

\$ 57. $\frac{75}{100}$

Louisville, Ky., October 2nd 1891

On the 2nd day of October 1891, for value received

promise to pay to the order of THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

of Ky., Fifty seven $\frac{75}{100}$ Dollars, for interest

due on that day, according to the tenor of Principal Notes for

Sixteen hundred and fifty Dollars, of even date herewith,

payable at the Bank of Kentucky, Louisville Ky.

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Frank J. Liberson
Wm. Ward Duffield

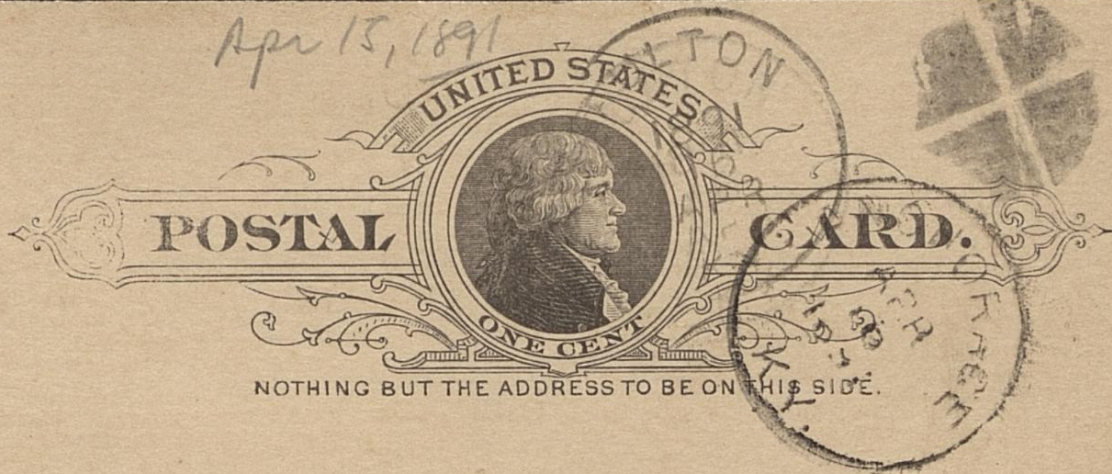
1169 1st Presbyterian Church South
Pineville Ky \$ 57.⁷⁵
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Paid \$58 Jan 10, 1893
by E. H. Bedinger D. D.
Wm. McMorris Secy

RECEIVED from E. W. BEDINGER, Treasurer
of the Evangelistic Fund of the Synod of Ken-
tucky — *Fifty* — 100 Dollars.

Amount of appropriation for *services one month*
month ending *April 19th, 1891.*
April 15th 1891.
W. F. Tins

Apr 15, 1891



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Rev. E. W. BEDINGER,

Anchorage,

Ky.

Received, Winchester, Ky, Sep. 29 1891
of E. W. Bedinger two hundred
and eighty-nine and one half
dollars (\$289.50); of which amount
eleven dollars (11.00) are allowed for
J. E. Triplett's travelling expenses and the
balance (\$278.50) is to be paid for mate-
rials on the St Helens Church.

Jan. J. Chisolm

The above sum to be credited as follows:

To Winchester Church	\$ 33.
" Nicholasville "	\$ 74.25
" Danville "	\$ 45.00
" Harrodsburg "	\$ 50.00 ✓
" Midway "	\$ 32.25
" Wm G. J. Alexander	\$ 25.00
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	\$ 289.50

Rockport Ind Oct 3 1891

Rev E. W. Bedinger

Chairman & Treasure

Evangelistic Committee find enclosed
\$1.00 with prayer for Gods blessing & continuance
of the great work

Mrs John Kerr

I have sent 25 cts to Presbyterian Evangelist
for the paper one year

Mrs John Kerr \$1.
Recpt ack

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1891



Rev E. W. Bedinger S.D.
Anchorage
Ky

LOUISVILLE. KY.
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ANCHORAGE, M.
OCT 5
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Nov. 21. 1891. Grand Haven, Mich

Doctor Bedinger:

Dear Sir & Brother:

Your letter of the 14. I have delayed answering a day or two for consideration.

Whether I could go to the help of the brother your letter refers to later or not, would depend on my Session and whether I could supply my pulpit a couple of Sundays, but it is too late to make arrangements for this month.

Thanking you for the invitation I am yours fraternally,
J.H. Sammis.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.



Rev. C. W. Bedinger, D.D.
Anchorage

Ky.

Grand Haven, Mich., Sep. 25. 1891.

Rev. E. W. Badinger,

Dear Sir and Brother;

At the suggestion of Rev. E. L. Williams Synodical Evangelist in Illinois, I wrote to B. H. Young of Louisville Ky. in reference to evangelistic work in the Southern Church. Mr. Young refers me to you. What I would like to know is whether there is a field that would offer to an experienced man, and what is the precise nature and conditions of the work.

I am thinking of offering myself for the work but am not quite clear as to my duty in the matter. Am anxious not to leave the pastorate but to do the work that seems to be most to the edification of my own soul and the Church.

Fraternally yours,

J. H. Sammis.

*Ans'd Nov. 14. 91
Proposed visit to Chinnery & M
& promised to pay his expenses
he assisted in meeting*

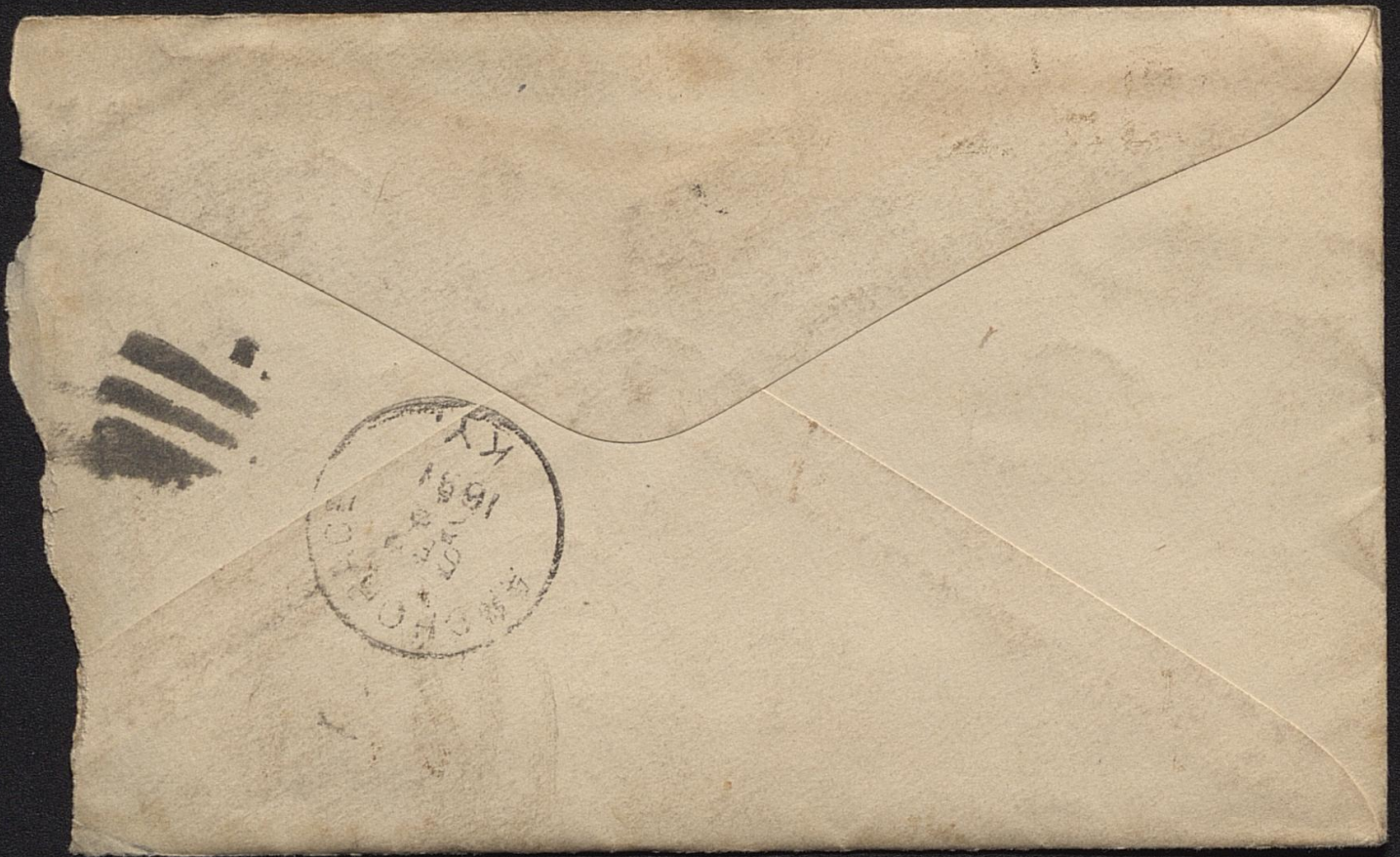
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GRAND HAVEN, Mich.,
If not delivered within 5 days.

