressed to you on the 17th December last. I apprised you, that his Excellency the Governor was by a resolution passed during the late Session of the Legislature, required to send to the City of Savannah 800 pounds powder, and 3200 pounds Lead; shortly after which I forwarded to your care by the waggon of a M^r Walter Stewart 828 pounds of powder, which I had the satisfaction to learn from you had been safely received - I also stated that we were then making arrangements to send from Augusta 3200 pounds lead, which would be sent to your care also, to be deposited in the Magazine at Savannah. By a letter received from our Agent in Augusta (M^r Richardson O. Scurry) dated the 19th Jany. last, he informed me that he had on the day previous to that date, put on board of a boat of Mess^{rs} Barrett & Simms of Augusta the 3200 pounds of Lead before mentioned, put up in casks, for the purpose of being transported to Savannah to your care. I presume the boat must have reached Savannah about the 30th January, and as we have not received any further information relative to it, I have been directed by his Excellency the Governor to make enquiry of you whether it has been received and deposited in the Magazine; I have therefore to request the favor of you to give me the information wished for - Should any expence have been incurred by you in receiving the powder and Lead before mentioned, please send me a bill of it, and it shall be immediately paid you -

May I request the favor of a reply from you as early as convenient.

I am Dear Sir,
Your most Ob^t Serv^t
Anthony Porter

Augustus H. Putnam Esqr

Military Store Keeper

Savannah -

(Reverse) Letter to

Augustus H. Putnam

Military Store Keeper

Savannah

10th March 1814

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Articles of agreement made and entered into this twelfth day of March Eighteen hundred and fourteen between Anthony Porter Secretary of the Executive Department Georgia of the one part and Alexander Greene of the Town of Milledgeville in the State aforesaid of the other part, Witnesseth; that whereas the said Alexander Greene doth by these presents obligate and bind himself as follows, viz.

- 1st To attend to receiving in and issuing out whenever required by the Executive powder from the State Magazine in Milledgeville; -attend to the care and management of the Magazine generally so as to secure and preserve in good order the powder deposited therein;- Air the room and Sun the powder and attend to all and singular the duties required of him either by the Executive or either of the Secretaries thereof relative to any direction which they or either of them may from time to time or at any time give him touching and concerning his duty as Magazine Keeper aforesaid, and
- 2^d To attend to receiving in and issuing out, at all times when necessary, the public Muskets, Bayonets, Cartouch boxes and belts, Swords, Rifles &c, &c, at the Arsenal Kept in the lower apartments of the State-House, -attend to cleaning and keeping in good order the arms and Accoutrements deposited therein, viz, to Oil them and keep them from rusting; rub them and keep them bright and clean at all times. And as it would be almost impossible to define what number of Arms &c may be received in or issued out of the Arsenal aforesaid during the term of the present prosed Contract, the said Alexander Greene agrees to attend to whatever number of Arms and Accoutrements aforesaid that may be received into the said Arsenal between the 12th day of March 1814 and the 1st day of February 1815, provided he should so long remain Keeper of the Arsenal aforesaid, for which he

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is to receive from the State at the rate of two hundred dollars per year. Commencing on the 1st Monday in February last.- Fifty dollars payable quarter yearly. It is understood and agreed by the parties that the State will have all repairs of Arms made at her expence; but as to cleaning and keeping clean all such arms and accoutrements as now are or hereafter may be received into the Arsenal during the period before mentioned. viz, from the 12th March 1814 to 1st February 1815 the said Alexander Greene is particularly bound and required to attend to.

Should the said Alexander Greene fail to attend to the Arms &c as required above, or as may be required of him by the Executive at any time during the period of his Contract, the said Anthony Porter is at liberty to declare the whole contract void, and no longer of binding force or effect.

Alex.^r Greene

Witness

Fred Freeman

(On reverse)

Contract with
Alexander Greene for
cleaning Arms &c &c

1814

The United States

To Bynum S Hatley D^r

For my pay as armore from the 1st March 1814 To The 12th
June 1814 \$30 Pr Month \$102

Rec^d of

District paymaster

one hundred and two Dollars in full of the above account

Signed Duplicat

Bynum S Hatley

The United States

To Bynum S Hatley Dr

For my pay as armorer from the 1st March 1814 To The 12th
June 1814 @ \$30 pr Month \$102.00

Rec^d of

District Paymaster

One hundred and two Dollars in full of the above account

Signed Duplicat

By Bynum S. Hatley

Fort Hawkins

1st March 1814

Bynum S. Hattley

Sir

You are appointed an Armorer with the pay
of thirty dollars per month & 2 rations pr. day.

