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ST. JOHNS, 1st November, 1849.

I THINK it right to publish the following statement, as a Key to a Pamphlet which has lately appeared, published by Mr. Vane, and to state here, that I never saw that Pamphlet, until the afternoon of Saturday, the 27th October, when a copy was sent to me at St. Johns; and further, that I never saw the three long letters, written by Mr. Abraham, (being No. 13, page 12, No. 17, page 19, and No. 21, page 25,) until I read them in the publication alluded to. I have also to remark, that the order in which the letters are given in that Pamphlet, renders it impossible for any unprejudiced person to form a fair judgment of the circumstances out of which the correspondence arose.

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