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In Congress 12th Nov^r 1779.

Resolved, That the eleven companies of artificers raised by the quarter master general be reformed & incorporated & arranged in such manner as the commander in chief shall deem proper.

That when such arrangement shall have been made, the same be transmitted to the board of war, to the intent the officers may receive their commissions which shall entitle them to rank only in their own corps & enable them to hold regimental courts martial in cases that concern their own corps only & are usually cognizable by regimental courts martial in the line.

That the officers & men of the said corps be considered as part of the quotas of the eighty battalions as apportioned on the several States to which they respectively belong.

Nov^r 16th 1779.

Resolved, That it be recommended to the several States to allow the corps of artificers established by Congress the 12th inst. all the benefits provided for officers & soldiers in the line of their quotas of the continental battalions except the half pay - Extract from the minutes.

Cha^s Thomson Sec^y.

Resolves of Congress
Concerning Artificers
New Hampshire
1786⁷ = 1779

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