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Sir (95) Dorchester Coty 8th May 1783

As We have no gun powder in our Magazine and the people here desirous, to testify their Joy on reading the proclamation of Peace, to have a few Discharges from our feild peice I must request your Excellencys Favour in furnishing us with one barrel of gun powder to be expended on this happy and Interesting Occasion

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I have the Honour to be
Sir
Your Excellencys most obed.
Hble Servt
Henry Hooper
Lieut. Dor Coty

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