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Caesar Augustus Rodney

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*At your
affectionate*
Wilmington July 23. 1817.

My dear Son,

The information contained
in this letter you must on no account
communicate to any other person, even
the most intimate friend you have.

You may expect to see me
in New-York in ten days, or two weeks
at furthest, to embark on board the
Ontario, for her present voyage, or I
have been appointed by the President
on an important mission. I have not
now got things more in the subject
time. If there be any thing now want
you home, let me know, then I may
bring it or will send it some.

Let me know whether your
new is complete, & whether you have
got all your money on board h.c.
Yours affec son

A. Rodney
P.S. be no person in this letter

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Midshipman John Rodney
U.S.A. Navy
New York



John Rodney

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