1775 July 7 John Galloway to Samuel Galloway

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July 7th. hope we shall escape the it seems to be in the air They die with it very fast in Calvert County. — we have had a report circulating in this Town that the provincials has lost in the late engagement 1000 men it gain no Credit and I believe it was invented by the Torys only to damp the Spirits of the people but it had not the desired effect they desire — They Committee waited on the Governor to day and asked leave to remove the Guns from this Town which he granted It is reported that there is a Ship of War to the Station here — The Governor told the Committee that he understood that the man of War men would be attacked if they landed — that he hoped no such thing would be attempted as it would give him happiness to keep peace and good order in this province That he should give it as his advice to the Captain and officers to behave peaceable and not molest any of the inhabitants and that he had not power to act farther than given advice — The Guns are to be removed to Mr Johns Hall plantations — Doctor Scott begs his Compliments to you and would have wrote you had he any news to communicate and is very much obliged to you for your Civility, which he in Philadelphia — my love and Compliments attend my friends and relations When I can

your Dutiful Son

John Galloway