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Thanking you cordially for your pamphlets & requesting that you would send me whatever else you may write or have already written upon the subject, I remain yours very respectfully

James Buchanan

Henry C Carey Esq