Sept 25, 1891



*Rev. E. W. Bedinger
Anchora
Ky*



NEW YORK
1891
OCT 20

Summit Oct 5th 1891

Received of Rev. Dr. E. W. Bedinger
\$50⁰⁰, last installment and payment
in full of \$200⁰⁰ for mission work
during the Synodical year ending
Oct 1/11-1891.

H. G. Lars.

300
7.05

292.95

Dr. W. Bedinger & Co.

Thomas L. Barret, Prest.
James Trabue, Vice Prest.
F. O. Anderson, Cashier.

Bank of

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Dear Sir

Your favor

enclosure.

I have this day remitted

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT.



The Lancashire Insurance Company,
OF MANCHESTER ENGLAND.

7, 9 & 11 WEST THIRD STREET.
P. O. BOX 749,
CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Agency at Kou July 9 1891

Rep Edw Bedinger Treas
City

Dear Doctor

I succeeded
in getting the note dis-
counted & you will find
to your credit at Bank
of Kentucky \$292⁹⁶ & subject
to your check.

I have said that this note
would certainly be paid at
maturity by you if not by
Col. Young.

Yours very truly
John J. Barrett.

John d. Barrett July 2. 91
of note for \$300. from Bank of N.Y.
Due Nov 9-18.

Recd E W Pedding D. N. Y.

Spottsville Henderson Co Ky
Oct the 4th 1891

To the Committee of the
Synod of Kentucky to be
held at Greenville Ky,
Oct the 7th 1891

Dear Brethren

I Received
you letter of the 15th of
September notifying me of
the meeting of our Synods
meeting on the 7th of this
month. We have no Pastor
and have had but little Pre
achin at Ridgewood this
summer Our Church is in
a destitute condition at the
Present time. We have a good
Sabbath school Regularly
attended by the Teachers and
Children. I used every
Means and Effort I could

Redeemed

to get a meeting of our Elders and try and get them to make arrangements to send delegates to our Synod and try to make some arrangements to get a Parster for our Church the coming year.

I could get none of our Elders to act with me in this matter, how can we look for help from our Synod when there is no effort made on the part of the Session of our Church. I am now 81 years old and entirely without means to support myself and have to depend on my children for a support.

had I the means to pay my expenses to Greenville I would have been with you at this Synod. Churches that

are not willing to aid them selves ought not to expect others to help them.

I put off writing this letter to the present time, hoping to be able to get some of our Elders to go to Greenville who were able to go and represent Bridgewood at the present Synod. we have Elders in our Church who are able to spare the little means it would have cost them to go to our Synod, but it looks like they were too close fisted with the mighty dollar to spare a few of them for the service of the Lord.

May God bless you all in your work at Greenville is the Prayr of your Brother and Ruling Elder. W. A. Exster

Sharpsburg, Ky.

Oct Nov. 6, 1891

Rev. E. W. Bedinger,
Anchorage, Ky.

Dear Friend:-

Enclosed find
\$1.00, which please appropriate
to the cause of furthering the
Gospel.

Respectfully,

Elmer J. Hill

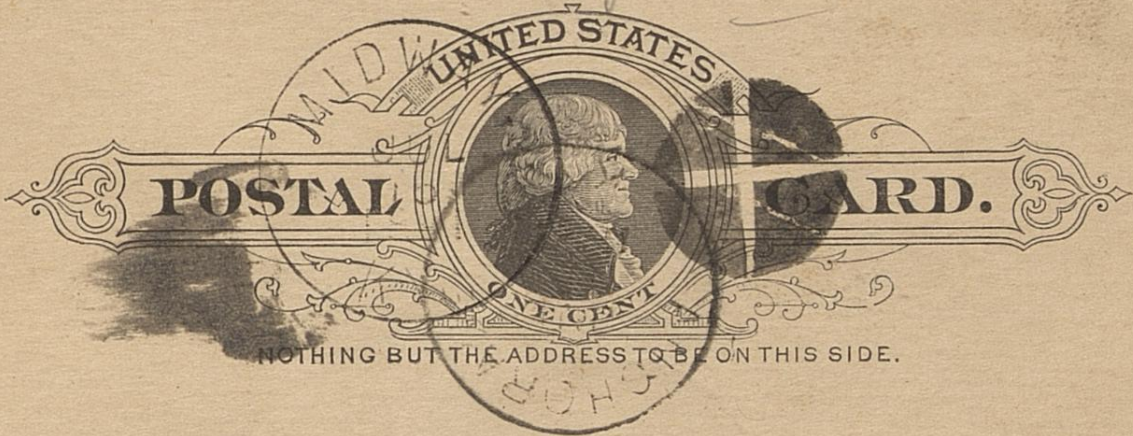
Salvisa 11 - 26 - 91
Rev E. W. Bedinger Chairman

Dear Sir & Bro

I enclose you
check for \$26⁷⁵ contribution from
the Salvisa church to the Synods
Evangelistic work - The collection is
not as large as it was last year
It may be increased some yet as a
great many of the members have not
contributed yet - It is reduced some
on account of some of our best-paying
members subscribing very liberally
to the Seminary fund of Central
University - Hope we will be able to
do more later on -

Yours truly M. B. McAfee

July 15, 1891



Rev E. W. Bedinger D.D.
Anchorage,
Ky.

Midway Ky. 7-18-91

Dear Bro. Bedinger:

Your letter
received. I have built
three churches in ^{Ky} ~~the~~ ~~state~~
& never dedicated with
a debt on one of them
nor received any
money from your
committee nor have
from the Atlanta
team. I purpose to
have the money first-
build churches cheap
only to cover amount of
money in hand. I
will not go up to St
Helens until the last-
of next week. Write me
what day you can meet
me. ^{Can meet}
Thurs. I. E. Triplett

Letterhead

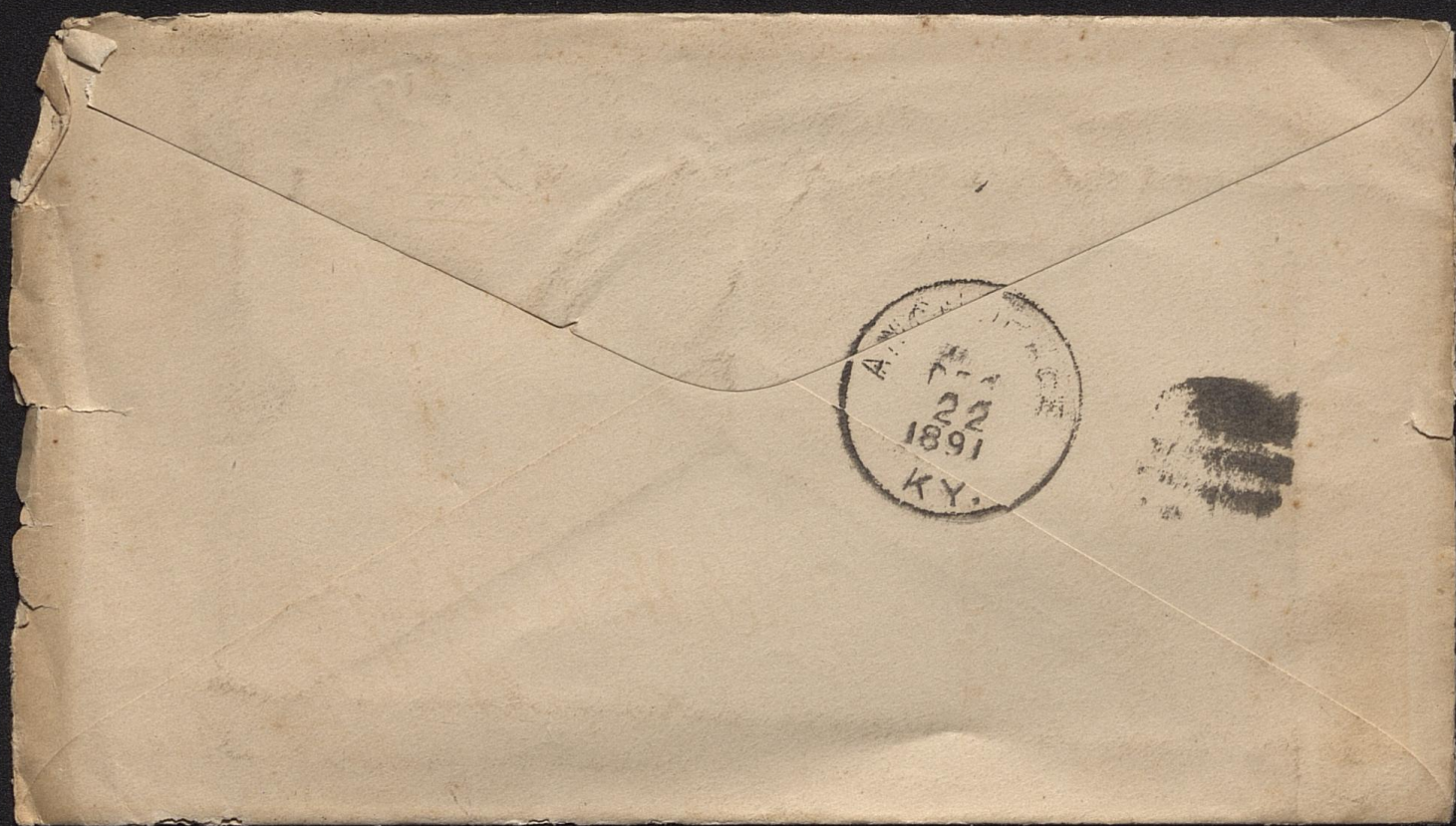
Return if not called for in 10 days, to

FORD & Co.,
PARIS, KENTUCKY.



