Sir

I understand the Medicine Chests are or will be up at the Landing early this Day. I have not seen or heared any thing of Dor.s Hotel . Our Baggage Waggon goes off in the Morning, I shall be glad to get one of the Chest with Medicine in it, but do not care to concern with the Medicine without a specific direction from y.r Excellency, & then had rather have some one who has the care of the Medicine present, at the package . If your Excellency shall think proper, I will take care of the 1.st Chest 'till my return from Camp, & then deliver it to any one that I shall be directed; without one one of the Persons under whose care the Medicine is, goes out. or you have one in view that may stay the whole Campaign. my return will be about the 1.st of Oct.r with the most pressing necessity should require my further attendance -

I am very anxious to have one of the Chests forward well knowing the disposition of the inconsiderate part of Militia, besides the infinite advantage results from having proper Medicine to administer in the incipient state of any disorder - I am Sir with due respect

Yr. Most Ob.t Serv.t

Gov.r Howard