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Mr. J. Hollingsworth.

Sir, We received your two letters of the 13th & 16th of this inst., and have sent you by Captain Cooke the sum of one thousand Pounds Currency. — we sent up Captain Kelly yesterday with a letter about the ship, we intend loading the ship entirely with Tobo, and as we expect the Price to be very high at Baltimore, and we can purchase cheaper on Potomack, we propose to send the ship round to that River, where we hope to get her loading of long dull Tobo at 20th or 25th per cent. — we therefore request you would call on the Marshall, and present the inclosed order for him for the Price of the ship being £400, which he is to credit the State for, out of the monies he has now in hand. — we request also you would desire him to make out his Account, that we may see which way the Balance is, if any be due to him, we will pay, if due to us, we expect to receive.

We wish to know the quantity of Tobo you have purchased, and the Price you gave, that we may direct what is to be done with it.

Wm. J.

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Brigadier General Johnson

Sir, We have some days ago sent forward five hundred pair of shoes to Philadelphia to be delivered to your orders, they are in the course of Stages, and we hope will soon be there, they we have been delivered

(J. J.)