

29th July, continued - Went to Town -

7th Aug. Cool & pleasant day, Wind W. S. W.
Went to Town, dined at S. Stretts -
afterwards drilled in the Meadow -

Mrs T. went to Fuley intending
to stay all Night, W. B. very unwell
8th Warm, sultry day, Wind S. W.
Went to Town, dined at Mrs Wests &
afterwards drilled in the Meadow,
which is to be continued every evening.

Mr Robinson & Mrs Biddell walked out.
9th Warm, went to Town, dined at
Mr S. Stretts -

10th Continues warm -
Went to Town, dined at Mrs Wests -
11th Sunday - Rode to see W. Bowly
who continues unwell -

Rec^d. information that the British
have several Ships coming up the Bay,

and during the day upwards of 30
arrived at the mouth of our River,
went to Town, dined at Mrs Wests
in great haste, for the alarm guns
were fired at one O'clock, and
the whole Brigade was immediately
under Arms, and Marched towards
North Point, my Troop was ordered
to attend Gen. Smith -

14th The last three days I have
been on close duty in Camp, on
Monday the 3rd Brigade engaged the
Enemy in Patuxent Neck & fought
well, but being overpowered were
obliged to retreat, the enemy ad-
vanced yesterday to Murray's, and
retreated this morning to their vessels
being afraid of our numbers -