

State of Kentucky; }
Fayette County } Set

The affiant, Edwin S. Long, states on oath that he is the Secretary of the Edwin Alden Company of Cincinnati and that the advertisement of the State College of Kentucky was inserted in the papers and on the dates mentioned and designated on the two sheets hereto annexed.

Edwin S. Long

Subscribed and sworn to before me by
Edwin S. Long this December 22^d 1886.

C. Lydane Scott
Notary Public
Fayette Co Ky

47-M-64

Papers of E. L. Conner
Dec. 8 1886

Will Practice in all the Counties of
WESTERN KENTUCKY,
—And in the—
UNITED STATES DISTRICT
—And—
Circuit Courts
—At—
LOUISVILLE & PADUCAH.

G. A. C. HOLT.

J. PAT HOLT.

OFFICE OF

G. A. C. HOLT & SON,

Attorneys and Counsellors At Law.

Murray, Ky. Dec 20th 1886.

Wm. S. K. Patterson

Dear Sir

After a thorough investigation I have determined to enter the lists for Governor — from my ship, and make an active campaign. I have secured the united support of my (Gibraltar) Dist. — who half of the 2^d, eight or ten Co's in Central, and as many in "Manitair" Co. I have more endorsement of the press than any man yet mentioned. How it may terminate Providence alone can tell — but it shall be last (if last) by no part of mine. Indeed

the pressure from my end of
the state is such that I can
not afford to decline.

Now, if you are so situated
that you can aid me in my
struggle — I shall not only
appreciate the compliance, but
certainly understand and re-
member its value.

And I hope that it may yet be
in my power to show my
appreciation of your friendship.

Hoping soon to meet you
soon I remain Sir

Your Friend

G. A. C. Helt

—Office of—
LOUISVILLE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE,
340 West Main Street.

C. H. Greathouse
THOS. S. BUCHANAN, Proprietor,
R. H. WITHERSPOON, Business Manager

Louisville, Ky. Jan 29 1887

President Patterson

Dear Sir:

I mail you tonight a copy of the Journal of Commerce a paper representing the manufactures and industries of Kentucky. I mean to make it readable and valuable. I can not afford to pay for matter as yet, but I may be of service to you in publishing the results of experiments or research at your college. Also if you have any young man in your school who will take the paper and secure subscriptions I will allow him fifty per cent commission.

I am glad to note that Will Lambuth who came from the A. O. M. to work with me in the Commercial has secured a \$1000 position in Washington.

Hoping to hear from you, I am

Yours sincerely

C. H. Greathouse
Reporter for Louisville Times
and Editor Soc. Journal of Commerce



Feb 9th 1884

Dear Sir

Enclosed send you
Professor Patterson's receipt
for his Annual Subscript-
ion.

His Proceedings with the
sent on the issue of Vol VIII
about a month hence
Yours very truly

J. Anderson

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His Grace
Clarendon
Archbishop }
recepts
1886



UNION INSURANCE CO
OF CALIFORNIA.

Ottawa, Kansas 2/15, 1887

Prof. J. K. Patterson,

Dear Sir,

A party offers to fence your land - three barbed wires all round and good posts one rod apart, for the use of the land three years and leave the fence in good repair at the end of the three years - you to pay your own tax. Some leases have been made here where 5 years use was given for same kind of fencing and paying the tax during the 5 years. We think the offer a fair one and the man a reliable one. He wants to hear your decision at once.

Respectfully
Stubaugh & Barnett

Washington DC Mar 9 '07
My Dear Rec Patterson.

The enclosed
clip is from this morning's
Post. It hardly seems to
me that the objection
is well taken. Can we
do anything wisely about
it or should we leave
it to the "authorities" whose
function it is to decide
such questions?

Very Truly

J. D. Chamberlin

Lawrenceburg Ky Mar 20th 1887
Prof J K Patterson
Lexington

Dear Sir The Trustees of Anderson Seminary,
located at this place, desire to employ as principal
an active, wide awake teacher to take charge of said
institution 1st Sept next - Our school building will
accommodate about 150 pupils & the matriculates
each have ranged from 100 to 125 - The price of
tuition has been an average of about \$30⁰⁰ per session
of ten months - We want a man from 35 to 50 years
of age who has had experience in teaching and
whose integrity & moral character is unquestionable
The advanced course of study is about the same
usually adopted in our colleges -

We will be very grateful to you ^{if you} will put us in
the way of obtaining a capable man who has the
push and vim to give us a first class school.

Respectly
F M Robinson ch'm
Board Education

State College, Centre Co., Pa.

3/22, 1887.

My dear Sir:—

Your favor of March 18th is received. I wholly agree with you in thinking that some of our friends were too ready to ask an opinion from the Comptroller.

But so widespread apprehension has been caused by this opinion that it was thought by many inadvisable to hold the Convention in April as called. I therefore sent out a circular today to all interested asking a final decision as to the advisability of adhering to the original plan and the replies will determine the question. I enclose a copy of the circular.

If, after an official opinion had been rendered, the College should

proceed as though such an opinion had no weight, I do not believe Congress would be inclined to reimburse them for any expenditure and such a course might provoke troublesome antagonisms. Should any Institution, however, proceed on that supposition, it would have good ground for justification. One better hope lies, as I think, in bringing all possible influence to bear upon the President, Attorney General, and the Secretary of the Treasury in order to induce them to overrule the opinion of the Comptroller.

If you could add to what you have already done with Mr. Carlisle, by inducing him to take an active interest in securing this result, you will do a second great service to us all.

Faithfully yours,
Geo. W. Robertson.

The Louisville Times,
The New York Morning Journal.

WASHINGTON OFFICE,

1343 F Street.

March 27, 1887

My Dear Prof. Patterson:

You will remember our talk
upon Scottish subjects.

Now I wish you would give me
a list of books on Surnames and
other Caledonian matters, blood
and names of distinguished Scotchmen
now living who have made a study
of these subjects. You cited Dr.
John Stuart Blackie and some
other eminent scholars who are
yet alive.

I expect to sail for England in
three weeks and I would expect
to give me all the books pos-
sible. Give me a list of unusu-
al and interesting historic
places to visit in Scotland
and north of England.

If you can give me any letters
of introduction to Scotch people
I should appreciate them.
It helps one very much to
talk to the people of a
country he is to him.

I will have a number of
nice letters to find people
and go under very favorable
auspices altogether.
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I expect to remain abroad
some time and see Scotland
and other Countries (British
Isles particularly) in a
somewhat satisfactory man-
ner.

Write me of your earliest
Convenience please.

You told our interview
in Louisville Times I pre-
sume. I am sorry the money
is not available just yet.

Your friend
Chas. E. Kierstead

W.S. Rule Esq,
Please let Mr. D. A. King have
500 feet of lumber and charge
to College

J. K. Pattern

Birmingham Ky

Feb. 9 1888

Penns 11b Mar 31/87.

Prof Jas R. Patterson

Lexington Ky

Dear Sir

After so long a period of silence I scarcely dare to write you. Under ordinary circumstances I would not have the courage, ~~had~~ I have, however, had under consideration a matter of such importance to myself, that I feel I must seek advice from some quarter in regard to it; and I know of no one so able to advise, or whose counsel in the premises would have so much weight with me as yours.

You may remember, that about twenty years ago when I returned fresh from a German University; you did me the kindness to write advising me to spend some time in teaching. I was so eager then to make money, I could not bring myself to the idea of accepting a salary. Well, more than twenty years have gone since then, I have been engaged in the active conduct of business all those years, and have been sadly defeated until now, at forty eight, and I have left is a large amount of experience which is unavailable without capital and a large family dependent upon my exertions

Under these Circumstances I have been debating whether I might not go back twenty years and avail myself of that only capital which I have left, but which has become somewhat rusty by lying so long dormant. In other words, I think of trying to secure a position as professor or teacher in some College or Academy. Although we have not met in so long a time I still feel as if I could depend on you to advise me in this matter.

My ideas in regard to it are as yet very crude. I have no place in view and do not know how to go about securing one.

As to whether you could safely recommend me to any position of importance you must be your own judge. Of course I am now pretty rusty in Classics. Greek has about faded from my memory; as I never knew much and what your brother William, of sacred memory, drilled into me, the few which I studied with him. German French and Latin are not so far gone but I could readily recall my knowledge of them and with my habits of application acquired when a student I could easily keep a head of any ordinary class in these and other branches of study.

I have thought also it might be possible to obtain the suptcy, of some of the Indian Schools. The Government is establishing at different points in the West, this of course requires some political influence, of which I have but little in my present locality, But of such position was found to be desirable.

I have thought it possible you might secure Senator Beeks influence for me. Major Quincy of Louisville also would do what he could, for me. I do not know much about these Indian Schools, but a man of this City was appointed to one of them and it was said to be a good position. You know this would be a fitting position for a man whose first public speech, almost, was upon "The wrongs of the red man" which you may remember was the subject of my oration at one of our Greenville exhibitions.

I think you will take interest enough in the welfare of an old friend and pupil to give this subject some consideration and write me your opinion in regard to it.

Yours Truly
D. W. Eaves

Bagdad Apr 2nd / 84

J. H. Patterson Pres.
Res. Sir

Yours account in due time
I noticed. I saw Harkness' description to-day it
was published & was both surprised & worried - to
think that we must wait another year before we
can begin to perfect our station. I don't see
any objection to renting land that would suit
our purpose with the understanding that we
would buy it & make first payment 1st
of Jan / 88. We must have more land. If we
can't get it from Congress we will have to
get it from some other source. I don't think
we will have any trouble to get the appropriation
when Congress meets. Then why should we
wait? If we can rent land in the way I speak
of - land is advancing so rapidly about Tex-
-as that we will be unable to get it at all
in 6 years or two; we have waited too long now.
Let us rent 15 acres now. or we could do with
10. This year. The land we are cultivating now
should be devoted to other purposes. Speak to

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Capt. Nicholas & the Spicers & see how they feel about my proposition. I know Capt. Nicholas is opposed to buying unless we have the money ready to buy with. I would rather have it by us when we buy. But as you say if we have an opportunity to get land that suits us. I think we can afford to take the risk. I believe with our Station equipped & in working order, we will have little trouble in becoming very popular with the people of the State. And I am satisfied we can do much good for the Agricultural & Educational interests of our people. I am in favor of buying the land if we can find it to suit us. I don't see why the parent Board should be afraid of taking any risk. When those who were before us took the risk of going in debt for the buildings & other necessities that pertain to a first class Institution. If you find we will be strong enough to do anything. don't wait for the regular time of meeting but call a meeting of the committee. I will be glad to hear from you.

Yours Resp
Phil Bird

Owensboro, Ky., April 12th 1887.

President James K. Patterson

Lexington Ky

My Dear Sir:

I have delayed answering your esteemed favor of 1st inst until now, in the hope that I could so arrange previous professional engagements as to accept the invitation which the "Patterson Literary Society", so generously tender me to address them 31st Proximo.

I regret now to have to say, that owing to these engagements I am compelled to decline. I would be glad, on more accounts than one, to accept the Society's invitation, because I am deeply interested in the young men, who are preparing in earnest, for the real battle of life. It is perfectly true that the future of our State and Country depend on an educated and patriotic citizenship, and I am always ready and willing to aid in impressing this upon the young men of the Country. In addition to the interest I feel in the young men of the State, I have been an interested observer of the somewhat stormy history of the State College, and this has added to my desire to be present upon the occasion of the Society's first public exhibition.

But a Lawyer's clients seem to understand the art of monopol-
izing his time-they and the Courts, which still adhere to the
system of delay, as announced in Jarndyce against Jarndyce,
have in this instance, rendered it impossible for me to accept
your invitation, which under other circumstances I should be
glad to do. I hope it may not always thus transpire.

Thanking you, and through you the Society for their compliment-
ary invitation, and again regretting my inability to accept
it, I have the honor to remain

Very Truly Yours

W. J. Ellis.

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Michigan Agricultural College,

COLLEGE FACULTY:

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY AND FORESTRY.

Edwin Willits, M. A.,	-	President.
T. C. Abbot, LL. D.,	-	Prof. of Mental Science.
R. C. Kedzie, M. A., M. D.,	-	Chemistry.
A. J. Cook, M. S.,	-	Entomology.
W. J. Beal, M. S., Ph. D.,	-	Botany.
R. C. Carpenter, M. S., C. E.,	-	Mathematics.
Sam'l Johnson, M. S.,	-	Agriculture.
E. J. Mac Ewan, M. A.,	-	English.
E. A. A. Grange, V. S.,	-	Veterinary Science.
J. A. Lockwood, Lt. U. S. A.,	-	Military Science.
L. H. Bailey, Jr., M. S.,	-	Horticulture.
Lewis McLouth, M. A., Ph. D.,	-	Mechanics.

Agricultural College, P. Q.

Ingham Co., Mich. Apr 13 1887

Dr. Patterson,

Pres't: State College, Ky.

Arthur A. Crozier, M.S.

graduated here in 1879. He afterward studied ^{2 years} and took a degree at Ann Arbor. He is now assistant to the Botanist Dr. Geo. Vasey of the U.S. Agrl Dept. who say Crozier is a "perfect comfort" to him. He is very good in horticulture as well as in botany.

Truly Yours W. Beal.

