

Some convenient place in or near Baltimore, Maryland
Magazine can be completed — you are to send down
Forty half Barrels of Musquet Powder by the Schooner
Resolution, also send by her whatever has been heretofore
ordered to be sent and not already complied with.

We desire you would apply to Captain Nathaniel
Smith and enquire whether there be any Cannon at
Whetstone Point not mounted that can be spared if there
should be, send them down ~~by~~ ^{by} the Schooner Resolution. —
also the Show purchased by Jesse Hollingsworth — we are
informed there are some, Nine and Eighteen Pounder not
mounted lately brought down

I send also any Shott } We are &c.
that may be ready — }

24 August 1776.

N^o. 165 To Colonel William Richardson.

Sir,
Captain Darnes has an order on Mr. Winters for
Forty Musquets which will compleatly furnish his
company and enable him to supply Captain Dean's
with some, Captain Burkes Company is now here, but
will leave us for the Head of Elk this afternoon — We have
appointed Mr. Potter Surgeon Assistant and we inclose you
his Warrant, Medicines must be furnished at Philadelphia
by the Congress. — we approve of your having the Arms
repaired in Philadelphia and desire you will give
the necessary orders for that purpose to your Companies