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We have no court house at all; and I bring this subject before the Board for their consideration. I have 100 perches of rock now quarried for this object.

From report, there is likely to be some difficulty between Monrovia & the British traders on account of duties. Their trade vessels all declare that Commodore Jones orders them to pay no anchorage & duties at any of our ports — how matters are likely to terminate, I know not. Some specific instructions on this head are needed from the Board.

By this vessel, I forward our acc't for the last 6 of 1844 to the care of Mr Lamb — Boston. I hope they will prove satisfactory — I also draw two salary drafts for ~~four~~ one hundred fifty Dollars ($150.00) ~~each~~ four hundred Dollars —

I have the honor to remain
Your Obedt Servt.
Jno. B. Russwurm
Agt J.C.S.

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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