Abram B. Fannin,
D. Q. M. Gen^l

Augusta 19th March 1814

Sir

Please forward the Papers left with you respecting the powder to me at Charleston S C. as soon as convenient and the am.^t for the purchase shall be remitted you with out delay. -

I have the Honor to be Sir

Your ob^t s^{vt}

James Roddey

As^t Commd^s Posts

A Porter Esq.^r

Milledgeville -

(Reverse) On Public Service

James Roddey As^t Commd^s Post

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A. Porter Esq.^r

Milledgeville

Geo.

Letter

James Roddey

19 March 1814.

Amunition

Savannah 22

March 1814.

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Sir:

I had the honor to write to your Excellency on the 8th ulto that a Committee of the City Council was appointed & directed to deliver to Colo. Johnston as Agent for the Executive, Eighty five kegs of Powder and twenty one Rifles, and the charge of the City Magazine - and I am now directed by the City Council to inform your Excellency that the Committee has been prevented performing the duty assigned them, because it appears that the Rifles formerly delivered to Captⁿ Williams' company, were purchased by order of the Committee of Public Safety, and paid for out of the voluntary contribution (raised by assessment upon the Citizens of Savannah) and that these Rifles are therefore not properly under the control of Council But that if your Excellency should deem it proper to direct the payment of the sums contemplated by the Resolution of the General Assembly, for the Magazine and Powder, deducting Four hundred and twenty Dollars, the price of the twenty one Rifles, that Council will cause the Powder, and the charge of the Magazine to be immediately delivered to Col^o. Johnston.

I have the honor to be with great consideration and respect,
Sir,

Your Excellency's
Most obed^t Serv^t
Geo. Jones, Mayor

His Excellency Peter Early.

Letter from
The Hon^{ble} George Jones
Mayor of the City of Savannah
dated 22^d March 1814".

Answer written
5th April 1814

Rec^d 31. March

His Excellency
Peter Early
Governor
Milledgeville

Liberty County 4th Apl 1814

His Excellency

Governor Earley

Sir,

I wrote you a letter about the first of Feby. last, and by not receiving an answer, I am lead to think of two causes (possible, only one, and that is my letter might have miscarried, I wished to have informed your Excellency of my not receiving some swords which the late Gov^r Mitchell advised should be sent down for the 1st Squadron of the 1st Regmt. In the same letter knowing Floy'ds Campaign was on the Ev'e of expiring and contemplating the army would be replaced by the Militia of this State, I deemed it, not, improper in that case to offer you my poor services to aid in the hardships and danger, of the next Campaign, by Commanding the Cavalry only which might be sent to the Creek Nation and have been waiting for an answer, all in vain. - I will assure your Excellency that the swords would be very acceptable they are much wanted, I have the honor to be,

Y^r Excellency M^o ob Serv^t

Governor Early

D. Stewart

(Reverse)

Letter from Brig: Gen^l Daniel Stewart
of Liberty County, dated 4th April 1814."

Answer written 19th April 1814.

(Reverse)

His Excellency
Peter Earley
Governor of State Georgia
By M^r Tanner.

Provision & Forage Daily Return of Lieut L. Cleavelands Sub
Division of Cavalry under the command of Cap^t Isaac Hure

Camp Lookout Saturday 16 Apl 1814	Rations			Forrage	
	Officers	Men	Rations	Corn	Fodder
	Lieut				
Saturday	16	1	12	7	7
Sunday	17	.	.	14	13
Monday	18	.	.	14	13
Tuesday	19	.	.	14	13
Wednesday	20	.	.	14	13
Total			63	Total	59
					34

I certify the above Statement to be a True Return of
Rations & Forrage Furnished by John Malcum & drawn by
me through the order of Cap^t Isaac Hure
The Rations consisted only of Meete Bread & Spirits

L. Cleveland 1st Lieut.

Reverse:- Provision & Ration Return of a detachment of
Cavalry ordered on duty upon the frontier of
Morgan County under Lieut. Cleveland. 1814