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But I will not weary you longer.My Dear General, do for my men and for me what you think is right and please to return the enclosed papers with your statement to me as per the enclosed envelop(In closing I may say I am highly gratified that you are still among the living heroes of the war and are still permitted to enjoy the fruits of your noble service in behalf of the government.General Woods died in 1885.Logan is also dead. So are Sherman and Grant and Oh, so many others.How thankful we should be that we have been so long preserved to reap the reward of the labors we performed,I, in my little way, you in your specially useful department, and all of us, under God trying to do our duty to our beloved country. May the Lord still smile graciously upon you and yours is the heartfelt prayer of your Comrade and Friend.

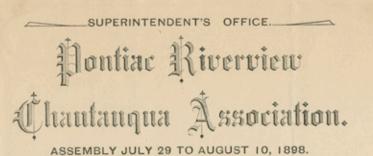
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Pontiacy Ill. Jan. 22, 1898.

Maj. James B. Pond,

New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

OFFICERS. . J. D. SCOULLER, President.

. C. NORTON. Vice President.

DR. C. H. LONG. Secretary.

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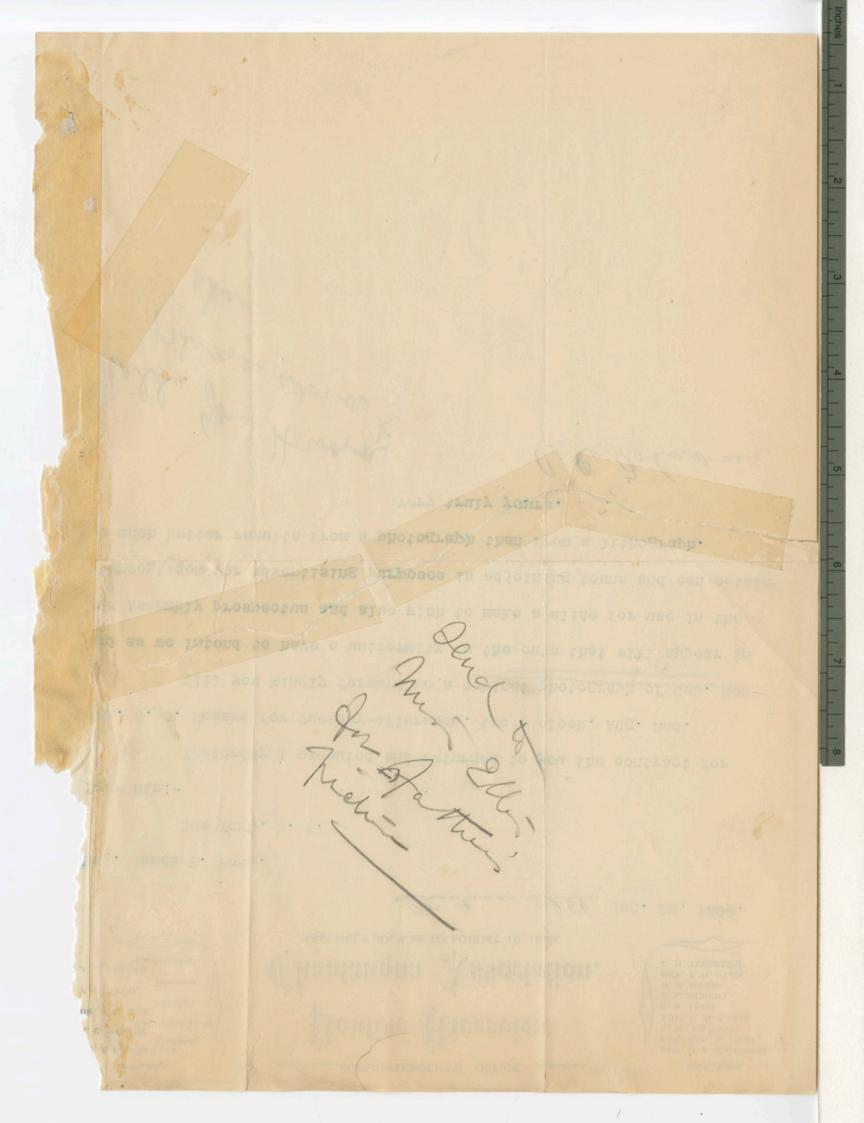
A. C. FOLSOM, Superintendent.

