

Peter Baudouin Esq.

Philad<sup>a</sup> July 20<sup>th</sup> 1804

Dear Sir

I have this day agreed with the  
Gent<sup>l</sup>s of whom I wrote you, to let them have the 300  
quarter C<sup>ks</sup> of powder at \$10 ff<sup>ch</sup> payable in 3 Mos<sup>s</sup>  
from the first of August in such paper as I shall  
approve of - They now say they expect to be able to  
get their Rep<sup>t</sup> off by the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month & therefore  
cannot engage to take any after that time - You  
may make any proportion of it either Cannon or mus-  
quet as you please & put it in either barrels or q<sup>rs</sup> C<sup>ks</sup>  
they will also that if you can procure Coffin A<sup>rs</sup>  
in Wilmington you will buy them & repack the C<sup>ks</sup>  
in those A<sup>rs</sup> with Hay or straw about them to  
keep



keep them steady & they will pay the extra expence —  
you are to keep it in the magazine untill they direct  
when it is to be delivered — wh<sup>ch</sup> will be Wilmington or  
New Castle —

I am very truly  
Yours frd

Arch<sup>d</sup> Wals

I expect you will get the Salt Peter — for it appears  
to me that none of the other manufacturers can afford  
to pay the price for it —



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Order of M<sup>o</sup> Call.

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