

State of New Hampshire } To Lieutenant Samuel Dearborn ⁴ 49

Pursuant to a vote of council & assembly
You together with Lieut. John Kimbal
^{men in Capt. Ebenezer Webster's company}
are appointed to enlist a company of soldiers consisting of
fifty men officers included to serve the united states until
the first day of January 1779 unless sooner discharged to be
stationed in the state of Rhode Island unless some
necessity should require their removal, but in no case
to be marched out of the ^{New England States or the} state of New York.

You are to enlist none but good able bodied & effective
men & who are well accounted, and you are to pay every
such soldier on his enlisting six pounds as a bounty & assure
them they shall each receive fifteen dollars per month
while in service one months pay to be advanced them
by the muster master - also three pence per mile for
travel money from their homes to Providence in the
state of Rhode Island.

You will have an order
on the treasury for money to pay bounties & to provide
with expedition raising the men & presenting them to
the muster master appointed to muster your company.

You are to receive two dollars per ^{man} ~~month~~ for each
soldier you enlist who passes muster & the same wages
as an Officer of your rank in the continental army.

If you enlist ^{twelve} ~~twenty~~ men you will have a
commission to be ~~captain~~ ^{second lieutenant} of said company.

Jan. 4th 1778.

By order of the Council & Assembly

M Weare Pres^t

