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Portsmouth June 17. 1779

Sir.

The Gentleman who bears this, is owner of a parcel of the Goods purchased at the late Vendue in this Town, and were stop'd by your order. I received a letter this day from Mr Nathl. Barrett of Boston, who is now a purchasing Commissary for the Continent, and undoubted by some of the Gentlemen of the Hon^{ble} Committee are acquainted with, by which he assures me this Gentleman Mr. Wicket is, a true friend to this Country's cause, & has ever supported that Character. as such, I wish with other letters of assurance to recommend him to you & the other Gentlemen of the Committee for a release of his Goods. Mr. Barrett has also forty two small Hospital Blankets w^{ch} are for the use of the Hospital at Boston I shall be oblig'd for a line to Mr. Russel to suffer them a clearance to go by Partridge to Boston. I am with due Respect

Yr^o mo^o of Serv^{ts}
Hon^{ble} Meshech Weare Esq^r 20th W^{est} W^{est} W^{est}

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