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*Letter from Commodore William Bainbridge to Alexander Parris*

Navy Yard Charlestown  
February 18<sup>th</sup>, 1833

Sir,

No materials for erecting the Hospital at Chelsea, (delivered under Contract,) must be received until the Contracts are received at this Office, and directions given by me for the inspection of them.

You will please to hand me a schedule of Paints, Oil and Iron mongery that may be required for the building, keeping always in mind the amount of appropriation viz. \$26,000.

The paints will be received in this Yard by the Store Keeper, as also the Glass for the windows.

Mr. Roby's services may commence on the first day of the ensuing month (March) at fifty dollars per month.

Very Respectfully Y[ou]rs

W[illia]m Bainbridge

Mr. A. Parris  
Superintendent Navy Hospital  
Chelsea

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[*written in Alexander Parris's hand*]

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[*written over Parris's notation in another hand*]

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