

Theodore Roosevelt,
President of the United States of America,

To His Royal Highness
Ferdinand,
Prince of Bulgaria.

Great and Good Friend:

Desiring to manifest the cordial friendship which this Government has for that of Your Royal Highness, I have made choice of John B. Jackson, one of our distinguished citizens, as Diplomatic Agent of the United States of America to Bulgaria, and have charged him to conduct the affairs of his post in a manner to cultivate and maintain harmony and good-will between the two countries.

Wherefore, I request Your Royal Highness to receive him in that capacity and to give full credit to his representations on behalf of this Government, especially to the assurances which he will convey to you of the best wishes of this Government for the prosperity of Bulgaria.

May God have Your Royal Highness in His wise Keeping.

Written at Washington, this 6th day of June, in
the year 1903.

Your Good Friend,

Theodore Roosevelt

By the President:

John Hay
Secretary of State.