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Letter from George Sibley to Benjamin Reeves, April 25, 1825

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St. Louis, Missouri

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St. Louis Apr. 25. 1825

Sir,

It is very desirable that the Commissioner, on the road to N. Mexico, should have a Meeting here as soon as practicable. Col. Menard is to be here in course of this day, as I am informed, and I hear that you may be expected soon. We ought to meet for business early in May; say by the 3? – As the principal outfits must necessarily be here – Much preparation is requisite for our trip, which ought to be made without delay, if our commence our duties this Summer, which I see no reason to prevent – I am much importuned by applicants for app. under this commission, + being alone here, feel very desirous to see and consult with you + Col: Menard, which desire has urged me to drop this note to you. –

Respectfully Sir,

Yr. Obt. Srt:

G. c. Sibley

B. H. Reeves Esq.-