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*Letter from J. Gage Sise to Alexander Parris*

Portsmouth Sept 2 1836

Col. S. Thayer

[Debtor] to J. G. Sise

To John Rait's Bill 1 Scow	364.00
[to] A. T. Goodrich's Bill freight [ditto]	<u>30.00</u>
	394.00
Commission 2 ½ [percent]	<u>9.80</u>
Dollars	403.80

Rec[eive]d Payment

Captain Alexander Parris

Sir

I forward you by the Schooner Merchant[,] A. T. Goodrich Master the scow Col Thayer requested me to purchase of Mr. Rait on examination I found the scow not quite so large as Mr. Rait informed Doctor Sargent, his price was \$400 I purchased for \$360 and had 4 [bolts?] put in her and examined by a calker making \$364. Mr. R. sold the U.S. one for the Piscataqua within a few days not quite so good for \$400; the scow is at the risk of Col. Thayer the same as all sent from here, no coaster will insure to be released at Rainsford Island by Captain Goodrich please remit your check payable [to] my order

With much Respect  
Y[ou]r ob[edien]t ser[van]t

J. G. Sise

[Envelope]

Single

Captain Alexander Parris  
Boston  
Mass

Mail

*[written in Parris's hand]*

J. G. Sise Esq.

Letter

Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1836

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