

of the act of Congress, provided the Agent, and Committee can agree upon terms. It will be necessary to look ahead, and take measures to prepare your ammunition, small stores, &c. If the Grape shot and stools are to be cast, it should be done immediately. The small armament will be, for the largest Galley,

36 Muskets,
36 Boarding Pikes.

Ammunition for the long Gun,

80 Round Shot,
30 Stand of Grape.

For the Carronade

60 Round Shot,
30 Stand of Grape,
30 Cannister.

For the Smaller Galley 26 Muskets,

26 Boarding Pikes.

Ammunition same as for the large Gallies. Powder equivalent to the above, exclusive of 10 rounds of powder and round shot, for exercise at the target.

The Schooners will soon be delivered up to their owners, and the crews, if practicable, transferred to the Barges.

I am, respectfully,
Your obedient Servant.

W. Jones.

Captain Charles Morris,
Comd. Naval Officer,
Annapolis.

Navy Department
Aug^t 27th 1813

Sir,

If the movements and probable designs of the enemy shall indicate a disposition to descend the Bay, so as to leave Annapolis without reasonable apprehension of immediate danger, you will, without delay, return to this place, with the seamen and Marines under your command.

For this purpose I dispatch Mr. Cocke, who will receive your orders, to prepare the necessary carriages, and aid in carrying into execution your arrangements.