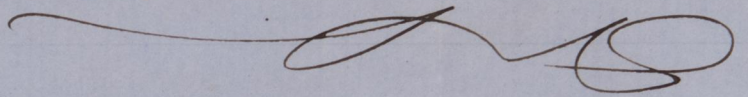


Los Angeles California
October the 13. A.D. 1856

Dear friend Morse I have the opportunity
of writing a few lines to I well and is
giving \$50 Dollars a month for Drury a term
for Paning and willson I will be able
in ten months to pay all of my
creditors in one month I will send
you \$50 Dollars shore with out fail
look in the Post office if there is
any letters for me and send them to
Los Angeles your friend
John Blackstone



John Blackstone

Oct 13th

Assumed

Dec 18th

& the amount of bill
was \$72.62