

Washington 22nd March 1833

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the history from the 6th of June 1823 up to the time that
value was formed, so as to close the affair; stating the
time and manner in which it formed itself, ~~as~~ as far as
you recollect. I then propose to go on with the written sheets
to the end; and finally I propose that by way of closing the
case you should take the history up from April 1823 when
he entered your service as stated in the last paragraph
but one in the Recorder commencing after this manner "By
April 1823 he was so far recovered as to enter my service as
a private servant" &c. and then go on to give in a short & summary
way, a history of him up to this time, his journeys, employments,
marriage &c. I wish to close the case in this way in
order to remove entirely the misunderstanding that exists, ~~and~~
especially in Europe, as to the state of his health; and to
show that the experiments that immediately follow are
made on the stomach and fluids of a perfectly healthy
man. With these two additions we shall have the means
of giving a full and satisfactory account of the Subject
of the Experiments.

Sincerely yours

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from Dr Lowell

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Dr Lowell on the
Subject of 5765
Bosch. report 100

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