OFFICE OF

L. W. MCKEE,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Apr 15th 1887

Post for H Patterson

My Dear Sir

Your favor of the 14th inst containing an invitation from the "Patterson Literary Society" to deliver the annual address upon the occasion of their first public exhibition to hand, Please express to the Society for me my high appreciation of the honor they have done me by this invitation. I very gladly accept the invitation and will endeavor to make the address instructive and entertaining as best I can.

Again thanking the Society for their high compliment
I am

Very Truly Yours
L W McKee

Eastern
Kentucky Lunatic Asylum,
F. H. Clarke, M.D., Supt.

Lexington, Ky., Apr 16 1887

Prof J H Patterson
State College

Dear Sir

Your letter enclosing a note to Mr
Dovies was received last night. I de-
livered the note after reading it, to Mr
Dovies that morning. The enclosed
letter from Mrs Dovies was also
received last night.

Very truly

F H Clarke

Washington, D. C., April 19, 1887.

President James V. Patterson,

State College, Lexington, Kentucky.

My dear sir:

Replying to your letter of April 15th I can only say that at present I can think of no one within my acquaintance peculiarly fitted for the situation you name, but should such a person come to my knowledge I will take pleasure in communicating with you respecting him.

I have learned of no more favorable decision concerning the agricultural experiment station bill as the result of argument made before the Comptroller, and I fear we shall have to wait for other legislation. I think, however, that there will be little difficulty in securing this, embracing such amendments to the law as may seem best.

Very cordially yours,

T. C. Chamberlin

Richmond Kans. April 30th 1887

James H Patterson

Lexington Ky Dear Sir

At a meeting of our Cemetery association to day. I was requested to write you in regard to a location on your land for that purpose. I might say we had a location settled on. But for some reasons we thought best not to locate where we intended to and we have but one place in view. unless you would consent to sell us. at a reasonable price. a corner off your land - and I will try & explain to you. why. I think it would be better for you to sell us the site - than to put it on the other mans land. and to show you I will bound your land. so you will understand (see Strip) now up in the N.W. corner as I have it marked. there is a Slough runs around in about the shape in which I have it marked. and runs around. I suppose 5 or 6 acres. or thereabout and this little hole is too close to another house to build there. and would suit us well for the purpose for which we want it.

To explain your situation a little further. we are offered a Lot. as marked on the quarter sec - west of your South quarter. and your best location for building is about the division of your quarters - marked O Now I do not make these suggestions to influence you - or scare you. or anything of that kind. But showing you. or trying to show you the facts in the case. and any preference we might have for your location. in preference to the other is. your land is on the East side of road & the other on the west I might say further. that we have had a bill prepared for the Legislature. to give us power to locate where we may want to but do not expect to pass it. at all. unless we cannot help it. - an early answer is requested as we have another meeting on next Saturday

Respectfully Yours

J. L. Henderson

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
DIVISION OF CHEMISTRY

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 4, 1887.

Dear Prof. Baird.

Mr. Patterson can hardly expect to get a man fit for work in "agricultural chemistry, botany, and entomology" for any salary. Such a man does not exist. Fairly good chemists can be had, however, for that pay, ^(\$1500), although of course no first rate man would be attainable, unless there were large scientific opportunities to offset the low salary.

Prof. R. B. Warder of Lafayette, Ind., is looking for a place, being dissatisfied where he is. He might do, possibly. Mr. Patterson might consult with Johnson of Yale or Grossmann of Ansbach as to young men.

Respectfully,

O. W. Clarke.

Smithsonian Institution

SPENCER F. BAIRD,
SECRETARY.

Washington D.C. May 5, 1887.

Dear Sir:

I have received from Senator Beck your letter to him dated April 22^d, and have referred it to Prof. F. W. Clark, the Chemist of the U.S. Geological Survey.

I now enclose his answer, which I trust will put you on the track of further steps to be taken in this connection. In addition to the gentleman named, I

would suggest communication with Prof. Wiley of the U.S. Agricultural Department, Washington.

Respectfully,

Spencer Baird

President James A. Patterson,
State College of Kentucky,
Lexington, Ky.

Smithsonian Institution

SPENCER F. BAIRD,
SECRETARY.

Washington D.C. May 5, 1887.

Dear Senator;

I referred Prof. Patterson's letter to our Prof. Clark, and have sent his reply to Prof. Patterson, whose letter I now send to you. I have added some suggestions which may be of service.

Sincerely Yours,
S. F. Baird

Hon. J. P. Beck,
U.S. Senate,
Washington,

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Prof. Patterson
Dear Sir: I received
a few minutes ago
your letter of 11/11/1914

The Edwin Alden Co.'s

(A Corporation under the Laws of Ohio.)

Newspaper Advertising Agency,

66 WEST FOURTH STREET,

Cincinnati, May 11 1887.

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson
Lexington Ky
Dear Sir

I called on Judge
Kincaid yesterday as per
your suggestion. He informed
me that Committee would
meet Friday afternoon at
3 o'clock at his office
and requested me to be
on hand. Will postpone
my trip east and will
meet you at Judge Kincaid
office Friday afternoon.

Respectfully

Edwin S. Long

MASTER,
J. D. CLARDY, Newstead, Kentucky.

OVERSEER,
J. A. LOGAN, Shelbyville, Kentucky.

TREASURER,
J. M. CLARK, Hopkinsville, Ky.

SECRETARY,
J. A. BROWNING, Church Hill, Ky.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,
PETER McVEAN, Grant's Bend, Ky.
THOS. L. GRAHAM, Casky, Kentucky.
C. M. HANNA, Croppers, Kentucky.

KENTUCKY STATE GRANGE.

OFFICE OF MASTER.

Newstead, Ky. May 10th 1887

Gas. K. Patterson Preside

Dear Sir -

Your favor of recent date was duly received. Contents have been considered. But my conclusions are not so clear as I would like to have them before acting.

But from what I have learned since, I suppose the principle matter will be settled before the regular meeting of the Board. I am clearly of your way of thinking on the matter of finances. A solid financial policy must be the basis of all healthy growth & progressive usefulness. It is my present intention to be present at the meeting of the Board May 31 - And shall be ready to do what - even in my judgement may best conduce to the permanent prosperity of the College -

With kind remembrance to your family.

Respectfully

J. D. Clardy

Copy

No 2

Ottawa Franklin Co Kansas May 11th 1887
P. R. Sabin

Dear Sir

Your favor of the 9th instant-
just received We are not authorized to
wait - on you until fall, for the \$40 The
owner wants it at once,

We have another inquiry for the quarter
but we shall give you another chance to
send the money and if not received in
a few days will make proposition to the
other party We are satisfied by the tone
on ~~your~~ his letter he will take it - Please
let us hear from you by return mail

Yours Resp

Signed

Stinebaugh & Barnett

OFFICE OF

C. W. Connelley,

NOTARY PUBLIC

Eastland, Texas, May 13th 1887

Prof. Jas. K. Patterson

Lexington, Ky.

3 Dear Sir.

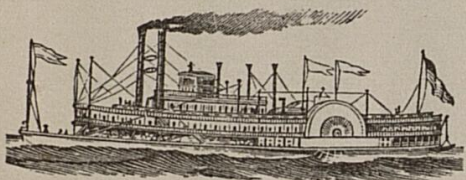
Your favor of the 8th instant is at hand. In reply will say that your section of land in Hale County is good smooth prairie land covered with a good coat of mesquite grass. It has no rocks nor water on it. If the land were mine I should consider it worth about two (\$2.00) dollars per acre. Although I do not know of any person to whom it could be sold for that amount of money. I think there is a bright future for that section of the state. Your land could be leased so as to bring you about \$15.00 per annum above the taxes. At least that is about what lands belonging to individuals in that section are netting owners.

It might take some time to lease it. I do not think much of your Pecos County land and would advise you to sell it, and invest it in the Panhandle of Texas.

I am getting along first rate and my mind often reverts to the old College and its professors.

If I can serve you I would be pleased to do so
Yours truly, C. W. Connelley

NEWPORT FERRY CO.



A. S. BERRY, Proprietor.

Newport, Ky, May. 16th 1887

President Patterson

and Mr College

Lexington Ky

Dear Sir

I take great pleasure in recommending to your favorable consideration Messrs Alden & Faxon of my city. They are responsible and will do the right thing with you. If you can aid them I will esteem it a personal favor.

Yours truly - A. S. Berry

Alden & Faxon,

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING AGENTS,

68 West Third Street,

Frank W. Alden.
W. R. Faxon.

Cincinnati, July 17 1887.

Mr Jas R. Patterson
Lexington

My dear Sir:-

I enclose letters regarding us and as we all live in Kentucky we can assist you in any help desired from this direction at any time. Trusting you will favor me this year and we know we can save you a great deal of money rather than placing the advertising direct. I can at any time come to see you as I am provided with passes so that it will cost nothing.

Yours very truly
Franklin Sanford
Covington Ky

#1533 Scott Street

OFFICE OF

C. V. Connelley,

NOTARY PUBLIC

Eastland, Texas, May 24th 1887

Prof. Jas. K. Patterson
Lexington, Kentucky. } Dear Sir.

Your favor of 17th instant, is at hand. It is not an easy matter to sell lands in Pecos County, as there is no demand whatever for them by parties knowing that County. The only chance I ever have of selling lands there is to some one who wants cheap lands for speculation, without caring much for their quality.

I think I can lease your Hale County land same time during the summer. and will protect your interest in every way in making the lease. My brother is now out in Hale County with four gentlemen from Ohio, who own lands in that County and are anxious to buy more.

I received the Catalogue. Thanks to you for it.

I have been married twice. I have two little girls. One was 11 years old Mch 4th 1887. and the other will be 10 years old Sept 7th next. I have two children dead.

My little girls are in Dallas attending school.

I am intending to visit Kentucky next year if possible and will call to see you.

Yours Truly

C. V. Connelley.

W. M. BECKNER,

Attorney-at-Law.

Winchester, Ky., May 26 1887

My dear Sir,

I will be down tomorrow
(Friday) at noon. I may change
my subject, but I suppose it will
not matter to the Society. If
they have a programme of exercises,
let them put me down for an
address without stating the
subject.

Yours sincerely,
W. M. Beckner

Lexington Ky May 31st 1889

President Patterson;

Dear Sir:

We your co-laborers in the State college have felt for some time that our salaries are too small. Having assurances from you and also from some members of our board of trustees that you and they agree with us in this matter, we desire that you as presiding officer of our college read to our board of trustees at its meeting to day or to-morrow this communication.

Our salaries are inadequate with few exceptions to the support of our families.

Our salaries are much smaller than the salaries paid by nearly every state in the Union to the professors in State colleges.

Our board, we understand, will in the future

be relieved from the support of the
Experimental Station.

^{my}From data obtained from the office of
the Auditor of the State we learn that
the amount received from the special tax for
our college for the year 1887 will exceed the
amount received in 1886 by the sum of
\$5000⁰⁰.

We would not press our plea with unseemly
urgency, but we desire you to know that
our plea seems to us in the highest degree
proper and reasonable.

John Shackelford.
John H. Neville
A. M. Eldridge
Jas. G. White.

ALBERT A. STOLL,
Attorney at Law.

Louisville, Ky. June 18th 1887

Prof. Patterson

Kind Sir,

I have been trying for several years to have Louisville properly represented among the students of your valuable Institution but have not met with any success. I have been very anxious that several young men of our district should attend your school, but most of our young men are compelled to earn their own living as soon as they mature sufficiently to labor. You kindly wrote me several times that you would grant me the privilege of appointing one or two young men. I have at last succeeded in finding one young man, who is sober moral & would like to ~~avail~~ avail himself of the advantages your Institution offer. Will you receive him? he is poor but willing & anxious to learn & we can arrange to have him supplied with books, clothing & board. Hoping this will find you well &c

J. K. Krumm

Respy

Albert A. Stoll

♦ KENTUCKY ♦

Industrial and Commercial Conference.

*
♦ COMMITTEE OF ORGANIZATION. ♦

Frankfort, June 20, 1887.

Reposing confidence in your character as a representative and public-spirited citizen of your county and of the State, I have appointed you one of the Auxiliary Committee for the organization of the Kentucky Industrial and Commercial Conference described in the circular of explanation which is enclosed. You are very earnestly requested to give your services and aid in what is intended to be of great practical benefit to the State.

In order that the special Committee may have accurate information, I would take it as a favor if you would write to Young E. Allison, Secretary, room 18, Kenyon Building, Louisville, notifying him of your acceptance; or, in case you can not serve, that you will send to him the name of some equally representative and prominent citizen who will undertake it.

Committee for your county:

Maj. P. P. Johnson,

Hon. R. A. Spurr,

J. B. Richardson,

Proctor Knato
Chairman.

Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky.

Office of Commandant of Cadets.

F. E. PHELPS,
1ST LIEUTENANT 8TH CAVALRY,
Commandant.

Lexington, Ky., June 7th 1887

Mrs R. Patton.

A few Coeuge

Sir

I have the honor to submit the following report for the Coeuge year just ended.

During the year drill in the School of the Soldier. Squad and Company have been held when weather permitted. Special attention has been given to Skirmish drill which has in the last few years received so much attention in the Army. The Army Drill has also been steadily drilled this Spring.

