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Capt H. E. Shelly

Dear Sir

Permit me by Request of A R Coleman Esq to solicite you to take charge of my Buisiness that was in his hands. I send you the Certificates fully Authenticated as the Law Requires with the request that you sell the same for my best interests and remit the amt at once as I am in Great need and by so doing you will much oblige Please take charge of my Buissiness as Mr Coleman has done and you will confer a favor on yours truly

W. B. Scates.

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