ARTIFICIAL-TEETH

Paul Revere would like to express his sincere thanks to the gentlemen and ladies who have hired him to take care of their teeth. He would also remind them and all others, who are so unfortunate as to lose their teeth by accident or in other ways, that he still continues his business as a dentist. From all the experience he has gained in the last two years (during which time he has worked on hundreds of teeth),he can fix them as well as any **Surgeon-Dentist** from London. He fixes them in such a way that they are not only for decoration but actually useful for speaking and eating. He cleans teeth and will serve any gentleman or lady at their home. He may be contacted at his shop opposite Dr. Clark's shop at the North End, where the gold and silversmith's business is.

Glossary Terms:

 Surgeon-Dentist—A dentist who would pull teeth and perform other small invasive procedures. Revere made sure to let people know he did NOT do that as part of his dental practice

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Paul Revere, Advertisement for artificial teeth and dentistry, *Boston Gazette, and Country Journal*, (Boston, Massachusetts), 30 July 1770. Collection of the Massachusetts Historical Society

¹ This is a modernized transcription. Spelling, grammar, and punctuation have been altered to be more easily understood.