

Dear Sir.

Wiskills the 2^d Sep^r 1785

On Saturday I called on Coll. Barber with the Certificate for Wood and Townsends account of Property taken from the Neck but find that nothing can be obtained from him on these Vouchers. As he informs me the demands must be liquidated by the heads of the respective departments. It will be necessary therefore for Mr. Rooney to get all these matters settled with Col. Pickens the Quarter Master General who I am told is in Philadelphia. Mr. Rooney must be satisfied for his trouble and expenses in getting these affairs liquidated and the sooner they are settled the better as nothing will be got by letting them remain in their present situation.

I inclose the two certificates for the Wm. Coll. Coll. Barber advertises that he will remain at Poughkeepsie until the first of November. With respectful compliments to Mr. Catland & family. I am with esteem.

D^r Sir.

Your Most humble Serv^t
Sam^l Verplanck

The Hon^{ble} P^{re}sident Van Cortlandt Esq^r

P. S. I collect to have sent you a copy of Townsends account

Sam. V. Plunk
Letter