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WASHINGTON.

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Albion W. Tourgée, Esquire,
Consul of the United States,
Bordeaux,
now at Mayville, New York.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your despatches under the date of the 22d and 25th instant. The official bond inclosed therein has been approved and deposited with the Secretary of the Treasury. Under the law it is necessary to collect a fee of one dollar for your passport and upon the receipt of that amount one will be sent to you. Under a separate cover a copy of the Consular Regulations, together with a Register of the Department, has been sent to your address.

The receipt of these documents should be acknowledged.

You will please report here in person, before proceeding to your post, for further instructions relative to the duties of your office.

Respectfully yours,



Third Assistant Secretary.