Attention is called to the increase in number of men who procure Surgeons certificates of disability excusing them from military drill. I have good reason to believe that many of them are given by the family physician

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without examination & simply to please the parents. or the boy himself. In one case the boy himself offered to resign to die if he was made a Cadet officer - it is needless to say he was promptly put to die and is still a private.

As a remedy I respectfully suggest that a competent Physician be selected and paid by the College a nominal salary (say \$25 a year) to examine all such cases and that his certificate & his only be taken. We formerly had ^{some} such an arrangement and it worked well.

But few cases of discipline have occurred this year. Two boys (Pope and Buckman) were dismissed in June for going home without permission, and McDonald & McCannan for neglect of studies. A spirit of esprit du Corps

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has shown itself strongly this year ^{and}
I do not remember a single case
of malicious mischief or disturbance.
Nor have I detected a single
case of liquor or cards ^{playing} in the fromms.
that I can recall.

The expensing of the Senior Class ^{and}
of the Junior when were done has
had a happy effect -

This being my last Report
I desire to return thanks to the
President, Faculty & Executive Committee
for encouragement and assistance
received and to express my hearty
good wishes for the success of the
College in future.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant
F. E. Phelps
1st Lt 8th Cav
Commandant

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OFFICE OF DISTRICT PASSENGER AGENT.

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 21, 1887.

Special Circular:

The NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION meets at Chicago July 12 to 15 inclusive. For the accommodation of all persons desiring to attend this convention the **Pennsylvania Lines** named above have made the following very liberal arrangements: Excursion tickets from Louisville to Chicago and return will be sold at the rate of **Nine Dollars**, from July 5 to 12 inclusive, good to return only on July 15 to 18 inclusive. Excursion tickets will not be accepted for return passage unless they shall have been duly stamped by the Secretary of the National Educational Association, certifying that the holder has been in attendance upon the meeting of said association. The original purchasers of such tickets may be accorded a prolonged limit for return passage if application for same is made to L. D. RICHARDSON, Chairman Chicago and Ohio River Traffic Association, at his office in Adams Express Building, 185 Dearbon Street, Chicago, on or before July 18, but the limit for return will not be extended beyond Sept. 8.

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Very respectfully,

A. ANDERSON,

District Passenger Agent.

Ohio State University,
Columbus, O. June 25, 1917.

My dear Sir:

Owing to the impossibility of naming a date convenient for meeting at Indianapolis, it has been decided to hold the annual meeting of Teachers of Agriculture and Horticulture at Cleveland, O. in connection with the meeting of the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science, and that of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The first session will be held Monday Aug. 13th at 10 A.M. in the Central High School Building. Adjourned sessions will be held from time to time at such hours as may be agreed upon.

A good attendance and an excellent program is assured.

Please inform one of your expect-
to be present and name the
topics you would like to have dis-
cussed.

Yours very truly,
William H. Ragenby, Secy.

ROBT. B. WARDER,
STATE CHEMIST OF INDIANA,
PURDUE UNIVERSITY.

Lafayette, Ind. June 28th 1887.

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson;
Lexington, Ky.;

Dear Sir:-

It is with pleasure that I submit the enclosed letters. Please be kind enough to present them, with my application and Prof. Warden's letter, at the meeting of your Board of trustees.

Mr Ratliff has been President of our board of trustees for several years and has known me for six years. Rev. J. H. Ford is a Methodist minister who has been in that work for a number of years and who recently received the honorary degree of D.D. from the Paul University of this State. Prof. Huston's department and that of Chemistry, occupy the same building; and he has seen almost as much of me and my work as any man in our faculty. He is also a chemist and we have worked together a great deal on commercial analyses.

Very Respectfully - W. W. Frank Jones.

OFFICE OF

JACKSON DISPATCH.

J. J. WORRELL,
Editor and Proprietor.

Jackson, Tenn., *July 1st* 1887

Mr Jos H Patterson Ph D
Lexington Ky

Dear Sir
I this day mail you a copy
of the Jackson Dispatch which has a
large & increasing circulation in
West Tenn Miss Ark & Texas larger
in fact than any paper published in the
interior among a large class of
readers that are farmers & share workers
& sons to educate your school has
such a good reputation I think it
would pay you to have me insert
enclous ad for you which I will
do 1 Mo 600 2 Mo 1000 with
a good editorial notice

Awaiting your
Favourably
J J Worrell

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All Advertisers should make a note of this.

July 11, 1887
Loring, Minn. 15

My A. G.

My dear President.

The enclosed note comes
from Rev. Dr. W. W. Moore. who is
in the highest esteem in our church. --
He is both greatly admired & beloved.
I have full confidence in him.
That I do not hesitate to endorse
any statement he may make. He
is a rare scholar. a rare preacher &
a rare Christian man. If you have
not made other arrangements. You
would do well to consider the name
he proposes. Very truly,

W. F. V. Bartlett

Lex. Ky. July 11th 1887.
Loves. Jas. Patterson:

Dear Sir;

After paying
all bills against the College
Home for the period ending June
2^d 1887, excepting Mrs. Ryland's salary,
from May 1st to June 3^d inclusive,
amounting to \$27.50, I had \$14.85
which I have paid to her. Please
see that the remainder of her
salary, viz-^{\$}12.65 is paid out of the
College treasury according to agree-
ment.

Respectfully Yours
Jas. L. White, Treas.
of College Home.

Mr. Amis has found bills amounting
to \$15.00 or \$20.00 which may be paid at sometime.
Also the money ^{paid to Mrs. A.} will then be returned to the College
treasury. J. L. W.

J. H. Davidson.

Chas. Seelbach.



Phoenix Hotel

Davidson & Seelbach
Proprietors.

Lexington, Ky.,
July 15th 1887

Pres. Patterson.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose a letter from Senator Vance of N. Car. to Gov. Knott. It should have been presented to the Gov. in person but I was unable to see him when in Frankfort, & as in all probability he would have forwarded the letter to yourself, I take the liberty of sending it, & you may use it or not at your discretion.

Yours truly
C. A. von Schwanitz



OFFICE OF

The Scottish-American,

No. 33 ROSE STREET,

P. O. BOX 2995.

New York Aug. 18, 1894.

My dear Sir:

I was very sorry that you were unable to call back again at this office when you were in New York, as I wished to arrange with you about visiting some of the "sights." I was also desirous of seeing Mrs. Lathen.

In a letter received from Mr. Bondie this week I was pleased to learn that you were both able to make a short jaunt at Spring Lake, and to have one or two "cracks" with him. It is a pleasant place on the

white, and the anales is
quite salutary.

I presume you are pre-
paring for a spring year
college, and quite busy. If
you have a spare hour at
any time soon I wish you
could give me something
in the shape of an article
on Kentucky. Many years
ago you wrote me one on
the "Blue Grass Region". One
of that kind would be
much acceptable now.

With kind regards to
you all, I am,

Yours sincerely,

Car. Stuart



CHARLES G. SPOTSWOOD,
REAL ESTATE,
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Omaha, Neb.,

Aug 26th 1884

Prof Jas. K. Patterson
Lexington Ky. Dear Sir.

Yours of the
23rd Recd. to day. If I remember
anything about the conversation
at all we had in refer-
ence to the mortgage you hold,
it was that you would grant
me all the time I needed to
pay you debt, provided I
assumed to pay the tax on
your note which I think
you said amounted to
some ten or fifteen dollars
, either more or less. I am
trying to make arrange-
ments now to satisfy your
debt and if I do not pay
it soon will agree to
pay the 'tax you mention.
I don't think anything

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is to be gained by suit.
If I should be obliged to
run the debt, I will
not only pay the tax, but
will endeavor promptly
to pay the interest.

Please let me know
when the interest is due
on each note.

Yours Truly
Charles O. Stewart

A. S. Winston, President
W. D. Lancaster, Vice Pres.

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First National Bank

of Lexington

TRANSYLVANIA PRINTING CO. LEXINGTON, KY.

Lexington, Ky. August 29 1887

Mr J. K. Patterson

Dear Sir

Your favor 26th recd. I can only say in reply about what I stated to Judge Kinkead, that there is some paper on which my Father is security that I intend to see paid before I undertake to pay any other of my old debts, when I made the assignment it was for the purpose of relief, you can see that it would be a life time work for me to attempt to pay all of my old assignment debts, Neither do I see that you have a claim to be preferred by me over others I place them all on the same footing, besides you have received more than most of my other creditors and in addition you had the opportunity to save yourself as I advised by buying the property upon which you held the mortgage, Mr. Still has since sold it for about \$3500. It is my intention to ~~full~~ pay my old debts in full or part

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Should I at any time be in circumstances to justify my undertaking them, - that may be years, I am getting a fair salary now but as yet have derived no benefit from it. Again Mr Patterson. Under the circumstances I think I have not been fairly treated by my creditors, (I am here responsible and justly so although the failure was through no fault of mine) when I called a meeting of my creditors and offered to assume the debts on the house and pay the others 25¢ in the dollar for a release I was not supported by yourself and others as I should have been - there was no interest taken to help me through, the result was they got about 12¢ instead of 25¢, had you and others my largest creditors assisted me I would have obtained a release. Now I want to be plain with you and tell you exactly what I propose to do,

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I do not care a snap of my finger about threats
about worrying me - but I want to do what I
can to pay my debts - I still owe a balance on
a note upon which my father is security that must
be paid, and after that there is another debt that I
think I should pay before you as the party is
not as able to stand the loss as you. Now
if you would compromise with me probably I
could in a few months get my wife to pay the
debt for me. Will you please let me know
the amount of note and and if you are
willing to compromise

Yours Respy
John M. Bell

D. H. James, President.
J. H. Graves, Vice-Prest.

2901.

W. D. Nicholas, Cashier.
J. P. Shaw, Asst. Cashier.

Capital Stock \$150,000.

Second National Bank

Lexington, Ky. Sept 2^d 1887

Esq.

Dear Sir:

To the
Executive Board.
Ky State College -
Gentlemen.

I would respectfully
request that authority be granted
me to keep a horse and cow at the
College. My reasons for wanting
to keep a horse, are known to
most of the members of your
Committee

I am -

Very Respectfully
D. H. Clark

101 Union St. Lexington
Comdt of Cadets

Sept 6th 1887

Pres J K Patterson.

A M Colledge Lexington Ky
Dear sir I have the
opportunity of informing
you that

Lizzie E Hollad
is a citizen of Clark Co
and that she is preparing
to teach & she belongs to
district No 41

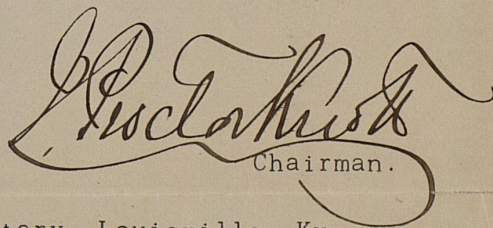
B - H Holladay
Chairman of the board

Frankfort, Kentucky, September 13, 1887.

Sir:

In pursuance of a unanimous vote of the Committee of which I have the honor to be Chairman, you are respectfully invited to be present and participate as a Delegate in the Industrial and Commercial Conference to be held in the city of Louisville on the fourth of October next. The objects of the Conference, as you are doubtless aware, is to bring prominently into view the varied resources of our State, and to take such steps as may be expedient for the promotion of their healthy development. It is especially desirable, therefore, that every Senator and Representative-elect shall be present, and that each county shall be represented by as large a delegation as may be practicable of its leading citizens; consequently I trust you will pardon me for impressing the earnest hope of the entire Committee that you will attend the Conference in person, with as many delegates from your county as can conveniently accompany you.

I am, very respectfully,


Chairman.

Please address Young E. Allison, Esq., Secretary, Louisville, Ky.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

WASHINGTON September 13 1887

To Pres. James K. Patterson,
State College,
Lexington, Ky.

Sir:

I take pleasure in sending you a set of panel photo-
graphic views of Western scenery.

As the package is sent by registered mail, it may be a fortnight in
transmission.

Please fill out the inclosed receipt and return it to the Director of the
United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

By order of the Director:

Yours respectfully,

James C. Pilling.

Chief Clerk.

Sept 19 1887
Pres J. K. Patterson

Dr Sir

You have been
appointed delegate to the Commercial
and industrial Conference and temporary
chairman of the delegation. As chair-
man, the duty of calling the delegates
to order next Saturday will devolve
on you and the responsibility of
seeing that the necessary work is
done, if all attend it will be well
if only a few, the work ought to go on
all the same. It will not do for
Hayden to make an indifferent show
at the Conference. Respectfully
D. P. Johnston

Frankfort, Ky. Sept. 24, 1884.

Prof. J. K. Patterson,
Lexington Ky

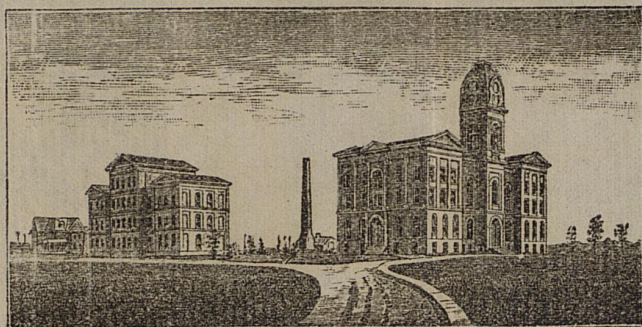
Dear Sir:-

In looking over some old papers left by the last administration, I find a letter from you to me asking for a list of County Judges. The letter reached Frankfort the day before the Inauguration and in the hurry of business I did not see it.

