

Gentlemen

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I purchased, last March, of Mr.
Humphry Scarrmons Ten Bushel
of Corn for my own Family use,
I have been at the Charge of sending
up to Durham a Boat & hands three
times for the Corn, & have each time
failed of getting it, I am now told
that the Selectmen of Durham has
stoped it, under some colour of it's being
purchased for the use of the enemy,
and require an Order from a Committee
of Safety ere they will deliver it,
I must therefore pray that the
Hon^{ble}

Hon.^{ble} Committee will give order for
the Delivery thereof, as it is solely
for my own Families use.

I am Sir your most Obedient
Servant

Samuel Cutts

To The Hon.^{ble} Committee of Safety for the State
of New Hampshire.