Paris \$75.
Receipt sent.

Rev. E. W. Redinger
Anchorage
Ky



MAY
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Medway Oct 4th 91

Rev E W Bedinger

Dear Sir

I rec your letter & pamphlets some two weeks ago, & in the hope of getting some others, (to whom I showed your letter & etc,) to join me in sending you aid for the cause, I have delayed ans your letter, In this I have failed. But for this noble cause, The Synods Evangelistic Work in Ky. Enclosed find check for \$10.00 (I wish it was more) But just now I am short of available funds for my many demands.

May the Lord bless this noble work & you its humble servant is my prayer.

Very Res Yours

Mrs W A Moore

Oct. 4, '91



Mrs W. A. Moore \$10

Oct 5:

Ack " 26

Rev E W Bedinger,
Anchorage,
Ky.



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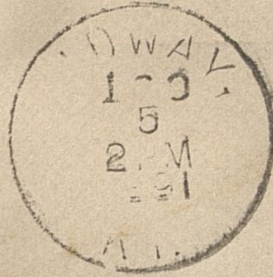
Midway Tex.
Oct 5th

Mr Bedinger

Will please
receive the enclosed check
to be used as you think
best in Evangelistic and
work in the mountains.
Truly yours.

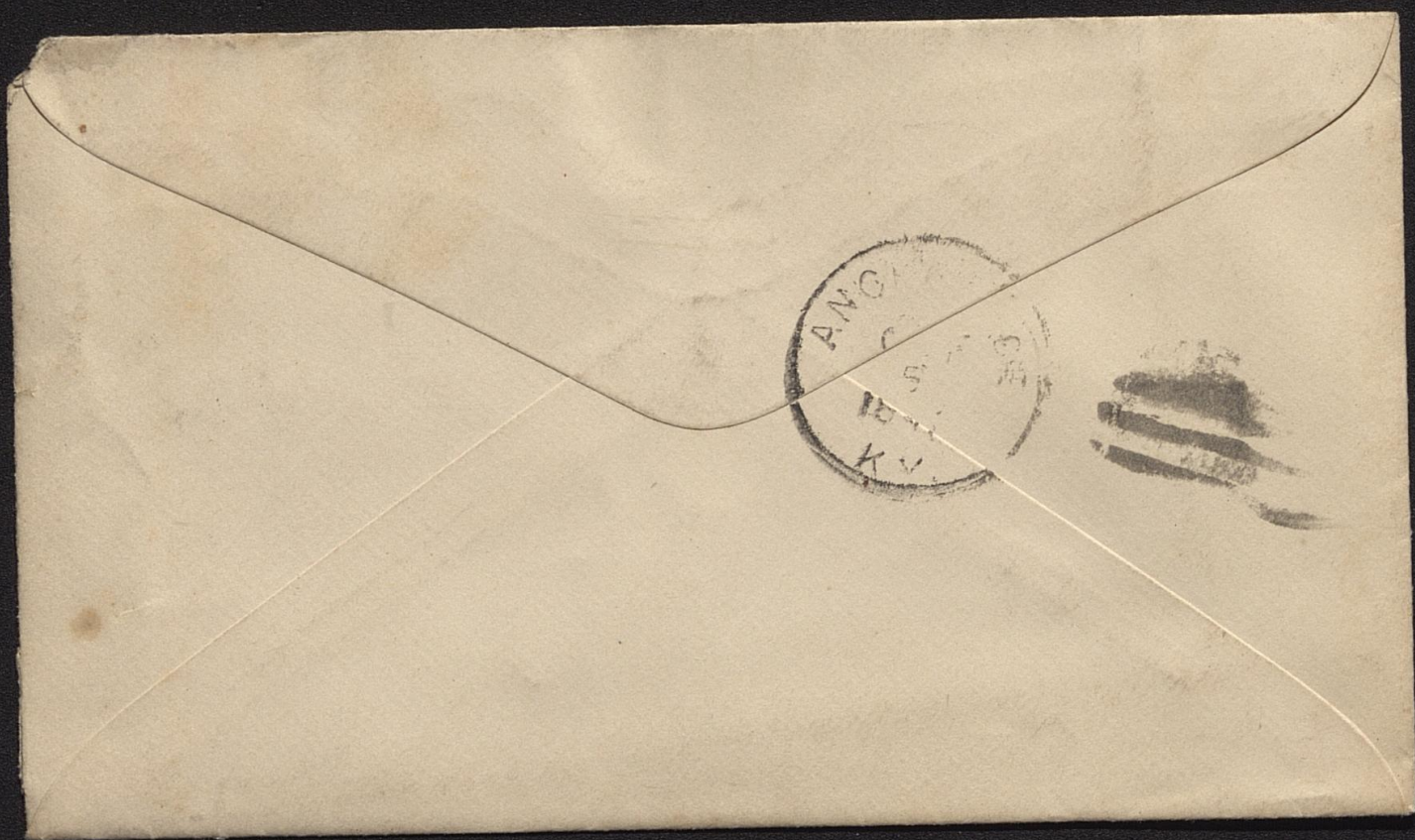
Wm. C. Beckwith

Oct 5, 1891



Mrs. Mary C. Breckinridge
\$40. Oct 5: '91
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E. W. Bedinger
Ch + Treasurer
Anchorage Kentucky



Normal Ky

Nov. 25 1891

Rev. E. W. Bradner

Wichita Ky

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find
OK for twelve dollars the
contribution of the Normal
Church to the Evangelistic
Fund -

Give our kindest regards to
each member of your family
and believe me yours
very sincerely -
E. H. Cartwell

Normal ch. - \$12.
sent Dec 2.
Receipt dated Nov 26. 91

Normal, Ky.



Rev. E. H. Bedinger,
Anchorage,



K.Y.
1891
NEW YORK

New Haven Ky July

24 1891

Rev E W Bedenger

Dear Sir

I feel that I am about
to broack a very great
matter we are in a church
trouble. we have not been
satisfied with our preacher
or Porter. for three years
but not knowing just how
or what trouble it might
cause I have delayed making
an effort to inform Pres-
bytery of our dissatisfaction.
Mr McLaughlin is not
doing - his duty as a Pastor.
he has got to Preaching
against insurrection &
Thinking so much about it
it seems to insure him

& his mind is so full
of hard feelings towards
invasionists it has injured
him with his Church
he treats his New Haven
members with perpetual
contempt I cant say
any thing about his other
two churches how they
feel about it is leaving
I am only speaking of the
New Haven People I know
we certainly do need a
change there has been a
trouble in the Church
here for some time & it
gets no better.

if there is not a change
soon we will have to
quit we get the cold
shoulder on ever occasion

if you
decide to
come out
you will
find my
doors open
& ready to
receive
you

Now I know it is the
Elders place to attend
to this matter but I am
sorry to say they take no
interest in Church work
they pay the preacher & that
is all. & I have thought
for some time I would
give up the church & do
nothing but I have a large
family & mostly boys
& they would be useful in
the church if they had
some one to spur them out
for the 2 oldest are members
of the church Do I have
decided to make one effort
before I give up.

if you think best come out
& visit the Church & see
for your self the condition
of the community & Church

I would be glad to not
have my name called if
it can be avoided for he
does not like me any to
well & if he knew of this
he would be worse than
ever. I have written to you
a very plain letter for I
want you to know why
this change is wanted I have
talked to the Organist She
& I are all of the lady members
that attend his services regularly
& she is just like me ready
to quit. He never has
more than 5 or 6 members
& about that many outsiders
to here him. He has completely
killed himself here you may
think we are not on friendly
terms we are but we see plainly
where we will land if there is
not something done yours truly
Mrs J. E. Heizer

Ans'd. July 27. '91



Rev E. W. Reden ger
Anchorage Ky

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Washington, Ky.

Nov. 5th '91.

Dear Dr. Bedinger:

I have mentioned to some of the officers the possibility of this field's doing without aid from the Comtee & asked them if we couldn't manage without it. Those that I have seen did not seem to think that the Churches'd do any more than they are now doing. The matter stands as I wrote you before. There have been additions to all the Chh., but not such as to strengthen them financially. I think the Churches ought to be self-supporting & I will try to work them up to thinking so, but it will take some time yet to do that. I will bring the matter fully before them when I return from Ark. We want to start to Ark. next Tuesday & I. v. to be gone a month or 6 weeks. I go to visit my father - possibly for the last time as he is a cripple from paralysis.

Couldn't you come over and preach to the
Springdale people during my absence?
Our days here are the 2nd & 4th Sundays,
morning & night. A morning service would
answer excellently if you couldn't preach
at night. I hope very much you can come,
you could see to the Church's contributing
to the Synod's Evangl. Fund. I am sorry
to be away this month, but it couldn't
well be helped. I do hope you can
preach to the people during my absence.
Write to Mr. W. W. Young, Washington, D.C.,
about it. Our next preaching day after
next Sunday will be the 4th Sunday.
I was at Goshen yesterday & had the dea-
con to distribute thro' the mail the cir-
cular letters & envelopes; I gave him some
of the pledges to use if he could - I
will distribute the other circular let-
ters or among the H's C. & Springdale
people before I leave -

Yrs fraternally,

E. H. Amis -

Fredonia Ky

Nov 19th 1891

Rev E W Redinger
Anchorage.

