

**Newport, [1777]. Carta de Moses Seixas, Moses Levy e Simon Levy ao General
Henry Clinton**

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To his Excellency Henry Clinton Esq.^r, lieutenant-general of his Majesty's forces &c.
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The Subscriben hereto most humbly represent that they have a very considerable property laying on the Island of Nantucket, which they greatly seen worried be immediately seir'd on by the Provincials, were they (the subscriben) to write in the address from the inhabitants of the town of Newport to your Excellency. They therefore most humbly pray that your Excellency will be so condescending as to escuse their not signing the said address asurreing your Excellency that it does not proceed from a want of respect to you, nor from a want of loyalty or allegiance to our most gracious Sovereign.

Moses Levy

Moses Seixas

Simon Levy