



Somerset St.

Friday Evenng

My dear Sir,

The British Minister for  
Ecuador, is Mr. Geo. Fagan.

He is now absent from the  
Republic & is at Chapala.  
He is to return in April,  
I understand. In the mean-  
-time, his functions are  
discharged by

Mr. Francis Mocalta

British Consul

Guayaquil.

Senor Don M. M. Mosquera

I have just rec<sup>d</sup> letters  
from New Granada. There is  
a rising of the people against  
the Government in Antioquia,  
& martial law is proclaimed  
in Cundinamarca! They  
do not appear to have been  
informed at Bogota of the  
battle of which an acc<sup>t</sup>  
is given in the second  
Edition of the Times, today.  
The state of feeling in  
Bogota is very uncomfortable.

Very sincerely yours  
J. P. Poles.