Dear Sir ^{and Mrs} Ky

you will
please find Enclosed one
dollar, handed me to day, by
Mrs W. L. McWoodwin, for
the Evangelistic Cause,

Traternally yours
L. N. Boyd

Fredonia Ky

Nov 18th 1891

Rev E. H. Redinger
Anchorage
Ky

Dear Sir ^{Ed Wm.}

you will please
find Enclosed One dollar,
my contribution to Evangelistic
cause,

I distributed the Envelopes you
sent me among the Brethren
but none have responded as yet;
I am sorry but cant help it.
There is but few of us here, but
it seems to me that each one

could have given a little and
never missed it

yours Fraternally
W. A. Boyd

Receipt ack.



Rev. E. W. Redinger
Anchorage
Kentucky



NEW YORK
1891
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Three horizontal lines indicating a cancellation mark.

Bowling Green, Ky.
Oct. 8th 1891

Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D. D.

My dear Doctor:

I had hoped to possibly go to Synod to-day, but my wife has been confined to her bed for a week past & it is not possible for me to leave her. I write to say that on last Sabbath I took an additional collection for Syn. Exp. worth of \$80.⁰⁰/₁₀₀. My usual custom has been to complete the collection by personal work, but I have been prevented by this sickness from doing so this year, coupled with the fact that I have previously been away from home. This \$80. plus \$50. paid you last week & \$110 paid previously really makes ^{about} \$250. raised by my church tho' I had not expected to count in that way. My special object in writing now is to let you know that you can expect at least an additional \$80.⁰⁰ from my church

I would like it to be so reported in the
annual report. I have presented no personal
account of expenses for travel &c.

Will you please present my excuse
for absence to the Moderator? Hoping the
meeting of Synod is proving a pleasant &
profitable one I am,

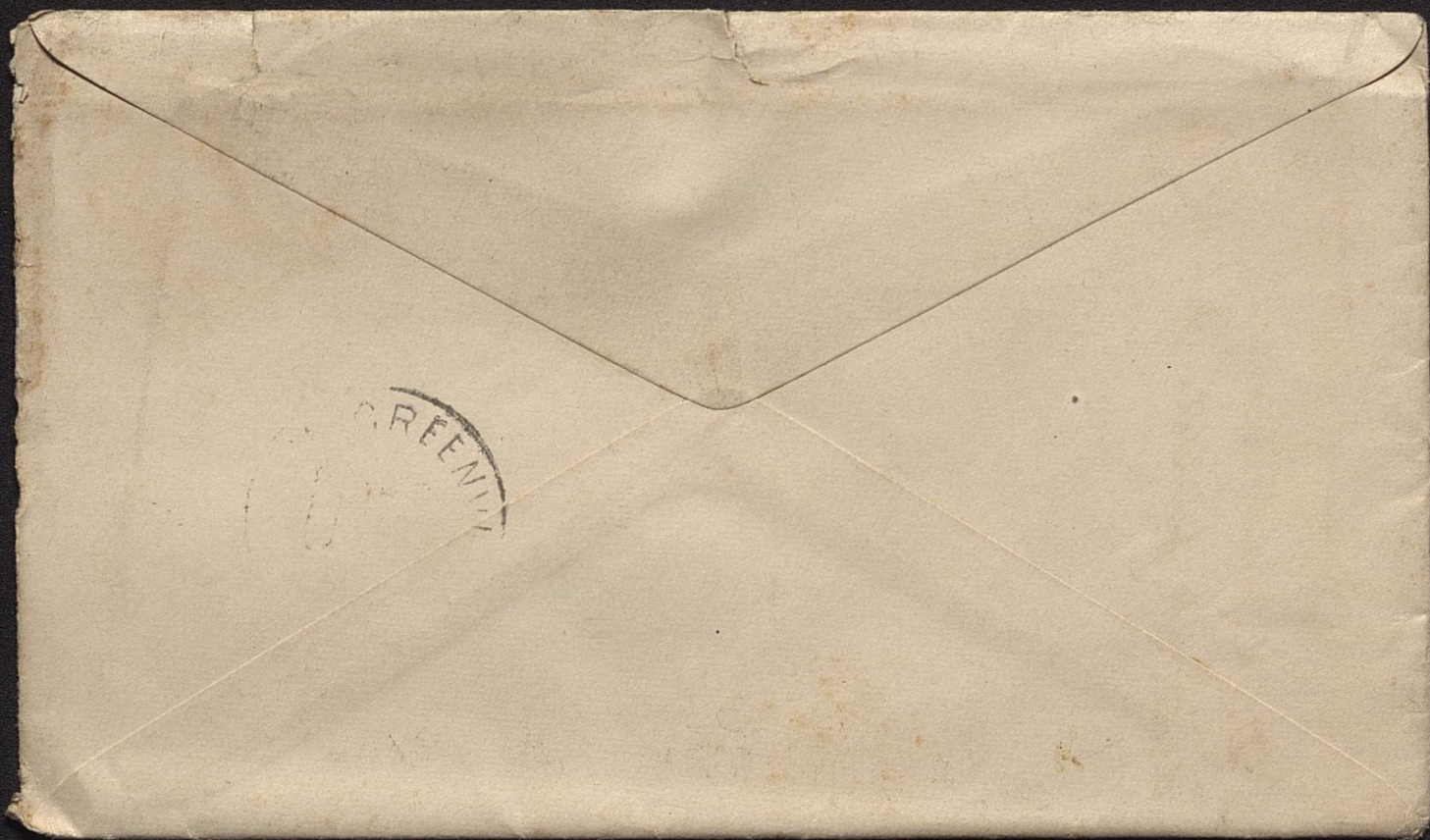
Very sincerely yours

J. L. Caldwell.

Rev. J. Z. Caldwell D.D.
Ans'd Oct 12. 91

Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D.D.
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Presbyterian Synod,
Greenville,
Ky.





Sunday, your
for has come over
to our house to day
in evening

Warens Co,
Oct 13, 1891.

Mr. J. C. Stewart,
Croomington, D.C.

My Dear Cog:

In compliance with the postal received from you, some days previous, I write, but the news I presume, Of course I am aware of the fact, that unless you have changed severely, it is of now value to unless the "news" is all concerning the fair woman,

And I will pro-

need to enlighten you concerning them as speedily as possible.

The last time I saw your "best girl", she spoke ⁱⁿ the highest terms of "our boy" - enough to Curtis's well, and he also expresses a desire to learn that you are ever more than that, viz. very well.

I was out tonight to hear the new M.E. Minister preach, he is a very good preacher, the only fault that I could find to him, was that he was "one eyed" in his views.

How about a "run-in somewhere" - along about Xmas? I think I would one of the grandest successes outside of the World's Fair, lets have your ideas and plans, for you are President, and V. President, and I am Secretary and Treasurer.

Tell I haven't heard a word from you since you went out there only on that postal and I almost wished such things hadn't have been invented when I got that one.

The Observer gives you the General news so I must confine my-

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(sepl) to personal matters,
Boon the Reunion

Chas. W^m, Enoch, and
James, have been
O'possum hunting
several times this
fall so they inform
me,

