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To the Hon. the Secretary
 of the Treasury
 Sir,
 I beg to inform you
 that I have the honor to acknowledge
 the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.
 in relation to the proposed
 extension of the term of the
 contract for the purchase of
 the land for the proposed
 canal, and in reply to inform you
 that the same has been referred
 to the proper authorities for their
 consideration.
 I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Your obedient servant,
 J. M. Smith