Yesterday I executed and returned to you the contract for Gen. 0. 0. Howard for Tuesday afternoon, two o'clock, Aug. 2nd.

Will you kindly forward me a <u>cabinet photograph of Gen.</u> Howard as we intend to have a uniformity in the cuts that will appear in our Assembly prospectus and also wish to make a slide for use in the stereopticon for advertising purposes in adjoining towns and can obtain so much better results from a photograph than from a lithograph.

Very truly yours, Nill you wond to please wond to

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22 1898 Mar Huch Otion - your good and Welcome letter came This remining, alto are from acent Liggie to Her the other day which brought pleasuse to us back. you need not feel ablight to auxure This for I know how busy you are, but are like to geel that we are in touch. with our relatives and a letter one in a while makes us very happy. We have read both Que Vadis' and Peter Stirling and anjoyed theme nery succh. , surver although I am still in gold Mining the nee I have an interest in in Santhermarding County keeps as going) yet I am not touched by the Alouclyke Bever and have gove into a very big But Augar trawaction in the

state involving a big land deal as will as the manufacture of sugar, out of which I have to place myself in a paretion of comfortable circum stances at least, it will be a year on two maturing it is if anek enormens proportions. Duce in a great evhile I tuar grow famile, riever from Channy, Juy or Jolen Frank writer now and then and I saw live in Henrysk in December, I may come cast again such hope to bring Helen, for down lispe to see you all there. It is siveral years ence I have seen auntstity nany of Muche Chas, family except Aluelebhas X Maek Where I kee in passing through Chicago wow and then I a , aunt Lyne & Bersie there wind to ho since

pleasanter could they have some of the brautiful weather are are enjoying here. Today is bline Aunfredes day and the steels in x about Chilvatown are gay with the faver dueses of the believaure They week this low of celebrations Celebration the 50th aniversary of the discovery of Gold in California, and the streets and buildings are already gay with butteng, for a gold mener & take her intereffice the matter than a stranger night unaque, but me tires of this Everlasting round of gayating aoto Speak. Well in wonther quete a long little again - Love to all John both Kelen X uykelf you would write your aff Heplend David & get in touch with tim, O.O. Arward fr.

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James B. Pond,

Cable Address: "STAMPHIX," New York. 218 Fourth Avenue.

Everett House.

RESIDENCE, 330 BERGEN AVENUE, ERSEY CITY HEIGHTS, N. J.

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One of these is making ample provision for participation in our work by denominations besides the Presbyterians. The University should by all means be national in its character, and I do not see how it can well be so if all denominations and classes are not given an <u>actual</u> opportunity to participate. This should be on some liberal plan.

Another matter is personal with me. You will remember that I presented to you the plan for this University before either you or I had ever visited Cumberland Gap. I had been working on the matter five years years when I first disclosed it to you, and it has always seemed to me that I came into it in a providential way. The whole matter developed in such a way that I felt it my duty and privelege to give the remaineder of my life to this work. Perhaps you will remember that I told you so when I first mentioned the matter to you.

When I afterward visited Cumberland Gap, I found all the conditions in harmony with what I had planned and expected. There was nothing lacking in any respect.

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We shall probably now receive two donations which will put us along on our way. One of the is expected from the McCormick family, whom I have followed since presenting the letter which you gave me. Mr. McCormick told when I succeeded in getting an interview, that they would probably help us when I could convince them that the work would is of such a nature as would justify them. Then I set about putting the work into better form and finding a way to bring to Mr. McCormick a convincing knowledge of the nature of the opportunity at Cumberland Gap. When I found the opportunity to have Dr. Gray visit at the Gap, I felt that I had found such a way, and it seems that this was right. The other donation is expected from Mrs. McKercher. This I have been fullowing for a number of months.