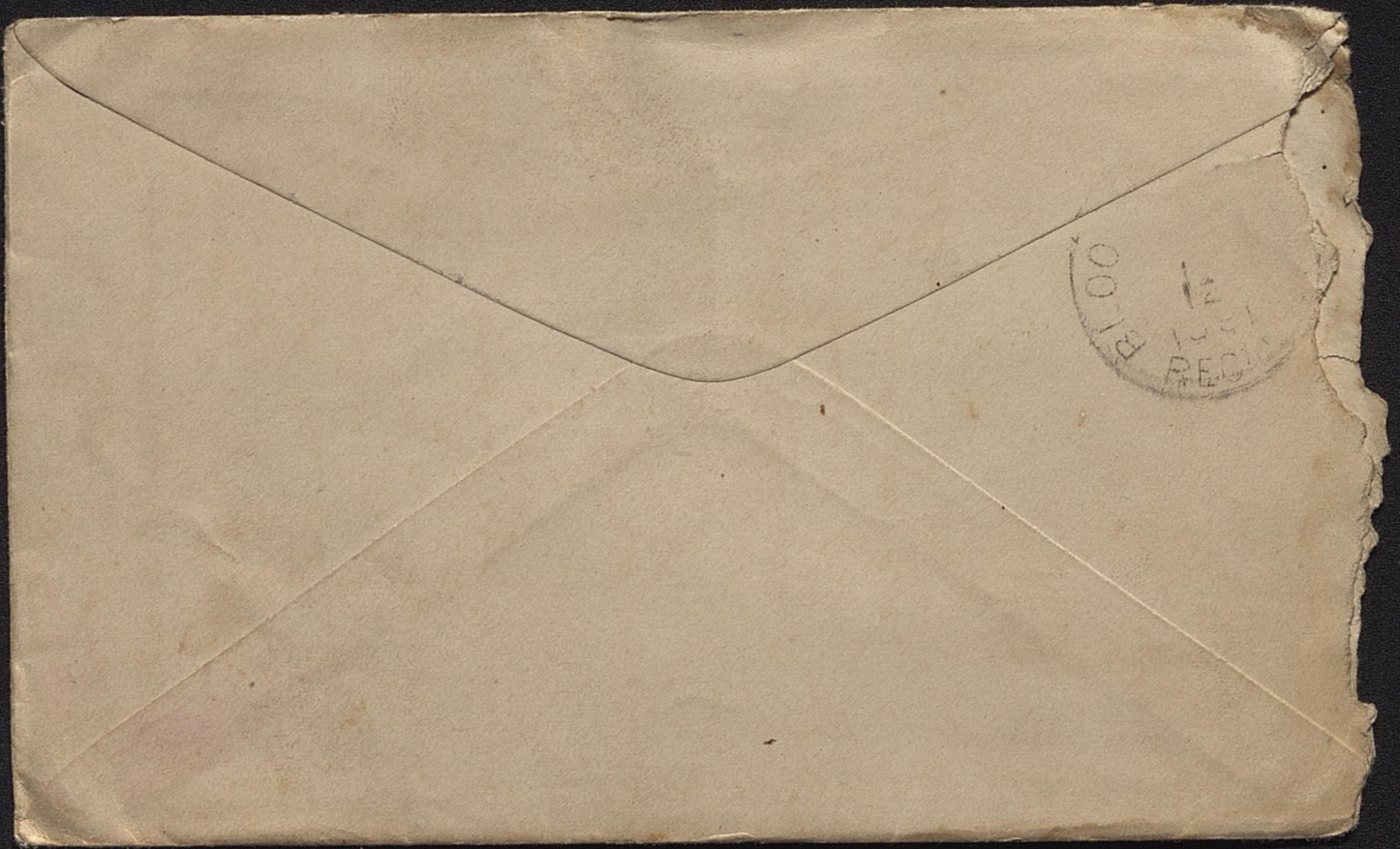
Well be sure and
write to me, soon and
then we'll be more
able to give you a better
answer, As it is about
4 o'clock and I have
written two hours steady,
on this, and other letters
I will be compelled to
close, half done.

Respectfully,

Curtis, Sec.



J. C. Stewart,
Bloomington,
Ind.



BLOOMING
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\$15-00 $\frac{+}{100}$

Jackson, Ky

Aug-11th 1891

Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D. D.

Treas, Synods Evang. Com.

Anderson, Ky.

Please pay to order of

Prof. M. C. Marion

for money this day advanced \$-

Fifty Dollars, and charge

the same to me on acct.

with Synod's Committee -

this being my receipt therefor.

A. P. Gregory

attention. My Sunday schools require me to be present every meeting most. So very hard to get efficient teachers and officers. work can only be accomplished by patient earnest work. We hope to have a protracted meeting at "Iroquois Mission" - May begin soon if I can get bro. Triplett who is now, I presume at St. Archaus.

I was very glad indeed to get the check, for was in need - Please send this months salary as soon as you can, for I wish to pay it principally on notes which will soon be due. I was greatly behind when my college course was finished, but hope to get nearly out this summer. The R.R. will soon be to Jackson.

June 20-91.

Recd. of Dr. E. W. Padinger \$50.00 fifty dollars
in part payment of salary for evangelistic work -

Andrew R. Gregory.

Waynesville N.C.

Sep. 24th 91

Rev. E. P. Meekle, D.D. -

Dear Bro -

I read your article in The Christian Observer in reference to Evangelistic work in Ky with great interest. And this is to ask you some questions in regard to the field mentioned in your article 1st What are the names and what the population of those two Mountain Counties which have no church buildings of any denomination?

2^d Could any arrangement be made by which a modest salary could be secured for an Evangelist who would accept work in that field. I am not seeking a field for only a month ago I entered the Evangelistic work of the Synod of N.C.

Confidential subject

Called N. C. & account him of a

and other positions await me
whenever I see my way clear to ac-
cept. Only yesterday I was offered
a Pastorate at a salary of \$1200-
But I must confess that your
article has aroused in me such
interest in your field that I will
not be able to dismiss the subject
until I make further inquiries.
Also let me know how far these
two Counties are from Paul Road.
I will be obliged to you for any
additional information you may
see fit to give, you certainly have
a great advantage in not being
crowd^d and overshadowed by other
denominations who are jealous and
bigoted. I will esteem it a favor
to hear from you. I know Dr. Luerant
and would be pleased to know you. Wm. E. McSwain

Houstonville, Ky., Oct. 2, 1891.

Dr. Bedinger,

Dear Bro.:

Your letter asking report came while I was away. My field is so large here that in doing pastoral work I have to sometimes remain away from home several days at a time.

I hope you will weigh our request for a meeting at McKinney carefully. I believe Mr. Hopper could help us better than anyone else as he is acquainted with the field. I find it difficult to get any of our preachers to help in a meeting and none of them know much about our field here. I wish you could find opportunity to visit us and come into closer touch with us. I believe we are doing all we can to help ourselves and therefore merit necessary assistance.

I address you this at Synod. If it comes too late to be incorporated into your report, if you make one, it will at least give you an idea of things here.

Very truly,
W. W. Bruce

Burdick & G. - Janth 26 / 891.

Rev. E. L. Bedinger.

Anchorage Aug.

Dear sir. In answer to the request of the Synod:
the following is my report of the quarter of 1890 ending
Decth 31. In the first place I feel like that God has been with
us during the quarter, there have been 12 that have professed
faith in Christ, & cast their lot in with us - that is in
our church. I also baptised five children.

The church seems to be in a prospering condition, & the
Elders say that it is in a more prospering condition than it
ever has been.

In the second place, I preach twice a month the second &
fourth Sundays & I use the other portion of my time in
the sabbath school. We have a flourishing sabbath. Will
average from 45 to 50 pupils.

My object is to build up Christ's Kingdom here on earth.
I am yours for Christ.

Respectfully
S. J. Green.

Report S. J. Soen
Dec '90

E. W. Bedinger
Anchorage
Ky-

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LAWRENCEBURG, KY.

Nov. 23rd 91.

Rev. C. W. Bedinger;

My dear Bro.:— You will remember my promising you \$10⁰⁰ for our mission ch. at Paducah; I don't remember to have ever prayed you this writ, so send check for same.

I am at work on my Evangelistic Collection from our churches, hope to send on writ soon.

With best wishes for the success of the cause— I am

Yours fraternally

W. W. Davis

Houstonville, Ky.,
Dec. 15, 1891.

C. W. Bedinger, D. D.,
Dear Sir & Bro.:

We closed our meeting at McKinney Sunday night. Bro. Hopper left Monday to be with Dr. Rutherford Monday night. If I could have ^{had} Bro. H. a few days longer we could have accomplished ^{I feel assured} much more. As it was, we had the best meeting that McKinney has ever had and now there is hope for us there.

Twenty-one additions to our ch.
Others to the Baptist ch.

I send by this mail a check for \$17 $\frac{26}{100}$ to Dr. Green, our Presbyterial Treasurer, - our offering from Mc-
Kinney ch.

The Hanging Fork ch. will pay its assessment during the year. I will be personally responsible for it.

Bro. Hopper did us a world of good at McKinney and I believe as much or

more could be accomplished here at
Hustonsville if I could have him assist
me some time after the holidays or in
the spring. I hope you may bear this
request in mind, since I have not
been able to get any help from the
brethren even for communion save in
the case of Dr. Glass, and I assisted him
both at Pisgah & Kings Mt. He complains
of the same thing. So that if you can
not help me then I don't know where I
can have a revival. I try to get the
people that become at all interested to
come into the ch. just at that time,
but it seems to be a failing of human
nature to wait for special services.

I know you will do the best you can
for all the many calls that come to you
for help, and I submit mine in the
full confidence that you will help
us if you can.

Fraternally yours,

W. W. Bruce.

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to
Box 3, Hustonville, Ky.

Dec. 15, 1891



Rev. C. W. Bedinger, D. D.,
Anchorage,
Kentucky.

ANCHOR
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Call Box 143
Fulton Ky.
Nov. 23rd/91.

Rev. C. W. Bedinger, D. D.
Anchorage Ky.
Dear Bro.

I don't want
to trespass upon your
valuable time but I wish
to state a fact & ask
a question or two.

We are badly in need
of some money. We start-
ed the children to school
under the impression
that the amt. allowed
us by the Com. would
be paid monthly & also

made arrangements with the grocery-men under the same impression. The acct. for two months have come in from all quarters ^{part of} we have been very much mortified in not being able to meet the demands made upon us.

Bro. Spence (who is at Clinton carrying on a muting) says you are in the habit of paying quarterly. I write to ask if it is possible for us to get the 2 mos (Oct. & Nov) right away? We can wait until Jan. for the Dec. installment.

We exhausted our exchequer moving out here. I think Bro. Hill said you handed him five (\$5) dollars at Synod which is to be deducted from the Oct. salary.

Please let me know at yr. earliest convenience about the money, it will add greatly to our comfort to get it, we need fuel &c. May the Lord bless you in yr. work. Will you unite with us in the prayer that a great out-pouring of the Spirit may descend upon Clinton.

