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Philadelphia 13th October 1778

Sir

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I had the honor of addressing your Excellency on the 7th Instant by Dugan, since which I have not received any of your favors.

Under the present Cover will be found an Act of Congress of Yesterdays date for encouraging true Religion and good Morals, and for the suppression of such Entertainments and diversions as have a contrary tendency.

ARCHIVES
OF THE STATE OF
MARYLAND.

16th October 1778

Sir

I beg leave to refer you to the above, which has been lying for the present conveyance, and now to inclose to your Excellency an Act of this date for preventing the spreading of seditious Papers in these States by the Enemy under Cover of Flags of Truce or otherwise, and for punishing Persons detected in attempts to disperse such Papers.

I have the Honor to be
With great Respect
Sir
Your Excellency's
Most obedient Servt
Henry Laurens.
President
of Congress.

His Excellency
Governor Johnson
Maryland