Portsmouth. June 24th. 1811.

Sir.

On my last voyage to East port, I furnished Capt Dexter with a tackle, the bills of which I shall enclose - I shall likewise take the liberty of sending you a Petition for a light house on the island of Tit-manan; if it should meet your approbation will [illegible] you to forward it, as it will have more weight than coming from the citizens - The keeper of Seguin light called on me, & gave me a memorandum of articles required for his light which I shall enclose - The light at W. Head, is kept in a most scandalous manner - I should imagine from the appearance of the lanthorn, that it had not been cleaned since it was made - I have sent two or three messages to the keeper, but he took no notice of them; and finally I wrote him (from Owls-head) & told him I should report his negligence to you - Major Prescott informed me that there is to be

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a Cutter stationed at East-Port, and that he would recommend me to the command of her — I should prefer that station to this, as I contemplate making a farm there, at some future period — If she should be built under your direction, I will be very much obliged to you, if you will assist me in obtaining her —

The money for the tackle, you will have the goodness to enclose to Capt Jacob Cutter, as I shall sail tomorrow for Passamaquoddy —

I am Sir, very respectfully
Yr. ms. Ob. Svt

Wm. T. Adams —

Genl Henry Dearborn —

W. T. Adams
June 24. 1811
who furnish proof &c
to the Keeper of Deads
On Public service.
Light House

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Henry Dearborn

Collector of the Customs

Boston

Coll. U. S. Adams
June 24 1811
Commission Light House
Boston