Sincerely Yrs.
(Bro.) W. E. Hill

Mrs W E Hill Fulton

Made Nov 26. 91

Nov 23, 1891

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Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D.
Anchorage,
Ky.

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At a meeting of the Session of the Second
Presbyterian Church of Henderson, held July
22, 1891 the following action was taken, namely
"It was resolved that the Chairmen
"of Synodal Evangelistic Committee be notified
"by the Clerk of this Session that hereafter this
"Session will not consider it their duty under
"all the circumstances to ask the Church to
"contribute exceeding \$50⁰⁰ per year to the work
"of the evangelistic committee."

A true copy -

Attest -

Malcolm Gammson

Clerk of Session -

Rev E. W. Bedinger D. D.

Anchorage Ak -

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Henderson, Ky. Oct. 16 1894

Rev. E. W. Pedinger
Anchorage Ky.

Dear Sir; I am in ret. of yours

of 14th advising me of my re-appointment by
Synod as a member of its Evangelistic Com. and
of the meeting on next Monday in Louisville

I write at once, fearing that I will be unable
to attend, that you may know my failure to
be on hand is not from any want of interest
in this important work, but arises from circum-
stances beyond my control. If possible for me
to control events I will be on hand, but from
present indications I fear the Comte will have
to get on without me. Assuring you of my
hearty Cooperation in whatever the Comte may
determine on I remain

Yours Truly
Jas. R. Barret

Return to JNO. H. BARRET & CO.,
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Oct 16, 1891



*Per d. E. W. Pedington
Amherst
Ky.*



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Henderson Ky. 12-26-91

Mr E. W. Bedinger.

Sir.

Your Circular
of Sept. was duly rec'd, - but at
that time I had no money
to spare, As I should have
sent one dollar then, I send
two dollars now - wishing
very much that I was able
to send more, and asking
the dear Lord to multiply
the sum sent - so that it
may accomplish something
for Him. May God's richest
blessing attend the Evangelistic
work in Ky - is my earnest prayer

Very Resp.

Mrs B. P. Cissell.

Receipt acknowledged
Dec 29. 91

Henderson

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Hustonsville, Ky.,
Oct. 2, 1891.

Rev. C. W. Bedinger, Chmn Synod's Com.
Evangelization in Kentucky.

Dear Bro.:

I submit respectfully the following report on the condition of this field to the Com.:

This has been a notable year in the history of Hanging Fork ch., not in way of additions to the membership of the ch., but in increased zeal and earnestness in the Master's work manifested by the members.

Last May I gave up my work at Perryville, and with consent of Presbytery gave all of my time to this ch. and the ch. at McKimney. Since that time I have been preaching every Sunday morning here and in the afternoon at McKimney.

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I have made arrangements to have two other preaching points in county at school-houses.

We had four additions to the ch. here and one at McKinney this year.

We have a good S. School here also at McKinney carried on thro' whole year.

In addition the ch. here has had interest in a school property consisting of a large brick building somewhat out of repair and comfortable grounds. Over this property Centin College has proposed to hold a claim. We have had Centin College authorities to sign a quit claim deed giving the property wholly into our hands. We propose to run a school under the auspices of the ch. here ^{with pastor as Principal.} We have had great encouragement in this project, the importance of which can scarcely be felt by one not acquainted with the field personally.

We are here on the border of Pres-

(3)

byterianism and our children have been educated by Reformers & Baptists for years but now we hope for change.

We desire the Committee's help in assisting us to maintain a pastor in the field; in allowing us the help of one of their evangelists - in a meeting at McKinney as soon as possible after Synod. Dr. Gersaint is under promise to spend a week with us there but he will only stay a week and one week is not sufficient for the needs of the place. We would like to have Mr. Hopper assist us there two weeks at least. McKinney is one of the weakest churches in the state & for reasons too numerous to be mentioned here, now is the time of an open door at McKinney.

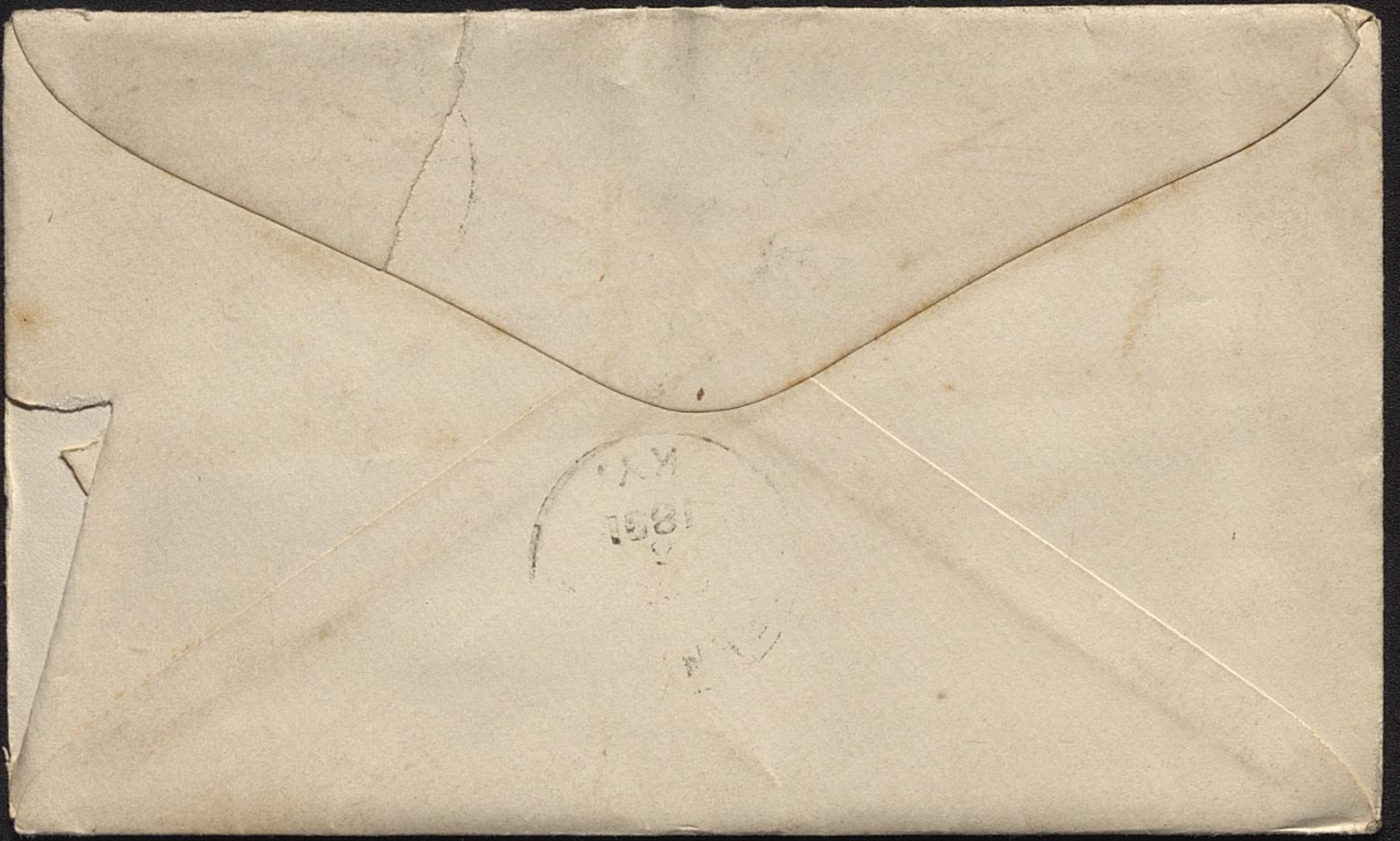
Very respectfully,
W. W. Bruce &
S. S.

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to

Box 3, Hustonville, Ky.



Rev. C. W. Bedinger, D. D.,
Hustonville,
Kentucky.



Glasgow, Ky.

Dec. 6. 1891

Rev. E. W. Bedinger

Anchorage, Ky.

Dear Dr. Bedinger,

I hope you haven't forgotten me... as I am the one to whom you came to ask about the little girl that we have been so anxious to get in the home at Anchorage.

Will you please be patient with me, and excuse me for my recurring impatience, for I can not wait any longer.

Oh I have wanted so much to hear from you. That I might know whether or not our little girl would have a home as promised you. My Pastor understood you to say that you would take her in your home until she could get into the other home, that

you would have her stay with you ^{and}
go to school. ^{and} when I heard it I said
in my heart. God bless you. Oh
De. how I wish I could impress you
as to how I feel in regard to this
Child. I have no earthly interest in
her. only for her good. ^{and} the love I
have for my Master. Oh may God
put it in your kind heart to
help me in this work. She has never
learned to belong to the family to
which she is connected. a lone matter
whether or another. her Mother gave
her to the Church. If you should
take her in your home. I know you
will never have cause to regret it.
^{and} when the time comes for you to
put her in the home I do not believe
you would give her up. She is
a good Christian Child. ^{and} willing
to do ^{and} be governed by those whom
she trusts ^{and} we are working for her good.

