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Department of State
Washington.

13th March, 1875.

To The President.

My dear Sir:

Mr Mantilla,
the Minister from Spain,
some time since applied
for an interview with
you for the purpose
of presenting a letter
from King Alfonso,
announcing his accession
to the throne of that
Country. A compliance
with Mr Mantilla's

request has hitherto
been deferred to await
events at Madrid.

As these have now
taken place, I am
not aware of any
other objection to your
receiving him for
the purpose named.
If, therefore, such
should be your pleasure,
I would suggest
that Tuesday next,
the 16th instant, at

12 o'clock, would be
a suitable time for
the ceremony!

Faithfully yours,
Hamilton W. -