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is goeing to send out a number of the Inhabitants in order it is thought to make more room for his expected reinforcements, there is one part of the information that I can hardly give Credit to. a Sailor says that a number of these comeing out have been innoculated, with design of spreading the Smallpox thro' this Country & Camp. I have Comunicated this, to the General Court & recomended their attention thereto.

they are arming one of the Transports in Boston, with which they mean to decoy some of our armed vessells, as we are apprized of their design, I hope they will be disapointed.

My best respects wait on the Gentlemen in Congress, & Jam

Sir

your most Humb & Ob. Serv.

G. Washington

P.S.

I was misinformd when I mentiond that one Regim.t had arrived at Boston, the a few Companys of the 17. & Artillery were all that are yet come.

Near 300 persons are Landed on point Shirly from Boston

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