

Amherst January 8th 1778

Sir / I have been Informed by Col^o Nichols of my
appointment as Lieut^t of a Company in the Regt^t
to be raised for Rhode Island I must Inform you
that my Circumstances will not admit of my
Accepting the Service The respect of the Court
Shewn to me by the Appointment is gratefully
Acknowledged by your most Obedient, and
H^{ble} Ser^t John mills

Lieut. Col. Mills
Resignation
8 Jan^y 1770-

To the Chairman
of the Committee of
Safety for the State
of New Hampshire