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Montevideo 24th March 1837

John Patrick Esq
Consul ~~Genl~~ of the U.S.
at Montevideo



Sir,

Wishing to satisfy ~~the~~ your
enquiry ^{fully} regarding the causes of the detention
of Silas E. Burrow Esq I beg leave to enclose
a letter which I wrote to this Gentleman regarding
the claims I have against him, by which ^{I trust that} you will
~~be~~ ^{become aware} that my business with him, ^{is just and} ~~is~~ one between
man and man, which if not amicably arranged,
must be settled by arbitration or by the proper
Court of justice.

After perusal of said letter I beg the
favor of you to have the same delivered into
Mr Burrow's own hand & to inform me when
accomplished

I have the honour to be

Sir
J. M. O. L. S.
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March 24th Mond 1837

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Genl U. S. at
Montevideo

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