

for Arms now including those we have been to assemble
the Companies completely. We are of

14th May 1776.

To Captain Nathl. Smith.

N^o. 157.

Sir
Capt. Campbell has applied to our Board to
exchange two Pieces of Cannons, for two Pieces of Cannons
belonging to the Province - four Pounders. - Those he has
are too long for the Service he is going on. - If his
Cannons are good of the Kinds, and will answer the public
Service, we are willing to make the Exchange and desire
you would let Capt. Campbell have two of the four
Pounders now at the Battery. We are of

15th May 1776

N^o. 158.

To Capt. James Nicholson

Sir
We have received Informations that there
are no Kessels of War below, except the Otter and
Elbeck, and that most of the Tenders are gone
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