J. BLACKBURN LETTER
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SUMMARY

Size. 1 item

Geographic locations. New Orleans, Louisiana

Inclusive dates. January 7, 1819

Language. English

Summary. Letter written by J. Blackburn, a ship’s first officer, to his ship’s owners on the occasion of the death of the ship’s captain.

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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

J. Blackburn, a ship's first officer, served under a captain who died in 1818 or 1819. The company owning the ship was based in New Orleans. The ship's chandlers were Paterson & Philpot. Names mentioned in connection with the captain's affairs include Mr. Gardner, Mr. Patterson, and Mr. Haskell.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The letter details J. Blackburn's involvement with settling his deceased captain's affairs. It comments on the need to consign the ship to another house or company and it reports the captain's debts and credits, mentioning an enclosed copy of his accounts. This copy is not included.

INDEX TERMS

Shipping--Louisiana.
New Orleans (La.)--Commerce.