



Passport

Legation of the United States of America

To all whom these Presents shall come - Greeting.

No 26

Description

Age 34 years

Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches

Forehead High

Eyes Dark Blue

Nose Prominent

Mouth Full

Chin Round

Hair Dark Brown

Complexion Fair

Face Oval

Know Ye that Henry Clay is

the bearer hereof citizen of the United States of America being now at Lisbon and desiring to proceed to the United States of America through England

These are therefore to request all whom it may concern and especially the authorities both Civil and Military of H. M. Majesty the Queen of Portugal to permit him to pass freely without let or molestation, and to extend to him all such friendly aid and protection, as would in like cases be extended to citizens or subjects of Foreign Countries, resorting to the United States in the lawful pursuit of their affairs.

In testimony whereof I ~~James B. Clapp~~ ^{James B. Clapp} Chargé d'Affaires of the United States of America near the Government of Portugal have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of this Legation to be affixed, at Lisbon this 24th day of December A.D. 1849 and of the Independence of the United States, the ~~twenty fourth~~ ^{seventy fourth}.



Signature of the Bearer

Henry Clay

James B. Clapp