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Wm Bennett Dimes

May 20th 1814

Mr. I have just received a note from  
Paris in which he requests me to inform  
you that the 2<sup>d</sup> Regt of Pennsylvania Militia  
arrived on Tuesday the 2<sup>d</sup> day of June at 11 o'clock  
A.M. in the same field the ground in last  
year.

I am with respect to them  
Yours  
Wm Bennett Dimes

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Dr. Sir,

His Excellency Simon Snyder, and  
 our good veteran Brig. Genl. Bloomfield are  
 here - They arrived last night & I have just had  
 the honour of an interview with them. I told  
 the Brig. that the want of our equipments alone  
 prevented us from shewing to him our corps,  
 and from the pleasure of witnessing his  
arrival &c. He said the only impediment  
~~was~~ is the want of a receipt, which must be  
 given by you in Phila. - No time therefore is  
 to be lost, especially as the Genl. is about to  
 resign his post, and retire from the bustle  
 & alarms of war. Thy the Gov. of Genl. will