If you still desire the list I will take pleasure in furnishing you with it without charge. I regret that I did not see the letter and that it has not been sooner

replied to-

I am with great respect
your obt. Servant
Darence Egbert



JAS. K. PATTERSON, President.

A. R. CRANDALL,

PROFESSOR OF NATURAL HISTORY,

AND

ASSISTANT KENTUCKY GEOLOGICAL SURVEY,
LEXINGTON, KY.

Sept. 29th 1887.

Prest. Jas. K. Patterson

In response to your expressed desire for a formal statement on paper as to what prevents my receiving for the Zoology class all who are assigned to that class, I may say that until all the desks in my room were occupied, I have provisionally registered such students of varying grade as have been sent to me. Fitness to pursue the study, as with limited time I shall be able to teach it, to be determined by the first weekly review and examination.

With regard to expenditures to furnish accommodation for all who may be assigned to this class, — I have asked for a working fund for the College department which might properly be made to add some facilities in this direction.

But I suppose it is fully understood that without assistance I do not undertake to teach any preparatory classes, except as a voluntary but temporary concession to the consequences of a policy which, however, with all men of science, I have consistently held to be inimical to the purpose of giving to an agricultural college rank among technical schools.

Very Respectfully

A. R. Crandall

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE
OF YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS,
COR. 23d ST. AND FOURTH AVE.,
NEW YORK.

October 3th, 1337.

Dear Sir:-

On September 15th we wrote you asking for the names of officers of your Association but as yet have received no reply.

As we are anxious to have our list completed as soon as possible, will you kindly forward the desired information by return mail?

We enclose another postal fearing that the former one has been lost or miscarried.

Faternally yours,

L. D. Wishard,

College Secretary.

Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky.

Office of Commandant of Cadets.

D. H. CLARK,
1ST LIEUTENANT 15TH INFANTRY,
Commandant.

Lexington, Ky., Oct 3rd 1887.

President Jas K. Patterson
A & M College -
Sir.

I have the honor to respectfully re-
port that I placed in arrest on the 2^d-
last the following named Cadets for ab-
-sence without leave on the night of the
1st & 2^d last - viz.

Cadets Thompson. Bopson. Williams
Thoke. Gatenwood. Kindace and Moore D.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully
D. H. Clark

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St. Louis
J. R. Brown
H. C. Brown

Leopold Ky
Oct 4th 1887.

President - Patterson

Dear Sir -

This will introduce to you

Miss Fannie Little -

who at one time was connected with
2. Ky. Insane Asylum - in capacity of
Superintendent of Laundry - where for 16
years she discharged the duties
thereof with care and satisfaction

Very Resp^t

Yours Truly

L. B. Ford

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LEXINGTON, KY., *Oct 6th* 1887

*Pres. J. K. Patterson
Dr Sir*

*I write to com-
mend Miss Little for the position
of supervisor of the Laundry at
the Asylum. I had an opportunity
to observe her in that position
for a number of years and
take pleasure in testifying to
her industry and efficiency.
She was strict, conscientious,
and reliable in the discharge
of every trust confided to her*

Very Respectly

P. P. Johnston

Eastern Kentucky Lunatic Asylum,
Steward's Office.
T. Logan Hocker,
STEWARD

Lexington, Oct 7th 1887

Wm J. K. Patterson

Dear Sir,

Miss Fannie Little
sent the inclosed letters to me
to be delivered to you with the
following explanation viz
She wants to get her old position
in the Laundry, and thinks
Miss Parker present Laundry
could be put in some other
place. Further than this I
have nothing to do with the case.

Very Respectfully
T. Logan Hocker

Office of G. B. Moseley,

Sheriff of Jessamine County,

Nicholasville, Ky., Oct 7-1887
J. K. Patterson Esq
Dear sir

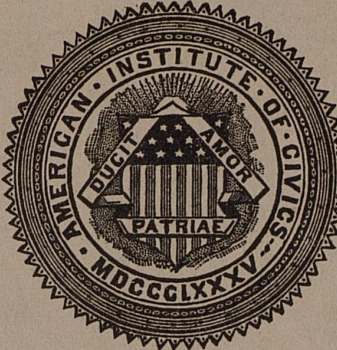
There is tax
Against Hoover. boys in marker
creek precinct Jessamine Co. for 1887
& 1887 - The Hoover boys have all
moved off & left nobody to
pay taxes - I understand you
are the proper owner or at
least the land will come
back to be so I notify you
in order to give you a chance to
settle taxes before land is sold
The land will be sold
within ten days - There is
also some chow tax Against
you for 1887 - This is No. 3
Hwy. to be paid from you as owner
I remain your M^t Servant

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 Hon. M. A. NEWELL, LL.D., Sec'y State Board of Education, Baltimore, Md.
 Maj. J. W. POWELL, Ph.D., Director U. S. Bureau of Ethnology, Washington, D. C.
 HENRY RANDALL WAITE, Ph.D., New York City.

83 Cedar Street, New York City, *October 1st*, 1887.

Jas. K. Patterson,
 Kentucky State College,
 Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

On behalf of the Faculty of the American Institute of Civics, I respectfully invite your attention to the enclosures.

The Institute has thus far met with most encouraging success in efforts to realize its purpose in the several departments of its work. It is the earnest hope of its officers and directors, that in the important department of college work, they may have such hearty co-operation on the part of those who have been invited to become its correspondents in the several colleges as to insure the complete realizations of The Institute's purposes in this most important field.

Awaiting your reply, I have the honor to be

Very truly yours,

H. R. Waite

President.

[Oct. 8, 1887]

American Institute of Civics.

Faculty of the Institute.

HENRY RANDALL WAITE, Ph.D., New York.
HON. HENRY BARNARD, LL.D., Hartford, Conn.
BERNARD MOSES, Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley, Cal.
EDWARD STANWOOD, Lecturer on American History, Brookline, Mass.
W. W. FOLWELL, LL.D., University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.
ALEXANDER JOHNSTON, LL.D., College of New Jersey, Princeton, N. J.

E. E. WHITE, LL.D., Supt. Public Schools, Cincinnati, O.
HON. FRANCIS M. BURDICK, LL.B., Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.
EDMUND J. JAMES, Ph.D., University of Penn., Philadelphia.
E. B. ANDREWS, D.D., LL.D., Brown University, Providence, R. I.
HON. JOHN EATON, LL.D., President Marietta College, Marietta, O.

Members of the Institute, chiefly upon recommendation of the Presidents of the colleges, have been elected to represent the Institute as collegiate correspondents in one hundred and forty-two colleges.

To *James H. Patterson*

Correspondent Am. Inst. of Civics, *Kenilworth State College.*

DEAR SIR,—

The Institute of Civics, in pursuance of one of the most important of its purposes, respectfully solicits your co-operation in efforts to promote such collegiate instruction in CIVICS as shall thoroughly prepare American youth for the special duties of citizenship. The instruction included under the term civics, may be said to embrace such co-related branches of knowledge as Ethics, Civil Polity, Law and Economics; as well as History, so far as it is connected with the studies mentioned; or these branches in whatever order it may seem best to arrange them with a view to their proper treatment.

In asking the co-operation of colleges in efforts to promote education in these branches, the officers of the Institute do not proceed upon the assumption that neither of these studies is now receiving suitable attention; but upon the belief that efforts which shall secure a due recognition of their relative importance, in a scheme of general education, and which shall at the same time attract to them the attention of undergraduate students in ALL COLLEGES, will have a most beneficial effect in the promotion of sound learning, good citizenship, and good government.

It is not the specific aim of the Institute to secure a radical reconstruction of courses of instruction with a view to the introduction of new methods and new text-books; but to hasten the adoption of such provisions for the instruction indicated as will impress upon students the necessity of intelligent views concerning not only one, but all of the vitally important and closely related branches of the comprehensive science of Civics, in order to give them the well-balanced judgment which shall properly equip them for the duties of citizenship.

As to methods of instruction, much must be left to the judgment of instructors, who will necessarily shape their action in accordance with differing conditions. The Institute will not, under present circumstances, indicate any specific course or courses as entitled to special consideration, but will be content with efforts to promote the study of branches which have not hitherto received adequate attention. In furtherance of this end, information calculated to be of service will be collected and distributed among college instructors, and special correspondence conducted, as needs may arise, with those who have been, or may be, appointed specially to represent the Institute in the several colleges as its collegiate correspondents.

It is obvious that one of the chief advantages of courses of instruction which have in view the same patriotic end, that of specially qualifying the educated young men of the nation for the assumption, in private or public station, of the sacred trusts of citizenship, will arise from the consciousness on the part of students that the studies in which their special interest is sought are receiving like attention, and with like honorable ends in view, on the part of fellow-students in all of the colleges of the land; and that a solidarity of thought is being thus promoted, as the result of which there will go forth from our colleges, north, south, east, and west, every year, a body of educated men who will carry with them, whatever may be the diversities of opinion as to non-essential things, enlightened convictions and common purposes with relation to affairs of common concern.

The Faculty of the Institute respectfully ask your co-operation, in such ways as may seem practicable, in efforts to realize the aims above set forth; and especially invite your attention to the proposals herewith submitted for approval and adoption in the college which you have been appointed to represent as a collegiate correspondent of the Institute.

PROPOSALS.

I.

That the Faculty of the Institute be permitted to place the college of which you are the Institute's representative, upon its list of colleges in the United States in which the studies included under the term Civics,—Ethics, Civil Polity, Law and Economics, and, as related to these, History,—receive, or are to receive, special attention.

II.

That the names of students pursuing studies in Civics, as above outlined, in the college which you represent, be furnished to the Faculty of the Institute, in order (1) that they may receive such printed matter relating to the subjects of their study as may be published by the Institute for their benefit; (2) that they may be entitled to compete for the "Hall Medals," and such other honorary awards as the Institute may be in position to bestow in recognition of meritorious work in the department of Civics. [As the income from the Hall Medal fund will not be available until next year, students of the class of 1888 entered as pursuing studies in Civics, will be entitled to compete for honorary awards in the form of certificates, which will be bestowed by the Institute upon those who present the most meritorious theses, in the form of commencement orations, or otherwise, upon subjects and under conditions which will be duly announced] (3) That students who have completed a course of studies in Civics to the satisfaction of the instructors directing the same, may be entitled, upon graduation, to receive a diploma constituting them, in recognition of their special attention to such studies, graduate members of the Institute.

If these proposals are favorably regarded,—and it is hoped that such will be the case,—will you kindly forward to the President of the Institute answers to the inquiries presented upon the inclosed form.

On behalf of the Faculty,

Very respectfully yours,

HENRY RANDALL WAITE,

President.

Chem. Lab.
A. V. M. College
Oct. 14 / 84

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson. -

Dear Sir: -

Your informant concerning the affairs of my department would do well either to see that his statements are correct before making them or better still not to interfere with matters which do not concern him. -

No students have been excluded from my classes.

Yours &c
C. A. V. Schweinitz.

OFFICE OF

→ KOHN & BARKER, ←

Attorneys at Law,

COURT BLOCK,

Nos. 529-531 COURT PLACE,

Louisville, Ky. October 16 1884

My Dear President

I recd the report of Mr
Service in the even serial days before
you left - the report was in every way
satisfactory, and I thank you sincerely for
having it made and beg that you will
thank Mr Service for making it.
With kindest regards to yourself and
family I am gratefully, yours,
Henry S Barker

J.

President J K Patterson
Lexington Ky

OFFICE OF

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COURT BLOCK,

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Louisville, Ky. Oct 17th 1884

~~Dear~~ Dear President

You will remember that when
here in attendance in the American and Canadian
you were kind enough to offer us the service
of your Mineralogist - We sent you by the days
express a small box containing ores from our
mines in Bell Co Ky - The 1st is a yellow ochreous
ore - 2nd Red ore - these two are of the most
important to us - 3^d Black ore - also a black
substance resembling pitch and a white
Clay - of these last we would be glad to know
the use and value if they have any -

We desire a free analysis of the iron ores
and any outside information which the Mineralogist
can give us of their value will be thankfully
received - The earlier the above work can be
done the greater the favor to us as we
are waiting in the information to complete
purchase -

With kindest regards from
Most sincerely, your friends

H S Barker

M S Barker

The Kentucky Gazette.

SEMI-WEEKLY \$5.00.

CHEAPSIDE.

WEEKLY \$2.00.

Lexington, Ky., Oct 31st 1887

George Brown Esq
Nicholasville

Dear Sir

Yours of the 29th to
hand and contents noted.

It always gives me pleasure
to put the columns of the Gazette
to any moral, religious or other
useful purpose and I will take
pleasure in publishing the ad-
dress of Pres. Patterson.

Yours most
affectionately

Agricultural and Mechanical College,

OF MISSISSIPPI.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT:

General S. D. LEE, President.