Oh that I could say something, that
would cause your heart to be interested
and say you will help us in this.
one thing. as I said to you I would
go on my knees to you on any
and by my pleading I could get
her in the the church or home and
School. I have to run quite in
you not to think but what you
will put forth every effort to get her
there. When you came to see me I
had been sick and not able to leave my
room for some time. but the thought
of your coming to see after this
child did me so much good. and
the impression of your kind face
and goodness of heart left on me
that it burned when you left
I felt almost well.

Please pardon me if I insist
to much. but Oh I can not help
if you can not know how much

in consist I am. would that
I could say something that would
do good. but I can only leave
it all in Gods hands. as I am
willing to do. for I love to trust
Him. and may the more of
heart in this matter. is my
prayer.

With pleas be so kind as
to write either to me or any
other member of the church. and
let me know whether this child
can or can not come to Chackoree
I think if you should write for
her to come. I think it would send
through my heart such a glad thank-
-giving. that you would be
rewarded in Heaven for that.

Hoping to hear from you soon
I am very Resp. Mrs. Elsie Williams
Glasgow, Ky.

Mrs. Alice Williams
Ansd Dec 29th 91
about Ethel Grigsby

Glasgow



Rev. E. W. Bedinger
Anchorage
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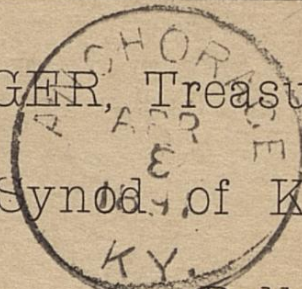
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Rev. E. W. BEDINGER,

Anchorage,

Ky.

RECEIVED from E. W. BEDINGER, Treasurer
of the Evangelistic Fund of the Synod of Ken-
tucky One Hundred Dollars.



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Amount of appropriation for the
quarter ending March 31 - 1891
April 2nd 1891
J. C. Johnson



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Rev. E. W. BEDINGER,

Anchorage,

Ky.



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RECEIVED from E. W. BEDINGER, Treasurer
of the Evangelistic Fund of the Synod of Ken-
tucky *Twenty Five* — x Dollars.
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Amount of appropriation for *the*
quarter ending *March 31st 1891*
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E. H. Amis.



Louisville, Ky, June 9th 1891 189

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Rev. E. W. Redinger,

Anchorage, Ky -

Rev^d Sir and Bro.;

I have no very good news of my congregation to report - Two members have died - They had, each long been invalids - two old ladies - One member, a lady who though living in the city was unknown to any of our people, turned up back for dismissal to a sister Church - These members had not in any recent time been active in Christian work outside the limits of their own homes - On the other hand we have received three members in the last two weeks - One of them I hope will prove an efficient and useful man in the Church - He is a successful man in business about 23 years old - One of the other two is a young girl who also gives promises of a limited efficiency as a worker - The third is a good old lady - by letter -

The attendance is steadier at Church - And the members are improving in the discharge of their most obvious duties

The Sunday ^{School} is increasing in num-
ber, and, I hope, in efficiency -

We have special services in our Church
this week - Considering the weather, the attend-
ance has been good - Some interest has been
manifested - Would it were greater!

Yours in Christ
J. C. Johnson

Report of Rev. J. C. Johnson
March 91

Rev. E. W. Bedinger,
Anchorage,
Ky.



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Sept 30 '91

Rev E. W. Bedinger

Dear F Rev Sir:

Enclosed

find check for
21.36 the balance
of collection for Synod
Evangelistic fund.

Respectfully

C M Hanna Tr
Mulberry Church -

Christmy Seed
Och 19, 1891

Rev. W. E. Bedinger D.D.

Dear Bro:

we
are in great need
of two protracted
meetings over here
this Fall - one at
Christmy + one at
Midway.

The Methodists
are going to hold a
meetings to begin
5 weeks from date
I would like very
much if we could
get ahead of them

and began a meeting
in a few days.

Now, my dear Dr.,
do you think you
could "come over and
keep us" by preach-
ing a series of ser-
mons? Mrs Abbott
says you promised
to hold a continued
meeting for us some
time; and "now is
the accepted time"

Please write me
shortly that you are
coming.

If you do not
come (or some one
else) & that some one
starts in time to fin-
ish before the Meth-
odists - we will have
no chance at all

to hold a meeting
this year - for the
Methodists hold one
like grim death.

May God's blessing
rest upon you in
the work to which
you are so well
adapted & in which
you have been so
successful in the
past!

Shaw Presbyterial
Committee is very
slow about meeting
its obligations. I haven't
seen a cue from
them yet. I think they
ought to make some
effort to stir up
the people through
the Papers.

If you will prom-

is to come & preach
for 10 days. I will
preach a few ser-
mons & get the peo-
ple started to coming
to church.

If you can't come
yourself - can you
not send an Evangelist
ish? I put in my
application some
time ago, you rem-
ember.

Yours Truly,
Heiskell.

Ansd - Oct 21. 91

wrote Molly.

Rev. W. E. Bedinger,
Anchorage,
Ky.



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Carliste, Ky.,

Dec. 16 '91.

Dear Bro. Redinger:

Enclosed please find check for \$60 - which credit to Carliste Church on Evan. work. I will send you the balance as soon as possible. There is so much sickness prevailing that a number of our people were absent when the collection was taken.

I wish I knew something to suggest about the supply of a man to enter the field. But I cannot locate him.

Nor have I any suggestions in reference to the general work.

I believe its management meets
the approval of the Church and
it has certainly received the
blessing of God.

Wishing you great comfort
in your work and multiplied
tokens of approval, I remain, as
ever,

Yours, fraternally,
Henry M. Deane.

Dec 16, 1891

Carlier Ch. - \$60.
Receipt sent Dec. 17, '91



Rev. E. W. Bedinger, N. W.
Anchorage,
Ky.



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CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE BARREN CIRCUIT COURT

James B. Martin, Clerk.

Glasgow, Ky. Dec. 7th. 1891. 189

Dr. E. W. Bedinger;

Anchorage. Ky.

Dear Doctor.

In accordance to promise, I write you in regard to our church. We did not have the congregational meeting, but by a mutual agreement, as there was some opposition to Mr. Furger, ^{on} he has decided to give up this field, therefore the churches at Mundefordville and this place are now vacant. Hope they will not remain so long, and that you will aid us in getting us a minister, and put us in correspondence with some one. Could you not have some one hold a meeting for us during January? How would Mr. Railey of Bloomfield do? Suppose you write him. We raised on yesterday about \$15.00 to the Evangelistic fund, and am sure we can raise the amount assessed ^{us}, and what we have now on hand, we will send you very soon.

Let me hear from you soon.

I am yours very truly,

James B. Martin

Blomfield Ky.
Dec 22^d 1891.

Rev W. E. Bedinger D.D.

Anchorage Ky.

Dear Bro.

Yours of the 10th found me down with influenza, and I am not up and yet. I thank you most heartily for your kindly interest in my labors for the blessed Master and your sympathy with my earnest desire to be diligently doing His work, but you will pardon me for saying that it would not be in accord with my ideas of propriety for me under existing circumstances to write voluntarily to any regularly organized Church of of intelligent members & Elders, & say that I will visit them & preach for them, even tho I should say that I did so at your request. I am willing & do go regularly every month & without pay into destitute & some what heathen sections voluntarily & preach the gospel, but I cannot

at this time ~~being~~ volunteering my services
to an organized Church of intelligent
members & officers. I have however since
receiving your letter, received one from Bro
Martin of Glasgow asking me to come and
"hold a meeting" for them in Jan. I have
written him that if Providence did not order
otherwise I would go to Glasgow & preach for
him a few days & hold communion services on
the 3^d Feb. in Jan. As to the Mansfieldville
field no communication has passed between
us. I hope you & family are all well, and
that you may enjoy the richest & happiest
blessings of this ^{Christmas} season.

Yrs fraternally
F. G. Railey.

