
**James Monroe to Thomas Jefferson, June 20,
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Richmond June 20. 1801.

Dear Sir

Hearing that Mr. Hay is disposed to seize the few days of leasure which an interval between the courts gives him to visit the federal city with his Lady and that he doubts whether you woud. recognize him, I take a pleasure in freing him from that anxiety. He is really a very able and respectable citizen, one who deserves and will be highly gratified with your attention. At what time will you be at Monticello? I hope to have the pleasure of seing you in Albemarle while I am there. The season begins to approach when it becomes dangerous for those accustomed to a better climate to stay here. Very sincerely I am yr. friend & servt Jas. Monroe

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