Agricultural College, Miss. Nov. 11 1887

Prof. R. Patterson

My Dear Sir

I have enjoyed reading
your address at Eminence very much.
It is certainly a strong plea for the
education of the farmer - I don't
see the farmer remedy, against incorpo-
-rated power, even in education - incorpo-
-rated power, has both education, & the
force inherent in union & incorporation
wealth -

Yours truly

S. D. Lee

Can you oppose incorporated power with
education alone? Of course it is all im-
-portant -

S. D. L.

MORROW & NEWELL,

Attorneys at Law.

Somerset, Ky.,

Nov 15th 1887

Jas M Patterson
Pres State College

Dear Sir. I thank you for
your late favor. I am glad to see that
my confidence in you is not misplaced.
and that you have the interest of your
pupils and their parents at heart.
I have written you to discontinue dan-
cing lessons but I authorize you to heed
out to him that I may rebuke this as
soon as he brings up his Class Standard
to your satisfaction. I do not want him
to go to town any oftner than is abso-
lutely necessary. I sent him to you, hoping
he would be safer with you than elsewhere,
from the blandishments of town society
His weakness is wanting to see a good
time, and enjoy the world. I know now
that you will do the best you can
for him and I trust you will give
him such liberties as he shows him-

Self entitled to and that otherwise.

I trust I shall be able soon to
come up and see you and have
a fuller talk with you.

Yours truly
Thomas J. Merriam

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Millington Dept Tenn. Nov. 18/87
Residence Patterson.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the
5 Inst. received. Was glad to
learn from its contents that
you still remember me.

I have just received a letter
informing me of Mr McCallum's
death, he died the first Saturday
in this month at 10 O'clock, in
the Hospital in San Antonio Tex.

I was informed by the writer
that Mr McCallum had one day
requested him to inform me of
his death, in case he did not re-
cover. I was informed also that he
was for some hours before his
death unconscious, but that he
parted away peacefully.

I remain Yours truly
Wm J. Scott.

Preparatory Department A. & M. College,
Lexington Ky. Dec. 20. 1887.

President J. K. Patterson,

Dear Sir:

In the case of C. H. Cooper, J. F. Frank, T. R. Adams, R. A. Stacy and J. O. Keene, we believe that the best interests of this Department will be promoted by, and that it is our duty to recommend, the application of that part of Regulation Sixty which reads as follows: "And if the Scholarship or personal conduct of any Student is such that it does not comport with the interest of the Institution or his own interest that his membership should be continued, it will be the duty of the President to inform his parent or guardian, if he be a minor, that his continuance will be inexpedient and to permit him to be withdrawn without public disgrace."

We also recommend that the parents of A. J. Wieman, W. J. Foley, D. L. Morris, and A. S. Lillard be informed that the progress of their sons thus far is not satisfactory and that, unless there is a decided improvement before the

ending Jan. 27. 1887

close of this session, their continuance thereafter will be inexpedient.

Respectfully

W.K. Patterson, Principal.

J. R. Adams and J. O. Keene having recitations with me, I approve of the above so far as it relates to them.

M. L. Pence.

J. R. Adams, C. H. Cooper, and J. O. Keene reciting ^{to} me, I approve of the above so far as it relates to them.

J. Lewis Logan.

J. O. Keene, C. H. Cooper, and J. R. Adams do not recite to me, I approve of the above in regard to the others

Wm. Pruitt.

N. B.

The recommendation in the case of W. J. Foley applies to Arithmetic only. He is doing well in his other classes.

W.K. Patterson.

Dec. 4, 1887

To Pres. Jas H. Patterson
of M. College -

Dear Sir.

The following classification of offenses
has been made by the Board appointed at
the last meeting of the Faculty viz -

Offenses of the First Class -

1. Disobedience of Orders -
2. Absence from recitation. Exile-Quartus
3. ~~Grounds &c -~~
Disorderly Conduct in Halls or Classroom
4. Smoking in Building -
5. Discharging of Firearms in or about the buildings ^{or premises}

All offenses laid down in the Regulations
which carry dismissal from the College -

Offenses of the Second Class -

1. Visiting during Study hours -
2. Disorderly Conduct in Halls or Classroom
3. Continued inattention in Halls -
4. Noisy or disorderly conduct in dormitory
or Academic building

Offenses of the 3rd Class -

- 1 Bulking in ranks -
- 2 Whistling or slight noise in halls of buildings -
- 3 Chewing Tobacco in ranks -

Offenses of the 4th Class -

- 1 Inattention. Gazing around in ranks -
- 2 Hands in pockets at class formations -
- 3 Not properly dressed at roll calls -
- 4 Absent from roll call for meals -

Offenses of the 5th Class -

- 1 Lates -
- 2 Shave not dusted or properly arranged at inspection of quarters -
- 3 Room not arranged for inspection
- 4 Coat not on at inspection of qrs
- 5 Hat on at inspection of qrs -

Respy Submitted
D. Deane

Dec 4th 1887 -

The Board of Inquiry after being made cognizant of all the facts advised that Capt. Dolan's resignation as a cadet officer be not accepted, on the ground that he knowingly and intentionally overstaid his permit, that he without permission transferred his sword the official badge of official authority, transferred, and ~~upon the Dolan applied for an honorable discharge~~ ~~they decline advised~~ ~~abandoning his post~~ ~~fully~~ ~~through the highest~~ ~~that in the letter in which he tendered his resignation he~~ reflected without cause upon the Commandant placing him in arrest and that his demeanor before the Board of Inquiry was factious and refractory,

For the foregoing reasons, as well as the fact that Capt. ~~on the morning of the 10th~~ Dolan while yet a cadet officer and unaided ~~refused~~ ^{disobeyed the orders of the Commandant} ~~State Command~~ of the battalion on Tuesday evening at supper, the Board of Inquiry advised that his application for an honorable discharge be refused, that he be allowed leave to withdraw, provided the withdrawal be made at once and that his quarters in the dormitory be vacated within a reasonable time, say two days,

[1887.]

Sergeant Major J. O. De Courcy was placed in arrest but because he went to Church on Sunday without a permit. A permit is required to go to Church on Sunday. But he was placed in arrest because he absented himself from quarters all day on Sunday, being absent from about 9 A.M. to 9 P.M. of that day, that is for being absent during parts of the day on Sunday when church services are not going on, and for which absence a permit is required.

The officers in question seem aggrieved because army penalty was attached to their delinquencies, that their position, or character or age or other circumstances ought to have exempted them from the penalty inflicted upon common offenders. The Hierarchy recognizes no such distinction. All officers and privates are and should be on the same footing as regards violations of the regulations. There is a special reason why officers should be exemplary in obedience and observance of regulations. They should deserve their position not only by their scholarship knowledge of tactics soldierly qualities and general good behavior but by their exemplary conduct in obedience to all military commands and especially their subordination discipline

JAMES ALLISON, PREST.

M.E.KUHN, TREAS.

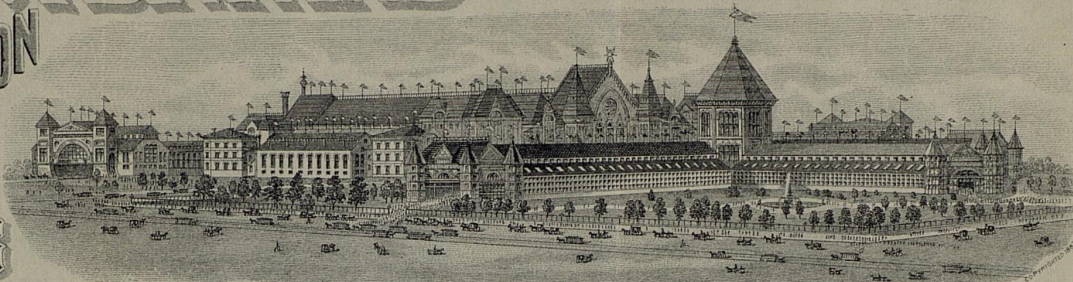
E.O.ESHELBY, SECY.

1788



CENTENNIAL of the Ohio Valley and Central States.

EXPOSITION
1888



AT CINCINNATI, U. S. A.

JULY 4TH TO OCT. 27TH 1888.

Cincinnati January 9th, 1888

Normal Department of the Agricultural & Mechanical College,
Lexington, Ky.

Gentlemen: -

The Commissioners of the Centennial Exposition of the Ohio Valley & Central States, desirous of making this Exposition a success, solicit your earnest co-operation; and to that end, request you to send to the address given in this favor, a copy of the Annual Report of your Institution for the year 1888.

Respectfully,

Howard Douglass

Chairman of Committee on Department of
Education, Science & Historical Relics.

Columbia, Mo.,

1-10-1888.

My Dear Friend,

Immediately upon receipt of your
last communication I forwarded you the
name of Mr. R. H. Britt, as of one
likely to meet your wants. At the
same time I wrote to him, stating the
case. I have heard from neither of you
since until this morning, when I
received a note from Mr. B. in Oregon
(Warner City, Grant Co.) dated Sept. 20.

He says the place would be greatly
liking, but he fears his experience is
not yet sufficient for it. But I
suppose the vacancy has long since been
filled. — My letter was then forwarded
to Mr. B. — With grateful memory and
kindest greeting, Faithfully,

To Mrs. J. K. Patterson.

J. B. Smith.

Jan. 24, 1888

The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky was founded in 1868- and made one of the Colleges of Kentucky University. This relationship existed till 1878 when the Legislature dissolved the connection and placed it upon an independent and non-denominational basis. The City of Lexington and County of Fayette gave in 1880 land and money equal to \$100,000 to secure its location. Its buildings are ample for the accommodation of 500 students. It is endowed partly by the proceeds of the sale of lands given to the State by the Congress of the United States for its maintenance and partly by an annual income from the State. Each Legislative Representative district is

allowed to send to it from properly prepared
 students free of tuition. The College has
 fifteen professors and instructors. Its¹
 chemical Laboratory is by far the best
 in Kentucky. Its geological and Mineralogical
 Cabinets are well selected and valuable.
 The course of instruction in the State College
 includes Agriculture and Mechanics, a
 Scientific course, a classical course,
 a course of Civil Engineering, a Normal
 School and a Commercial course
 and Military Tactics. A West Point
 Officer is detailed by the War Dept.,
 as Commandant of Cadets. The College
 has now 315 students.



Springfield, Mass., Jan. 25, 1888.

Dear Sir:

Allow me to congratulate you on the passage in the House of the special appropriation bill to provide the money to carry into effect the provisions of the Hatch experiment station act of March 2, 1887. I have no doubt that this measure will be promptly passed by the Senate and approved by the President, as the "Association of American Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations" has the matter well in hand. While The NEW ENGLAND HOMESTEAD and the FARM AND HOME did much to promote the enactment of this measure by the 49th Congress, (spending \$1000 in the work), its final success is mainly due to the earnest efforts of yourself and the institutions embraced in that association, and to the organizations throughout the country that have labored so zealously in behalf of the bill.

Will you kindly inform me at the earliest possible moment what plans have been laid for carrying out the purposes of the act in your state? What lines will you particularly work on? What apportionment of the funds for these different classes of work have been made? Please give me the names and postoffice addresses of the director of your station and his several assistants. If these arrangements have not been perfected as yet, let me know how far you have got, and please report progress in future.

A prompt reply will be esteemed a personal favor as well as a reciprocation of what little we have done to bring about this beneficent law. Your reply will doubtless be an aid to those states that have not as yet completed their arrangements.

Please enter the name of our papers on your mailing lists, and see to it that two copies at least of each and every bulletin, report and publication from your station is sent to our address.

If in any way we can promote the cause of scientific agriculture, either through our papers or personally, please command us.

Wishing you the utmost success in your work.

Very sincerely yours,

Herbert Myrick

Agricultural Editor.

Note. January 31, 1888.

The special appropriation bill, appropriating \$585,000, or \$15,000 for each state and the territory of Dakota, to carry into effect the Hatch experiment station act, which was passed in the House January 18, was enacted by the Senate yesterday, and was to-day approved by the President. It therefore becomes a law and the money is now available.

H. M.

EXPERIMENT STATION LAW.**Full Text (Official) of the Hatch Act, the Appropriation for which Has Just Been Made by Congress.**

An act to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states under the provisions of an act approved July 2, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that in order to aid in acquiring and diffusing among the people of the United States useful and practical information on subjects connected with agriculture, and to promote scientific investigation and experiment respecting the principles and applications of agricultural science, there shall be established, under direction of the college or colleges or agricultural department of colleges in each state or territory established, or which may hereafter be established, in accordance with the provisions of an act approved July 2, 1862, entitled "An act donating public lands to the several states and territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," or any of the supplements to said act, a department to be known and designated as an "agricultural experiment station;" Provided, that in any state or territory in which two such colleges have been or may be so established the appropriation hereinafter made to such state or territory shall be equally divided between such colleges, unless the Legislature of such state or territory shall otherwise direct.

WORK OF THE STATIONS.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the object and duty of said experiment stations to conduct original researches or verify experiments on the physiology of plants and animals; the diseases to which they are severally subject, with the remedies for the same; the chemical composition of useful plants at their different stages of growth; the comparative advantages of rotative cropping as pursued under a varying series of crops; the capacity of new plants or trees for acclimation; the analysis of soils and water; the chemical composition of manures, natural or artificial, with experiments designed to test their comparative effects on crops of different kinds; the adaptation and value of grasses and forage plants; the composition and digestibility of the different kinds of food for domestic animals; the scientific and economic questions involved in the production of butter and cheese; and such other researches or experiments bearing directly on the agricultural industry of the United States as may in each case be deemed advisable, having due regard to the varying conditions and needs of the respective States or Territories.

