

Staunton August 8th 1863

Sir

Hencefore I obtained from Mr. Bridland & Mr. Moore (consuls) a considerable number of certificates of citizenship for subjects of Great Britain living in this vicinity. In consequence of some difficulty Mr. Moore had with the Confederate Government I understand he has left Richmond not to return to it, at least in any official capacity. Thinking it probable that the British Government would have an agent of some sort at that point to attend to the interests of her subjects I address this letter to the British Consul in hopes it may fall into hands that will give me the information I desire. Are any such certificates now granted? If so I wish to prepare an affidavit for a man living here. Besides the affidavit (the general form of which I know) the Consul requires that \$1.25 should be sent to him in gold or silver & 25 cents in any current bank note of the country. Has any change in the terms been made? Be kind enough to let me hear from you at your earliest convenience & obliged

Yours Respectfully

C. Johnson
Atty at Law
Staunton

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London August 1852

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