

New Lisbon March 6th /73

Dear Andrew

In reply to yours of the 5th have to say that I do not know the name of the writer in France. no doubt Hodson does, but he has not let Combs & Down know and is carefull to withhold it from me.  
I am sorry that I did not make myself understood.

I have received another letter post marked March 3d. Since I wrote to you from Combs & Downs" saying that they had determined not to attempt further to find the heirs of Ignatius. F and had so written to Hodson at Crisfield <sup>md</sup>. the amount offered us would hardly compensate for our services if we succeed. and the chances decidedly are that we would not succeed. we have very gladly put Hodson in possession of all the facts with in our knowledge. and hope he may be more successful." I have copied their whole letter.

But this I suppose is working to get more pay.

I wish we could find the name of the French writer. and I should like to know how many facts C & D had obtained as to the heirs of Ignatius

Respectfully Yours

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