



Thru New York 4/40

Pearson  
My dear friend

Enclosed you will please receive my check on the Bk of North America for Thirty dollars for the Amintad Captives, received from the following sources viz

- A friend \$2.
- Friends in Oswego County 20.
- "I.B." by the hands of Prof. C.D. C- } 3.
- an "Anti Abolitionist" 5. \$30.

I feel under many obligations to you for your kindness in sending me the Journal of Commerce &c. I trust I may have an opportunity of repaying your kindness

Very truly yours  
Saml Hastings

my

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J. S. Hastings

Philadelphia

March 4<sup>th</sup>

Encloses a check of \$80 on  
Bank of N. America from  
donating persons for annuities

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