The undersigned Chargé d'Affaires of the United States has the honor to address his Exc.y the Marquess of Aracaty, to ask of him if the information he has just received from very respectable authority be correct — that the preliminaries of peace have been signed — the frigate Macedonian has now been waiting several only for this interesting event: which Commodore Biddle & the under signed are naturally anxious to make known to their government in an official manner. Should this desireable event have taken place, the undersigned tenders to his Exc.y the Marquess of Aracaty his most cordial congratulations, on such a felicitous occurrence and repeats the assurances of his very high respect & consideration

Legation of the U. S. A. — W. Tudor.

Aug.t 29.th 1828.