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Dr. Riepma

Dear Friend: the Wm Nelson, about whom you ask me, is the very same naval officer. Kossuth met him on the "Miss". Kossuth commissioned him with Henningsen, to be his agents in Haiti, July 13, 1852, N.Y., one day before his departure from America.

Moltmann's work is marvelous/ sent me the copy of a Kossuth letter, 6 pages, to A. Dudley Mann, London, Aug. 2, 1953, in which he recommends George Law very warmly as regards some mail-ship building proposition, although he knows that Mr. Marcy does not like Law. /Original in N.Y. Publ. Lib./

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