

Kossuth and

Franklin Pierce

election of 1852

Edmund Burke to Gen. F. Pierce

Baltimore, June 6-1852

"I am in correspondence with Kossuth and through Dr. Webb can do something with the foreign population. K. has great influence with them and will naturally suppose without any assurance that a northern administration will sympathize more with the popular movement in Europe than a Southern or Whig administration. K. should be invited to New Hampshire, but should receive nothing from you, but courtesies + civilities..."

John W. Geary: Some papers of Franklin Pierce

Amer. Histor. Review, Vol. 10, 1904-5, P. 114)

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Burke's letter of June 8-52 to Kossuth

January III 866-7 (after Pierce's nomination)

Pierce "warmly + cordially avows docting"

with regard to the intervention...

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"Edmund Burke + the  
nomination of Pierce  
in "National Era" Wash DC  
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Feb 4-5

