Gentlemen Cambridge Nov.r 27th 1776..

As I have heretofore had the Honour of an Appointment from your Board to the Command of a Battalion of Militia of y.r State, permit me to return you Thanks for that Mark of y.r Esteem.

I have filled that Station, as long as I find it convenient under its present Regulation, and must therefore beg Leave to resign.

Y.r Hon.s humble Serv.t

James Murray

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