UNIFORMITY OF METHODS.

Sec. 3. That in order to secure, as far as practicable, uniformity of methods and results in the work of said stations, it shall be the duty of the United States commissioner of agriculture to furnish forms, as far as practicable, for the tabulation of results of investigation or experiments; to indicate, from time to time, such lines of inquiry as to him shall seem most important; and, in general, to furnish such advice and assistance as will promote the purposes of this act. It shall be the duty of each of said stations annually, on or before the first day of February, to make to the governor of the state or territory in which it is located a full and detailed report of its operations, including a statement of receipts and expenditures, a copy of which report shall be sent to each of said stations, to the said commissioner of agriculture, and to the secretary of the treasury of the United States.

BULLETINS FREE.

Sec. 4. That bulletins or reports of progress shall be published at said stations at least once in three months, one copy of which shall be sent to each newspaper in the states or territories in which they are respectively lo-

cated, and to such individuals actually engaged in farming as may request the same, and as far as the means of the station will permit. Such bulletins or reports and the annual reports of said stations shall be transmitted in the mails of the United States free of charge for postage, under such regulations as the Postmaster General may from time to time prescribe.

Sec. 5. That for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of conducting investigations and experiments and printing and distributing the results as hereinbefore prescribed, the sum of \$15,000 per annum is hereby appropriated to each state, to be specially provided for by Congress in the appropriations from year to year, and to each territory entitled under the provisions of section eight of this act, out of any money in the treasury proceeding from the sales of public lands, to be paid in equal quarterly payments, on the first day of January, April, July and October in each year, to the treasurer or other officer duly appointed by the governing boards of said colleges to receive the same, the first payment to be made on the first day of October, 1887. Provided, however, That out of the first annual appropriation so received by any station an amount not exceeding one-fifth may be expended in the erection, enlargement, or repair of a building or buildings necessary for carrying on the work of such station; and therefore an amount not exceeding five per centum of such annual appropriation may be so expended.

SURPLUS FUNDS.

Sec. 6. That whenever it shall appear to the Secretary of the Treasury from the annual statement of receipts and expenditures of any of said stations that a portion of the preceding annual appropriation remains unexpended, such amount shall be deducted from the next succeeding annual appropriation to each station, in order that the amount of money appropriated to any station shall not exceed the amount actually and necessarily required for its maintenance and support.

Sec. 7. That nothing in this act shall be construed to impair or modify the legal relation existing between any of the said colleges and the government of the states or territories in which they are respectively located.

STATIONS INDEPENDENT OF COLLEGES.

Sec. 8. That in states having colleges entitled under this section to the benefits of this act and having also agricultural experiment stations established by law separate from said colleges, such states shall be authorized to apply such benefits to experiments at stations so established by such states; and in case any state shall have established under the provisions of said act of July 2d aforesaid, an agricultural department or experimental station, in connection with any university, college or institution not distinctively an agricultural college or school, and such state shall have established or shall hereafter establish a separate agricultural college or school, which shall have connected therewith an experimental farm or station, the Legislature of such state may apply in whole or in part the appropriation by this act made, to such separate agricultural college or school, and no Legislature shall by contract express or implied disable itself from so doing.

Sec. 9. That the grants of moneys authorized by this act are made subject to the legislative assent of the several states and territories to the purposes of said grants: Provided, that payment of such instalments of the appropriation herein made as shall become due to any state before the adjournment of the regular session of its Legislature meeting next after the passage of this act shall be made upon the assent of the governor thereof duly certified to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Sec. 10. Nothing in this act shall be held or construed as binding the United States to continue any payments from the treasury to any or all the states or institutions mentioned in this act, but Congress may at any time amend, suspend or repeal any or all the provisions of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1887.

Royal Historical Society.

11 CHANDOS STREET, CAVENDISH SQUARE,

LONDON, W.: 28th January, 1888.

The Annual General Meeting of the Royal Historical Society will be held at these Rooms on Thursday, the 16th of February next, at 8.30 P.M.

The two retiring Vice-Presidents are :

J. HEYWOOD, F.R.S. PROFESSOR J. R. SEELEY,

and the four retiring Members of Council :

OSCAR BROWNING H. H. HOWORTH, M.P.

J. BAKER GREENE COLONEL E. CECIL JOHNSON.

The Council nominate—

as Vice-Presidents :

J. HEYWOOD, F.R.S. PROFESSOR J. R. SEELEY,

and as Members of Council :

OSCAR BROWNING COLONEL E. CECIL JOHNSON

PROFESSOR RHYS DAVIDS B. F. STEVENS.

The vote on the form of the Society's Transactions has resulted in a large majority in favour of the bound volume issued as nearly as possible annually ; and the Council have therefore resolved that in future the Transactions shall be issued only in that form, the quarterly parts being discontinued.

By order of the Council,

P. EDWARD DOVE,

Secretary.

Eaves & Townes,

ATTORNEYS - AT - LAW,

Greenville, Ky., *Feb 1st* 1888

Prof J. C. Patterson
Dear Sir

Mr P. L. Townes
requests me to write you
to know the price you
would ask him for the
piece of land lying
opposite the old Sem-
inary & extending back to
the Coeys lot! that is the
piece, supposed to be
about 4 acres, also what
per acre for 1 or 2 acres of
it off either the middle
or north end of the lot.
The lot is not susceptible
of making more than about
2 good building lots.

Eaves & Townes,

ATTORNEYS - AT - LAW,

Greenville, Ky., 188

The north portion & about
the middle of it lies
very nicely and with the
exception of the distance
from town will make
nice residence lots - The
remainder of the lot lies
along the hillside & branch
but can be used for pasture
lots

Let me know your ideas
about the value & I think
it can be sold, if not
all to him - part to him
& the rest to other parties
for pasture =

Lots in Greenville are not
now selling as well as

W. E. KING,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

—Office with W. L. Reeves.—

Elkton, Ky., Feb 2nd 1888.

President Jas K Patterson

My dear Sir:

I have intended writing you several times since I saw you last Summer & had an interview with you concerning the propriety and possibility of organizing & establishing an Alumni Socy at the A. M. College; but many things have intervened & operated to successfully forestall my intention, I have been so engaged that my correspondence has to a great extent been "broken off" with a majority of my former schoolmates, classmates, & associates and consequently I have lost the run of their various changes in life P. O. addresses &c.

To make a success of our contemplated organization, you must be well aware that it will not only require a labor of effort of one or two of us

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but the united effort of a number who will heartily cooperate and ~~meet~~ ^{gather} together. Unless the proposed enterprise meets with ^{the} concurrence of a number of the graduates who ^{live} in and near Lexington, and at least with a good portion of the faculty, any attempt that we, who live a considerable distance from the scene of meeting & who necessarily cannot take ^{active} interest in the business arrangements will prove abortive in the very outset. & nothing but ultimate failure will stop us in the face. It is a well settled doctrine, founded upon long varied experience that "whatever is worth having is worth working for".

And viewed from a certain standpoint such an organization as can be perfected there, will inevitably result not only in great good to the graduates, but will redound in the end to the honor & glory of the

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institution. If you have any knowledge
of the whereabouts of a number of the
graduates and will send me their address
es. I shall write to them and explain the
object of the assembly and urge their
attendance.

I am yours

Most obediently
W. E. King



State of Kentucky,

M. C. ALFORD,
From Twenty-Seventh District.

Senate Chamber.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6., 1888.

Dear Sir,

I hunted up the status of the Committee this afternoon after you had gone & found that it is hostile to the college tax - Cooper will call a meeting tomorrow night to pass on the question, & is pushing matters, evidently so as to get in an adverse report before P. P. Johnston returns - Cooper (the clerk of the committee) who is a Republican, & Mr. Gibson who is a democrat are for you - Dr. Wilson (democrat from Barren) is inclined towards the college, but unsettled. There is a strong feeling in the legislature against the tax, & I am inclined to think that the Governor is in sympathy with it - It is just the kind of a body to do such a thing as break down the college -

I think the situation more serious
than it was when the brachy
attacked you. You have no
hope - the stupidity of the
opposition and the mobocracy of
Cerber who will hit its leader -
You ought to get a minority report
I write it myself - defend it
Michigan can all right but do
not underplay the question -
Do not make the mistake of
ignoring them - If they come
near repealing the tax, it will
make you with the Court of
Appeals - I write because of the
deep interest I feel - I fear you
are too confident -

Your friend,

W. M. Beckner

Arkansas Agricultural Experiment Station,

—AT—

ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL UNIVERSITY.

ALBERT E. MENKE, Director.

Fayetteville, Ark., Feb 7 1888

My dear Doctor.

Our Board of Trustees have indefinitely postponed meeting for a Presidential election. I imagine they will not meet now until December.

The Bill is through at last. I am experiencing some trouble in getting suitable men. They are very scarce. We open up on the fifth of March and do not have any vacation until December, pretty warm work during the Summer. How is Ben Scovell? He wrote me a long screed about his (new?) nitrogen method I find it is not new at all & have come across several previous experiments in the same line. Please let me know how many men you will have in your station & any other information in that line. We have published our first bulletin. It is on cotton & would interest you. With kind regards well.

I am
Yours sincerely
Albert Menke

W. M. BECKNER,

Attorney at Law,

Winchester, Ky., Feb 22 1888.

Dear Sir,

I do not know when I will go to Frankfort again.

I was informed whilst there last Saturday that the Committee will report in favor of removing you & turning the College into a school of technology to be recommended by the Governor. I got this from Pateman.

I am expecting a decision of the tax question every day. I got it quite straight that the Court is ready to decide it, but did not learn how it will go. If I go to Frankfort, I will telegraph you - If the Legislature adjourns at the end of 60 days it will be the best thing that could happen, but I do not

Look for anything or good
from it -

Your friend,

W. M. Beebe

G. A. C. HOLT & SON,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

Will Practice in the United States Court at Louisville and Paducah, and the Circuit Courts in Western Kentucky.

Murray, Ky. Feb 24th 1888.Prof J. R. Patterson
Lexington
Ky

Dear Sir

Your favor of 21st inst at hand. I to-night, write a letter to Hon Wm Reed — a reliable and intimate friend of mine and would be glad to see him such to you. He is a strong ally in our pauper's struggle and I hope will aid in protecting our College from such a stroke. It is one of the very few institutions of civil-ization possessed by our State. My best wishes ever attend you and with high regards I am Sir Yours Truly
G. A. C. Holt

I never hint any "suggestion" for

my letter on services to our
College — but base them on my
personal interest and State pride.
I was "Visitor" under Leslie.
Halt

47-17-64

Louisville, Feb. 28. '88.

My dear Sir:

I have received your letter. It was my intention to take the 2 o'clock train for Frankfurt, but it was impossible for me to get away from my office in time. I proposed then to take the later train, but I find that the period of my admissible absence would be so brief, that, with the danger as it seems to me that the Committee would not be able to take me in hand and dispose of me in the time, it would not be advisable for me to make the trip. I regret this because you seem to think it desirable

that I should appear before
the Committee; but I really
cannot suppose it to be ne-
cessary. The acts of the Trust-
ees speak for themselves, and
as for the complaints about your
Government, they cannot be
difficult to answer. How-
ever strict you may be in
the discharge of your duty,
people will be slow to believe
that you have been dictatorial
or despotic. About Ash-
mead's resignation I know
nothing. If you were the cause
of it, the presumption in any
mind would be that you had
sufficient ground for your action.
As for Dr. Retz's retirement,
if I know anything about it,
you had nothing to do with it;
and among those who will

represent for it, I am sure there was not one
who doubted, or did not regret, the necessity for it,
with much regret, your statement.

D. E. Russell

Prof. J. H. Patterson,
State College,
Lafayette, Ky.

47-M-64

OFFICE OF

CITY ATTORNEY.

Louisville, Ky. January 18 1888

My Dear President

I need your letter
in reference to the College
matter. you will have no
trouble with our delegation. I
will come up at any time
that I can be of service to
you - you know that you have
only to show me how I can
subserve your interests to
command my time.

With kindest regards to
your whole family I am
Most sincerely yours
H. S. Barker

To
James H. Patterson Esq
President A. M. College
Lexington
Ky.

47-11-64

Royal Historical Society.

11 CHANDOS STREET, CAVENDISH SQUARE,
LONDON, W.

27th December, 1887.

Sir,
As it is desirable to make arrangement
as soon as possible for the papers to be read at the
Society's meetings during next session (November
1888 to June 1889), the Council will be glad to
a favour if you will kindly let them know
on the annexed form the title of any paper
that you propose to read and the date at which
you can most conveniently read it.

The Council have resolved that in future
the Society's Transactions shall be issued
in only one form, and they have resolved

to leave it to the vote of all the Fellows to decide
whether the form adopted shall be bound
volumes (issued as nearly as possible annually)
or parts in paper covers (issued as nearly as
possible quarterly). The Council will be glad
to know which form you prefer.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

P. Edmund Dove

Secretary R. Hist. S.

Title of Paper.

Name of Author.

Address.

Month in which Paper can most conveniently be read.

47-M-64

Shokane Hall, Washin Dc:
15th Decr 1887.

