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(Signed “The Intelligencer”)
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Letter from The Public Friend, pseudonym 1776 January 29
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b. 3 f. 21  Letter to Elizabeth Adams 1776 December 9
Contains an addendum dated 1776 December 11

b. 3 f. 21  Letter from Samuel Adams, Elbridge Gerry, William Ellery, and William Whipple to George Washington 1776 December 12 (Draft in the handwriting of Samuel Adams)

b. 3 f. 21  Letter from Joseph Ward 1776 December 13

b. 3 f. 21  Letter from Samuel and Robert Purviance to the Massachusetts delegates 1776 December 14

b. 3 f. 21  Letter from George Washington to Samuel Adams, Elbridge Gerry, William Ellery, and William Whipple 1776 December 14 (Post script in the handwriting of George Washington)

b. 3 f. 21  Letter from John Morgan 1776 December 16

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b. 3 f. 22  Letter from the Committee of Congress on the affairs of the Northern Department to Walter Stewart 1776 December 30 (Draft in the handwriting of Samuel Adams.)
Committee members included Samuel Adams, Richard Henry Lee, Benjamin Harrison, William Whipple, and Thomas Hayward, Jr.
Committee member names are listed at the bottom

b. 3 f. 22  Letter from the Committee of Congress on the affairs of the Northern Department to the President of the Council of Massachusetts Bay 1776 December 30 (Draft in the handwriting of Samuel Adams)
Committee members included Samuel Adams, Richard Henry Lee, Benjamin Harrison, William Whipple, and Thomas Hayward, Jr.

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b. 4 f. 7  Letter from Paul Revere  1777 August 24
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Account of clothing for Continental troops 1777 August 25 (Signed by Nathan Blodget)

Account of clothing delivered at Boston to the troops in the Continental Service [1777 August 25] (Signed by Nathan Blodget)

Invoice of sundry stores delivered to Oliver Pier Waggon, Master for the Northern Department [1777 August 25] (Signed by Jonathan Brown)

Account of sundrys delivered by the Board of War of Massachusetts for the use of the Continental Army 1777 August 25 (Signed by Jonathan Loring Austin)

Account of sundrys delivered by the Board of War of Massachusetts to Samuel Jarvis for the Continental Army 1777 August 25 (Signed by Jonathan Loring Austin)

Account of the return of clothing purchased by Massachusetts Bay for the Northern Army 1777 August 25 (Signed by Samuel Otis)

Account of clothing delivered to at Bennington to the Continental troops 1777 August 26 (Signed by Abraham Livingston and William Turnbull)

”Return of the Seven Regiments together with Major Steven’s Train of Artillery…and the Arms and Accoutrements delivered them” 1777 August 26

Letter from Abraham Livingston and William Turnbull to William Heath 1777 August 26

Letter from William Heath 1777 August 27

Letter to Elizabeth Adams 1777 September 17

Letter from Adam Hubley to William A. Atlee 1777 October 9

Letter from John Burgoyne to Horatio Gates 1777 November 14

Letter from Richard Henry Lee 1777 November 15

Letter from Jonathan D. Sergeant to James Lovell 1777 November 20

Letter from the Commissioners to France to Lord North 1777 November 23 (In the handwriting in Arthur Lee)

Letter from Richard Henry Lee 1777 November 23

Letter from Arthur Lee 1777 November 25

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Letter from Arthur Lee to Richard Henry Lee 1777 November 29

Letter from Joseph Ward to James Lovell 1777 December 4

Letter to [James Lovell] 1777 December 8

Letter from James Lovell [1777] December 8

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