and a gun barrel, which Mr. Winters of Chester Town sent here for our inspection, and we are directed to inform you that unless you comply in a short time with your contract, with this board or give us satisfactory reason for the delay that your bond will be put in suit. We enclose here a copy of Mr. Winters Letter and have also given him orders to return you the remainder of the barrels.

Col. H. Hollingsworth. } By order Yr. mo. obt. servts

Mr. Johnson. Capt. Holland & Capt. Harris of Harford County have orders to apply to you to make up tents for their Companies wh. you will be paid for by us.

You will be pleased to take rect. for them when you deliver them and furnish this board with them. We are &c.

Wm. Johnson.

Sir. 10th Oct. 1776

By Mr. Benedict C Hall you will receive one hundred pounds to be laid out in the purchase of arms, blanketts and linnen for tents for the use of Capt. Hollands Company. He brings up likewise an order for as many of the arms and blanketts now at Harford (saving 40 of the latter ordered down to the hospital here) as that Company will want, the residue are destined for Capt. Harris if he should want them. You may go as high as 2/ p. for good new blanketts and 3/6 for Countrey Linnen p. for tents & they can be made up in Baltimore Town in a few days 2 1/2 yds. will make a tent and one for 6 men will be allowed. Mr. Hall likewise brings up an order for as many cartouch boxes, belts, Camp kettles gunslings, canteens or wooden bottles havresacks and knapsacks as will be wanted for that company and when they are ready to march on advice thereof they will receive marching orders. It has not been in our power to purchase linnen & blanketts & we are in hopes you can, or we would not have given you this trouble expedition must be made use of or Capt. Holland will not get up in time

When you have expended the money please to render an acct. thereof to.

Sir Yr. most hble servts

N. B. Orders will be sent to Johnson to make up the tents.

Mr. Amos Garnett

Sir. Inclosed you have a Commission for an Assistant Surgeons office in Col. Smallwoods Battalion now encamped near New York — You are desired immediately to join the Battalion.

Dr. Thomas Beale.

Sir. 10th Oct. 1776

We have received your favor of the 19th Aug. with a list of Medicines, shop furniture, Instruments &c. belonging to this State which you carried with you from hence for the use of Col. Smallwoods Battalion, we should have been glad to have had a return of the medicines &c. from Philadelphia as we have little to depend on besides what you had, but imagine Congress had not provided any & that you were reduced to the necessity of either attending the Battalion (without