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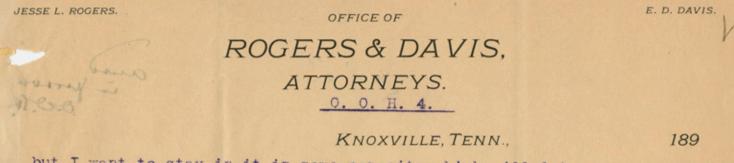
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With best wishes.

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55TH CONGRESS, 1st Session.

H. R. 1543.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Максн 19, 1897.

Mr. WANGER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions and ordered to be printed.

A BILL

For the relief of Helen W. Mauck.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 2 That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, au-3 thorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to 4 the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name 5 of Helen W. Mauck, widow of Major Clarence Mauck, 6 Ninth United States Cavalry, deceased, and pay her a pension 7 of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension she is now 8 receiving. 9

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L. H. KORTY, Secretary.

Rebraska Telephone Company.

TELEPHONE BUILDING.

S. W. COR. EIGHTEENTH AND DOUGLAS STREETS.

Omaha, Neb., January 24th, 1898.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Nebraska Telephone Company will be held at the offices of the company in Omaha, Neb., on Thursday, February 10th, 1898, at three o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of nine Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before the meeting.

C. E. YOST, President. L. H. KORTY, Secretary.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That_____, the undersigned stockholder in the NEBRASKA TELEPHONE COMPANY, do hereby appoint_____

and in _______name, to vote at the meeting of the stockholders of said company, to be held on Thursday, February 10th, 1898, or at any adjournment thereof, with all the powers ______would possess if personally present, hereby revoking all previous proxies.

Witness_____hand and seal this_____day of_____, 1898.

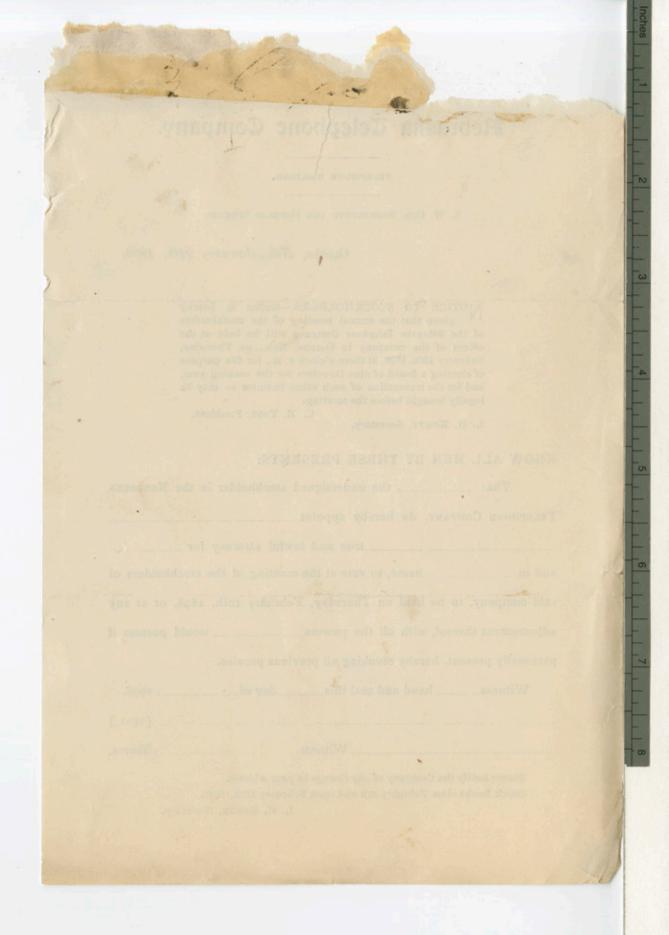
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Shares.

Witness.

Please notify the Company of any change in your address. Stock Books close February 8th and open February 12th, 1898.

L. H. KORTY, Secretary.



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