Prof. Patterson:
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir :-

A house builder and contractor in our office this morning, during a conversation said that there were now more contracts let for building for 1888 in this city than was done this year. Others have said the same, and it must be so surely, my observation confirming all that is said. Real estate is now dull as is usually the case during winters, yet by early spring a large emigration will come in and property will advance. During this year 1887 about \$2,000,000 worth of building has been done

in this city consisting of 8 or 10 brick business blocks and some 200 dwellings. A large proportion of the building for 1888 will be business houses; for instance two large brick hotels and a stone and brick built block for a Banking House.

There is now an excellent opening for investing in real estate here - a dwelling lot fronting 71 ft on Spokane St, in the Eastern part of the city, two cottages by the side of it and three across the street opposite. This lot is offered at \$250, is the best bargain have met up with; there are only two lots to be purchased in the vicinity of this lot, and they are owned by Mr Cowley a School Teacher who told me

he could get \$300 each for these two lots, had sold one recently for \$300 just 150 ft from the lot I write of.

The city is building in the direction of this lot with business houses; viz the city is growing towards the East, and this lot is in the track of city's growth.

My regards to all in the family, and wishes for a bright Christmas.

Yours truly yours,
Geo R. Dabney.

To the Executive Committee of
the A. & M. College.

Lexington, Ky.

Dec. 9. 1887

Gentlemen:-

In accordance with
your suggestion that I should
present my plan for expanding
the Depart. of Chemistry, in
writing, I beg leave to propose
the following:-

The course of instruction in the
department of Chemistry at an
institution which professes to
be an A. & M. College should
be this:

- 1° A year's course in Gen'l Chemistry
combined with Experimental
Laboratory work.
- 2° A course in general qualitative
& quantitative analysis covering
one & a half to two years ac-
cording to the ability of the
student.
- 3° A thorough course of lectures
in organic chemistry.
- 4° A thorough course on the ap-
plication of Chemistry to
the art or Industrial Chemistry.

A course of lectures on Agricultural Chemistry.

5. Advanced practical work, such as Agr. analyses, metallurgy, or advanced organic work.

This is the scope of the work which many literary institutions offer to their students, & which all colleges of antitechnical character or standing have in force. The work is under the control, usually, of two or three full professors, with as many more assistants, or of one full professor with from three to four reliable assistants, according to the completeness of the course. -

If you will consult the catalogues of Illinois U., Kansas U., University of Penn. University of N. Y., you will find I think that my statements are correct.

The work in Chemistry in this College, so far as I have been able to learn, has been confined to Gen'l. Chemistry, with an occasional lab (I use the word advisedly) of Agr. & Org. Chemistry, & Qualitative & Quantitative Analysis. -

The work at present being done, a double duty for one person, is Gen'l. Chemistry with Qualitative & Quantitative Analysis. What I desire to do, is to extend the work as far as the laboratory & apparatus at disposal will permit, & introduce experimental laboratory work, Industrial & Agr. Chemistry, all of which are of great importance. - If it is the desire of your honorable body, that the department of Chemistry be so expanded that it can be truly said, that the A. & M. College offers facilities for a fairly thorough course in Chemistry, I would respectfully request that my proposition for the appointment of an assistant be complied with.

Respectfully
E. A. v. Schweinitz.

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Nicholasville Ky.
November 1st 1887

Mr Jas R. Patterson Phila.
Dear Friend.

Having written to
Mr Gratz relative to publish-
ing your address; I now think
it proper to send his reply
with this letter. I understand
that the Jessamine Journal
cannot publish it until
the next weeks issue. I sup-
pose that Mr Gratz can do it
this week if you wish. As
you expect to publish the
address in pamphlet form
probably you can make better
terms with the Lex-party.
I will now speak for

Twenty four (24) copies
for which you must let
me pay a part of the cost.

Will you authorize me to
have the address published
in other papers, i.e. The
"Christian Observer" Louisville
S. Nolans "Methodist paper"
at Gallettsburg &c if they
will do themselves that honor?
The size of the Bourgeois
type is a good medium
for reading. It is too often
the case that Speeches, Sermons
& Messages are printed in
such small type, that it is
too straining to the eyes &c.
I hope my wife is better, & that
you are all well. I remain
Yours in high esteem.

George A. Brown.

present; but hold yourself
in readiness when the
demand makes it neces-
sary to call on you again.

I hope we shall see a
growing demonstration for
the success of the A. B. S.
throughout our whole land.

A gentleman said to me, that
he was a friend to Home Missions.
In answer I replied, that we
Gentiles are indebted to Paul
and his successors for their
labors of love in trying to
send the word of God to the
ends of the earth. &c. I will stop.

All are well except my
good wife: who remains about
the same. I trust that you
& your family are well.

Our love to you all. I
remain Yours fraternally

George Brown.

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Nicholasville Ky.

28th October 1887.

Merjette Patterson. Ph.D.

My good Friend.

Please indulge me
again, for I do feel much
honored, and I have no
doubt the Providence Com-
munity were edified &
greatly profited, after hav-
ing heard, (as Mr Savage
styled it) "your truly able
and classic address."

Both personally & in be-
half of the J. C. B. S. (over
which I so unworthily
preside) I do now express
my thanks that you has-
tened from Washington
& endured a strong wind

accompanied with clouds of dust, all to do honor to my invitation on last Sabbath.

My brother is it not gratifying, and a partial compensation too, when you recognize that the recipients of your labors have a corresponding appreciation of the same? May our united prayer be this; That your defence of the Supremacy of the Word of God over all and any of ^{the} claims to human greatness & perfection, shall bring forth its appropriate fruit in the minds of those to whom your address was made. If the prayer of faith attend its publication; then will

it not be, as the "casting of bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days".

At the night-session of our Society it was voted, that you be requested to furnish a copy of your address for publication, and Mr B. M. Arnett the Secretary was instructed to correspond with you on the subject, and I hope it was agreeable with you to comply with the Society's wish. We had two earnest speeches at the night-meeting. Rev Stanley and Dr Savage. Both seemed to feel their obligation; the words of Paul express it: "for necessity is laid upon me". I suppose I must let you rest for the

47-11-64

Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky.

Office of Commandant of Cadets.

D. H. CLARK,
1st LIEUTENANT 10th INFANTRY,
Commandant.

Lexington, Ky., *October 8th* 1887.

Jas. R. Patterson Ph D &c -

Pres. A & M. College

Dear Sir:

In reply to your communication of this date relative to the appointment of Cadet officers I would respectfully state that Par 17 of the Regulations was overlooked by me. In fact it was not known that such a regulation was in existence until your note called my attention thereto. I made the appointments in full belief that it was a duty pertaining to the position of Commandant of Cadets - and I would have been only too glad to have divided the responsibility as the duty was performed.

ed with great reluctance on my part -
Whenever the appointments have not been
promulgated in orders, and since be
cancelled at once that the regulations may
be carried out -

Very Respectfully & Truly
V. W. Clark

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Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky.

Office of Commandant of Cadets.

D. H. CLARK,
1ST LIEUTENANT 15TH INFANTRY,
Commandant.

Lexington, Ky. Sept 30th 1887.

To the
Executive Committee
The State College -
Gentlemen:

I have the honor to respectfully
request that the drive ground be enlarged
the ground as at present limited is entirely
too small. The enlargement can be effected
by removing the fence and opening for drive
purposes all the land on the North side of
the Spring branch. The fence can be
run along the course of the stream &
join the fence bordering Lime Stone Street.
It is also desirable to have the high weeds
and grass cut from the grounds.

Original to Com,
Dr. Spruill, Capt Nicholas,

I am,

Gentlemen

Very Respectfully
O. H. Linn

top a flame of gas finds
long can be had, while water
is found at these places, &
red sediment almost the con-
sistency of putty & 700 is found
lumps of gravel a foot square
accounted with cross account
there.

1 Can this job in any way be
centralized?

2 Is it not the escape of this gas
that has formed the brown country
the granite?

3 Is not this sediment the red oxide of iron?

at noon!

4. I would the coming before this

[illegible]

Legal business done everywhere through correspondent attorneys.
Circuit Courts—Fourth Monday in April and October.
Quarterly Courts—First Monday in January, April, July and October.

James Montgomery,

Attorney at Law,

Office in Court House

Elizabethtown, Hardin Co., Ky. 188

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(2)
stowed this job probably be charged
with red heads of iron & when
it came to the surface by the
action of the water, air be
separated or eliminated from
said 4450²

I ask three questions not
only for the advance of
any development but for
entire I have come to believe
the now on our lands have
been formed by alluvials
from this Gap which in earlier
period I am led to believe
escaped all over the country
in which ~~the~~ ^{it} is found. Here
I may say a friend of mine
thinks Coal is formed from the
stratification of rock etc. which
was elevated from the sea bed
the Charcoal went away from

Lexington Ky.
July 11th 1887-

Pres. Patterson,
Dear Sir,

Since seeing
you, I have seen Judge Hin-
khead who referred me to Capt.
Nichols. I called upon him
in reference to the matter about
which I spoke to you - he stated
to me that they had thought
of employing a lady teacher -
in fact had been authorized
to do so, but as yet had
made no appointment - he
thought they would at the
next meeting of the board.
May I ask you to present

my name to them and say
what you can in my behalf
as I think you have had
an opportunity to judge
of my worth.

Capt. Nichol said the salary
was small - I might
ask you to state to the
board my proposition to
him; viz. four hundred
per year.

If you are in town any
time during the next few
days, I would be glad to
have you call, if conven-
ient to you.

Hoping I am not asking
too much of you, I am

Yours Respt

Mrs. M. P. Robeson

Ashland House

47-11-64

GENERAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,
No. 43. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, June 22, 1887.

I...Major *Frederick Mears*, 25th Infantry, will proceed to Davids' Island, New York Harbor, and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Richard F. O'Beirne*, 15th Infantry, in the command of that depot on September 30, 1887, reporting by letter to the superintendent of the recruiting service.

II...Lieutenant Colonel *Richard F. O'Beirne*, 15th Infantry, on being relieved as directed in paragraph I of this order, will proceed to New York City and relieve Lieutenant Colonel *Alfred L. Hough*, 16th Infantry, as superintendent of the recruiting service on October 1, 1887. On being thus relieved Lieutenant Colonel *Hough* will join his regiment.

III...The following detail will be made for the recruiting service for the period from October 1, 1887, to October 1, 1889:

One company officer (preferably a 1st lieutenant) from the 2d, 4th, 6th, and 8th Cavalry, and the 2d, 4th, 6th, 8th, 10th, 12th, 14th, 16th, 18th, 20th, 22d, and 24th Infantry will be selected and ordered to report to the superintendent of the recruiting service, New York City, by October 1, 1887.

These officers will be selected by the respective regimental commanders actually with their regiments, and in making the selection special regard will be had to fitness for the responsible duty of recruiting.

The superintendent will relieve officers of the above-named regiments of the expiring detail, in charge of rendezvous or at the depots, as those of the new detail report, and order them to join their companies.

Recruiting officers are expected to give close personal attention to their duties, and the regulations prohibiting the enlistment of minors and men of doubtful habits will be strictly enforced by the superintendent.

IV...The travel enjoined in this order is necessary for the public service.

BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL SHERIDAN:

R. C. DRUM,
Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL:

Assistant Adjutant General.

47-M-64

Louisville, June 17-'87.

My dear Sir:

After parting from you
I had a conversation in
my room with Prof. Potter,
from which it appeared
that I had quite misun-
derstood the object ex-
pressed in his report. He
has had no thought, it
seems, of extending his
department. He only wishes
to have a reasonable
course of study ^{musical} to entitle
a graduate to a diploma.

Certainly the course pro-
vided in your last Catalogue
is very alarming. He does not
contemplate having anything
to do with the instruction outside

of his own department, or
sections.

I have recently seen
a circular addressed to
"County Superintendents of Com-
mon Schools" &c, which
has astonished me very much.

It virtually establishes
a normal school, with
a separate organization -
from the college, with its
separate President.

Of course we know that
such a plan has not been
and cannot now be car-
ried out, and don't you
think it unwise, to say the
least, to make such an
announcement?

With much regard,
Yours &c &c &c
D. C. Bull

Account of expenses for
attendance at meeting of
Board of Trustees, Asst. College,
May 31. 1887. D. C. Bull
member of Board.

R. R. fare from Louisville

Return — \$ 4.80

Omibus — .25

Hotel at Lexington

2 1/2 days — 7.00

Total — \$ 12.05

I Certify That The foregoing
account is correct.
D. C. Bull

Louisville,
June 17. 87.

Respectfully,
D. C. Bull

Ref. of D. C. Bull to
Pres. of State Coll.

47-M-64

Lieut. H. D. Clark,
R. Q. M., 10th Infantry.

Fort Buford, D. C.,

May 22^d 1887.

Dear President -

Yours announcing the action of the Executive Committee - was received some weeks since. I have been waiting expecting to hear from Washington but up to the present have heard nothing.

Would you be kind enough to let me know as soon as you hear anything. No doubt they would inform you before they do me.

I feel very badly at the flattering action of the Committee in casting their entire vote for me and hope I may in a measure prove worthy of the trust - but

I fear that I shall fall short
of their expectations.

I will have to change stations
at Ft. Randall after all. My
successor arrived a couple of
days since and will have no
quarters until I vacate.

