The undersigned Chargé d'affaires of the United States has the honor to acknowledge the reception of the note of this day of His Exc^y the Marquess of Aracaty, Councillor, Minister and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, enclosing an extract from a despatch of His Exc^y the Minister of Marine, mentioning the arrival here, in a Brazilian vessel of war of an unfortunate American Captain, who had been robbed by pirates on the coast of Africa, and who had been allowed a passage in the Imperia with his remaining property. It is particularly grateful to the undersigned, to return his thanks for this act of courtesy and humanity towards an American citizen, and which he will not fail to communicate to his government.

The undersigned requests His Exc^y the Marquess of Aracaty to receive the assurance of his high respect & consideration.

W. Tudor.

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