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Sir

I am to inform your Excellency that General Rochambeau has left in Baltimore 600 men including the Artillery who have and will want quarters, a part has been provided for; I now want quarters for the remainder as well officers and soldiers, it will be necessary that you appoint some Gentleman at this place for that purpose. Mr. Poe has done it hitherto in the absence of Mr Golde, but he informs me that he would rather decline doing