Lathrop demanded
Question = The amount of Postage marked on the letter
Answer = Ten cents
Question = Whether unpaid or paid
Answer = unpaid
Question = The Office to which addressed
Answer = New Orleans
Question = Whether mailed direct thereto or to another office for distribution
Answer = direct to New Orleans
Question = The Route by which it was sent
Answer = sent by the way of Petersburg Va

The Above is an exact description of the letter draft sent on the 9th of July 1837 by Capt John Baily from this office to the best of my recollection

John E. Pegar P. M.
Urbanna, P. O. Va
October 17th 1837

Sworn and subscribed before me a Justice of the peace the day and year above written given under my hand & seal this 7th day of October 1837

Thomas Sheet J P Seal