

Legation of the United States
Caracas May 7. 1855.

Hon Caleb Cushing
Esq

Dear Sir,

This letter will be
handed to you by the Hon
Simon Planas late Minis-
ter of Foreign Affairs of
this Republic. He proposes
to visit both the United States
and Europe and, as he
very naturally wishes
to form the personal

acquaintance of the eminent
men of our country, I
take pleasure in introduc-
-ing him to you. My own
relations with Mr Plancy
both official and per-
-sonal ~~and official~~
have been very agreeable,
and any attention which
you may be enabled to
show him during his
stay in Washington, I
shall regard as a
personal favor

With the highest regard
I remain,
My dear Sir,
Yours very truly
C. Eames.

[CHARLES EAMES]

C. Lamar
May 7, 1855

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