Very Truly

to

D. H. Clark

Geo R. Patterson Ph.D.

President State College
Lexington Ky.

47-M-64

Mayville, May 20/87
Jas K. Patterson Pres. State College
Lex Ky:

My dear Sir,

Y^r notice for a meeting
for the 31st inst. rec^d. Tonight
I leave for St. Paul, Minn. to
assist in the trial of a case
set for the 23rd. It seems
hardly probable that I can
be back in time.

So, as heretofore, I am useless
to you, & am truly sorry for it.
With much regard
yours,

W. H. Wadsworth

47-M-64

Louisville, May 19. 1889

My dear Sir:

I have received your
letter of yesterday's date.

I have regretted ^{on my own account} the
necessity of being absent
from the meeting of the
Board on the 21st: I
shall regret it all the
more if you think I
could be useful. The
last of the month and
the last of the week,
are days that absolutely

Commanding my presence.
I am trying now to
start Sunday night
on a necessary visit
to St. Louis. It must
be brief, and if pos-
sible on my return, I
will be with you for
a couple of days before
that and the following
Saturday. I must in
the mean time send
you the report of our
October inspection. I

am ashamed that it has been so
long. I cannot admit that
the business was necessary; and yet
it seems to have been unavoidable.

With much regard,
Very truly, your student,

D. D. Powell

Prof. Geo. W. Patterson,
West. State College,
Lafayette, Ind.

47-M-64

Louisville, May 12. 87.

My dear Sir:

I have just received
your letter of the 10th the in-
stant. I believe it will be
impossible for me to at-
tend the meeting of the
board on the 1st. It
is the period of prepara-
tion for a quarterly pay-
ment which commences
on the 4th of June; and
it will be the more ur-
gent upon me because
it will be necessary for

me to go to St. Louis
near the end of the month.

These combined objects
have compelled me to de-
cline very pressing invita-
tions to be present at the
Meeting of the Fairfield
States yesterday and today.
I mention this to show
you how much my
movements are con-
strained.

I should like to know
what changes are in
contemplation, but I
fear you overrate my

influence in such emergencies. You
could, however, rely upon my taking a
very earnest interest in anything that
concerns the welfare of the College.

With great regards,
Yours devotedly,
D. C. Bruce

Prof. J. H. Kettner,

Smith State College,

Leipzig, Me., 1873.

47-11-04

Royal Historical Society.

11 CHANDOS STREET, CAVENDISH SQUARE,
LONDON, W.

2nd April, 1884.

Sir,

As it is very desirable to make
arrangements without delay for the
papers to be read before the Society
in the course of next session, I am
directed by the Publication
Committee to say that they will be
glad to receive from you on the
annexed form the offer of any
paper that you may be willing to read.

I have much pleasure in informing

you that the Whitworth Despatches
are now in the press and that they
will be issued as soon as possible
to all Fellows of the Society whose
subscriptions are not in arrears.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

P. Edward Dove
Secretary R. Hist. S.

Title of Paper

Name of Author

Address

To

P. EDWARD DOVE,

23 Old Buildings,

Lincoln's Inn,

London, W.C.

47-M-64

Lebanon Ky Nov 7, 1887

My dear Mr President;

I do not believe that Gov
Buckner has any idea of making a change
in the administration of the Asylum, but on
the contrary, think you may confidently rely
upon his complying with his promise to con-
sult the Board before taking any such step if
he should contemplate it. I have already
expressed myself very freely to him on the
subject, and the opinion expressed above is
the result of his reply.

I have now the Record before me, but
scarcely see how I can strengthen the argu-
ment already filed in favor of the constitution-
ality of the law, but will see what I can
do in a few days. I have really not had
time to consider the case maturely, as my
mind and my time have been very much

occupied by private concerns of considerable
importance to myself. I hope to have an
opportunity to see you soon, and in the
meantime remain very truly

Yours friend
J. Proctor Knott

Joseph H. Patterson Ph.D.
Lexington
Ky.

47-M-64

Louisville, Oct. 5. 1886.

My dear Sir:

I find that I cannot leave my duties before the 18th instant, and as the utility of my visit will no doubt depend a good deal upon meeting the other members of the board, I should be glad if you could arrange with them for our meeting on the 18th.

Very truly, Your obedient servant,

D. B. Buell

Prof. J. B. Rathbone,

Presb. Acad. College

Lexington, Ky.

Received Oct 20 1886
J. B. Rathbone
Presb. Acad. College
Lexington, Ky.

47-M-64

March 25th 1887

Dear Menck,

Your letter was mislaid
that is to say so carefully
put away that I have
only just come across
it again. I will send
over some copies of my
papers which there is
no occasion to return.
Some however are here and
others at home.

The College is flourishing

and if a few of the Irish
Members of parliament and
one or two other "Gentlemen
at large" were to go
abroad for their country's
good, things would go
on very well. If they
took W. E. Gladstone
with them it would be
still better —

Yours truly
W. W. Hartley.

47-M-64



Spears Ky March 20th 87
Mr Patterson

Dear Sir—
Your favor at hand. I have
been on a trip to Louisville.
So your letter has been
unanswered. The note
against J C Hoover
is something near
One hundred and
seventy five dollars.
The proposition is to pay
it out the present wheat
crop. Brawol says he thinks
he can make it now. Hoover
came to me after I had placed
the note with Brawol and
asked to have the matter held
up that it would be very
hard on them just now

He then stated that he would
be able to meet the note
by middle of the summer
and that he would pay
it out of the proceeds of
the wheat-crop. I replied
if he would get your
consent to allow the
crop to go in that way
that I would accept
his proposition. If you
can do this and save your
self it would be quite
aggravor to me. While I need
the money now I would be
willing to grant him the
time he asks.

Truly
O. J. Soper

47-M-64

U. S. INFANTRY AND CAVALRY SCHOOL
FORT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS.

Jan 25th 1887

President James K. Patterson
Agricultural & Mechanical College
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir,

Quint Chas. W. Clary
17th Inf. W. S. Army, is an
applicant for the next vacancy
of Instructor of Military
Art and Science, at the
Institution of which you
are President -

Mr. Clary, is at present
a Student officer, of the
Infantry and Cavalry School
at this post, will graduate
in July next, he is a
good Student, stands
high in his class,

is distinguished for his
attention to duty, good
conduct, and general
active intelligence.

I am very respectfully
amended
But must not as a
Commander

47-M-68

Lexington Ky.

Jan 24th 1887.

Gen H. Patterson Esq. -
Secretary Executive Committee

Dear Sir

Your favor of 22nd
inst., together with enclos-
ure has been received.

I thank you for the
courteous terms in
which you convey
the action of the Committee
and would ask that
you inform the
Committee that I.

respectfully decline
the appointment
tendered -

Very truly yours
Mary S. Bullock -
Car R. Patterson -
Car R. Patterson

47-M-64

Lexington Ky -
Jan 24th 1887 -

Esq. W. Patterson Esq.
Secretary Executive Com-
mittee -

Dear Sir

Your favor of 22nd
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Very truly yours -

Mary S. Bullock -

P.S.

Mrs Bullock sent
the wrong note to
President Patterson,
and hopes he will
excuse the mistake

47-M-64

1886

Prof. J. R. Potter

Sir

At a meeting of the Executive Committee held this day the following resolutions were passed unanimously and the Secretary was directed to transmit a copy to you.

"Whereas the Executive Committee feel a deep interest in the success of the Normal Department of the State College; and Whereas it is indispensable to such success that the Principal of the Normal Department should himself classify and assign to classes all applicants for admission to his Department and should continue to exercise an effective supervision over

those who are taught by others than himself in order that he may know the progress made by them in the several Departments of study to which he may have assigned them: Therefore Resolved that the Principal of the Normal Dept^l be and is hereby directed to classify and assign to classes after examination by himself all applicants for admission into the Normal Department.

Resolved that the Principal of the Normal Department be and is hereby directed to have the reports of all such as may be assigned to classes in other Departments of study not taught by himself made to him by the Professors by whom they may be taught and that from data thus furnished he make weekly reports to the President of the College

in which reports shall be included as well those taught by other Professors and their assistants as by himself with the appropriate designations of the several classes in which they are taught"

Respectfully

Jas. H. Patterson, Secretary

Lexington Ky.
Sept 16th 1886

Prof. Patterson,

Dear Sir,

Will you
do me the favor to an-
nounce that - my work
in Elocution will be-
gin the first - of March,
and not at the present-
time as was deemed
expedient - at first.

Yours Very Respectfully,

J. C. Trieblood,

Ann Arbor,

Mich.

Lexington Sept/86

Pres J K Patterson

Please see that
my scholars are
properly graded

Miss Elma Allen
received a scholar
ship from the
Judge J H Graves

Newstead Ky Oct 7th 1886
J. K. Patterson Pres &c -
Dear sir.

I write to call your attention
to the meeting of the Farmers Institute
to be held at Lewisville Oct 20 at 10
o'clock a. m. - Arrangements have been
made to meet in a room over the
sixth st entrance of the Ex. bldg.
I have already notified all other
parties, who ^{are} represented on the
programme. And if you will men-
tion the matter to the Prof^s of the
College who have kindly consented
to take part in the meeting it will
complete the list. I have had
the matter referred to by our county
papers. And have asked others to do
the same in other counties. And
if nothing untoward happens

I hope to see a fair attendance.
The State College exhibit at the
Exposition is very creditable.
and I have taken great pleasure
in calling the attention of the
farmers to it. where ever I have
had an opportunity. Such ocular
demonstrations will do more
to bring the working classes in
sympathy with the actual work-
ings & usefulness of the Agricultural
department, than any amount of
talking. In a recent conference
with Mr. Bird, we concluded, owing
to the busy season this month with
farmers it would be better for us to
make our visit to the college later
in the season - Hoping this will meet
your approval. & that I shall have the pleas-
ure of meeting you & the other Prof^s at Louisville
on the 20th - Am very truly &c
(over) J. B. Clardy

47-M-64

Oct 8th / 86

Since writing, have rec'd your notice.
I have been away from home so
much this fall, it is absolutely
necessary for me to give some
attention to my private affairs.
This is seed time & unless attended
to, we will have no harvest.

I must remain at home now un-
til I go to Louisville on the 19th
and hope to be able to spend some
time at the college. Boy in Dec
about the time of the meeting
of the State Grange - which I think
will do quite as well as you will
then be farther advanced in
your work -

Very truly &c O. B. Clardy

The Goodin Bank

Incorporated.

Ottawa, Kan. Oct 20 1886

Mr J K Patterson Lexington

Dear sir i' guess you have cum
to the conception i' am of the
trac i' contracted my Sum
Mining Property in Col
to be sold the 15 of Sep
it failed to go through
And i' have bin waiting
And trying to make a
sail of it so as not to
disappoint you After asking
you to take your money
now i' am obliged to ask
you to carry it for me
& not depend on my Promi
es from Colorado no longer
i' hope this hasent Bin
any disappointment in
you i' fince it had was
to pay it of my money
can sell my Property
the which is unserten
At present let me hear
from you at once
And of A Talk and

BRECKINRIDGE & SHELBY,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS AT LAW.

21 EAST SHORT STREET.

Lexington, Ky., Nov 17 - 1886

To The Executive Committee of
the A. & M. College;

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge the receipt, through President Patterson of the resolution adopted at your meeting on Nov. 5th, in which you resolve that "you are unanimously of opinion no fee is due until the case shall have been finally decided by the Court of Appeals; and in which you are pleased to decline to express" an opinion upon the amount claimed by Counsel for legal services rendered in re Hill vs Hamilton; Doubtless this resolution was intended to terminate at once all negotiations between us until the final decision of the action, and to leave the corporate authorities of the A. & M. College free to hereafter resist the payment of the fee demanded by us.

We may be pardoned for expressing our

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Lexington, Ky.,

right that you saw fit to pass such a resolution concerning us without any attempt to ascertain if an agreement might not be reached that would be mutually satisfactory; and this right is increased when this has been done by a client who has already received in part through our services some years ago—perhaps seventy thousand dollars, having been thereby saved from disaster; in a case when the appeal has been pending for years and may so remain for years, during which time this client obtains an annual income of perhaps \$17,000⁰⁰, and when if an adverse decision is then reached, its resources will be so diminished as to be a plea to reduce our fee; and adopted by gentlemen, we had believed, not readily disposed to treat us with scant courtesy.

This resolution does not alter the fact

BRECKINRIDGE & SHELBY,

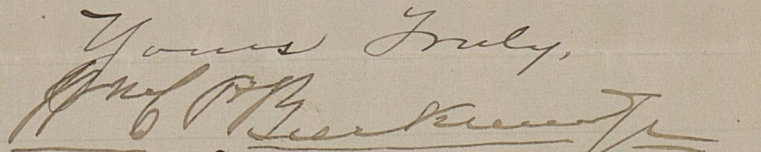
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Lexington, Ky.

That the Corporation you represent did years ago receive our services; that the result has been greatly to its benefit; and that during those years no one representing it has ever approached us on the subject of our fee or expenses; and its erst denial of our request for settlement now by an unanimous declaration that nothing is due us does not alter the legal relations between the Corporation and us.

We have the honor to be,

Yours Truly,

Cinnaball & Bodley