

Salem April 5th 1775

S^r Your favours 30th Ultimo came to hand yesterday
after the Post was gone, our A^{ll} is removed to Salem since
Boston Port has been shut for the convenience of trade -
We have some Candles by us & think it probable that by next
the beginning of next week we shall have 50 Boxes, they are
still manufactured in Boston & transported by land to Salem
for Sales, the price is now, & has been for above a year 2¹/₂ p^{er} lb^{er}
credit 3 months, for cash down would abate 3¹/₂ p^{er} lb^{er} -
you please to give us the earliest notice whether you take them
& upon which terms - you direct to us at Salem,

with esteem We are S^r Y^r Hum^{ble} Serv^{ts}

Nath^l. Appleton & C^o

Joshua Wentworth Esq^r

rec^d. 10th April 1775.

and same day W^m. Bork

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Joshua Wentworth Esq

Merchant

in Portsmouth

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Letter to Joshua Wentworth Esq April 5: 1775

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