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Dr. E. W. Bedinger,

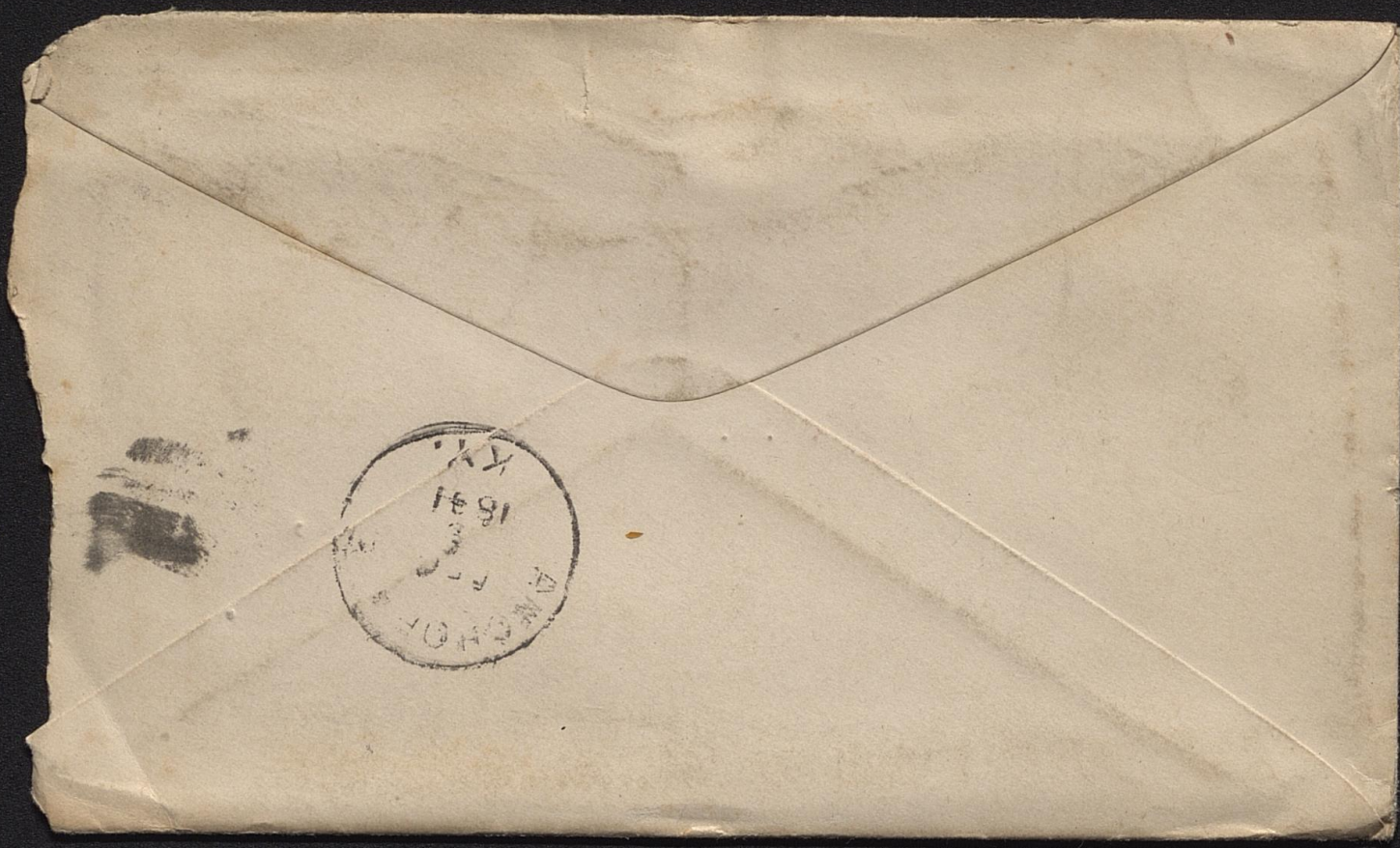
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Thanks

J. M. Holladay

B. Manager

Please return bill with your subscription

5/5/91

Catlettsburg

Anchorage, Af.
Dec. 19th, /91.

Dr. Bedinger,

Dear Friend,

Enclosed please find \$13.⁰⁰ for Synodical Evangelistic Work. \$10.⁰⁰ of this sum is my usual contribution; \$3.⁰⁰ is Mary's Contribution. Both are to be credited to the Catlettsburg Church.

With many sincere wishes for the prosperity of the work, and many also for your personal welfare and happiness I am

Truly Yours,

Emily C. Kibbe.

St Helens Lee Co. Ky.

July 10th / 1891

Dear Dr. Bedinger:

I came here to assist Bro Henry on the 4th, have preached twice a day with two exceptions - once three times and the other day it rained all day & we had no services. We will organize here on the 12th with 12 or 15 members. There is a deep interest prevailing the whole community. This is a very wicked place, 3 or 4 saloons & no church preaching not twice a year, until very recently. I have seen more drunken men here the few days that I have been here than in a year before. How sadly they need the Gospel! Some of the very

best people in this community
have signified their desire to unite
with us & form a church. I have
secured a good lot & over \$200 to-
ward building a church here
& think that I can raise \$300 or more.
We will need considerable help as the
gentleman who donated the lot & \$100; ob-
ligates us to build a church to cost not
less than \$800. But that is as little
as we could build a house here for.

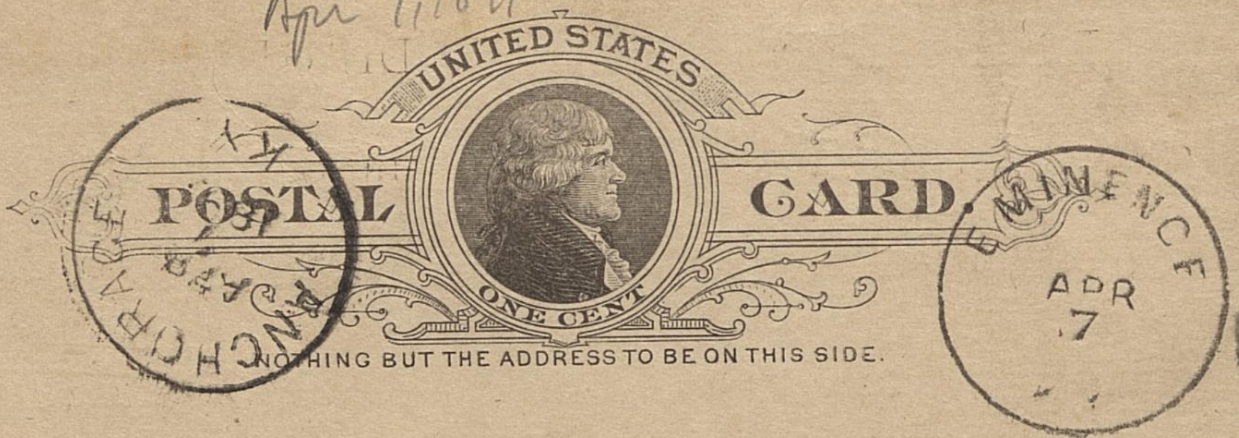
My plan is to spend a week or two
in canvassing a few of our churches
& raise \$800 or \$1000 to aid in building
the church at delay likely at this point.
I raised something over \$200 there from
a number of poor people. We had only 4
members left there when I began our
meeting there, we have nine now, & some
others will unite soon; if we have
a church building. Can you learn

-mitter help us any? I want to let both these buildings to contract before I start back to Ala. & the money will have to be raised or in sight before I can do this. Our prospects at this point & delay both are better than ever before & if we have a church building ^{at each place} we will have the advantage of all other denominations.

Please send me to delay both a letter authorizing me to collect funds for the building of these churches. My month will be up next week & I have about exhausted my funds, if you can send me a check for \$25 - I will be obliged to you. We will close here Sabbath night.

Yrs fraternally
J. E. Triplett

Apr 7, 1891



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Rev. E. W. BEDINGER,

Anchorage,

Ky.

RECEIVED from E. W. BEDINGER, Treasurer
of the Evangelistic Fund of the Synod of Ken-
tucky *Forty one and 66* Dollars.

100

Amount of appropriation for *two*

months ending *March 31 - 1891*

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J. Gordon

July 14, 1891



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Rev. E. W. Biddinger
Anchorage,
Ky.

Dear Dr B. ^{eminence by} 7-14-71

I was absent
when your letter
came and so did not
reply at once - We
would have remitted
sooner but wanted
to raise at least
\$140.00. We did so and
I suppose our check
sent you - the amt

I will try and
send you some
more one or two
this week. I
thank you for
the chk. for \$22.00
which I recd
Saturday eve
and will send
receipt - please accept this
one - Hoping that all will
respond to the call I am
Hastily yours
Geo. Gordon



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Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D.D.
Anchorage
Ky.

Rev. E. W. Beecher, D.D. Orange, N.Y. July 3 '91
Dear Sir & Bro:-
Your letter with check
for \$30.00 rec'd. If it is convenient
or possible, I would like to have
about \$25.00 soon. I ask in this
so as to be sure you will get it in
our early date. I know the month is
but half out, but it will really
convince me if convenient to you
Very Truly & Fraternaly
J. M. Tyler

to me there (and I shall
second or near market
staying where I can see
you will meet with prompt
attention, providing I can
see you any time Thursday
night or Friday night
or even Friday during
the day - or I shall be
pleased to see you
at my residence in Dayton

Very Truly Yours

C. E. Dutton

Wm. A. Bull
Chambersville
Thursday or Friday

Afterwards

at Monroe & Dayton St
Dayton Ky

Memorandum 12/9/91
Rev. W. Sedinger D.D.

Dear Sir & Brother

Your valued favor of
of the 18th ult to hand is duly
received and contents noted
I called upon Rev. Mr. Neal
of Corrington - He stated
he thought I would have to
appear before some Presbytery
and take my chances of those
recommending me - He
thought the better plan would be
for me to retain my relations in
the M. E. Church and act as
a "supply" for some Presbyterian
Church if I was acceptable
they would call or recommend
me to The Presbytery
Since then I have rec^d a
letter from the Stated Clergy

of one of the Presbyteries in Ohio
stating if I would appear before
the Presbytery and give satis-
factory answers & they would
recommend me &c - The
latter part is more in harmony
with my desires - I prefer to
enter the work of the ministry
at once in the Presbyterian Church
as a Presbyterian & endorsed
by or ordained or licensed by
them. If necessary however
to retain my present relations
in the M & C Church in the meantime
filling a pulpit in the Presbyterian
Church as a "supply" I shall
be willing to do so & there is
little chance in Covington - the
territory being well occupied
by other churches & our
near states

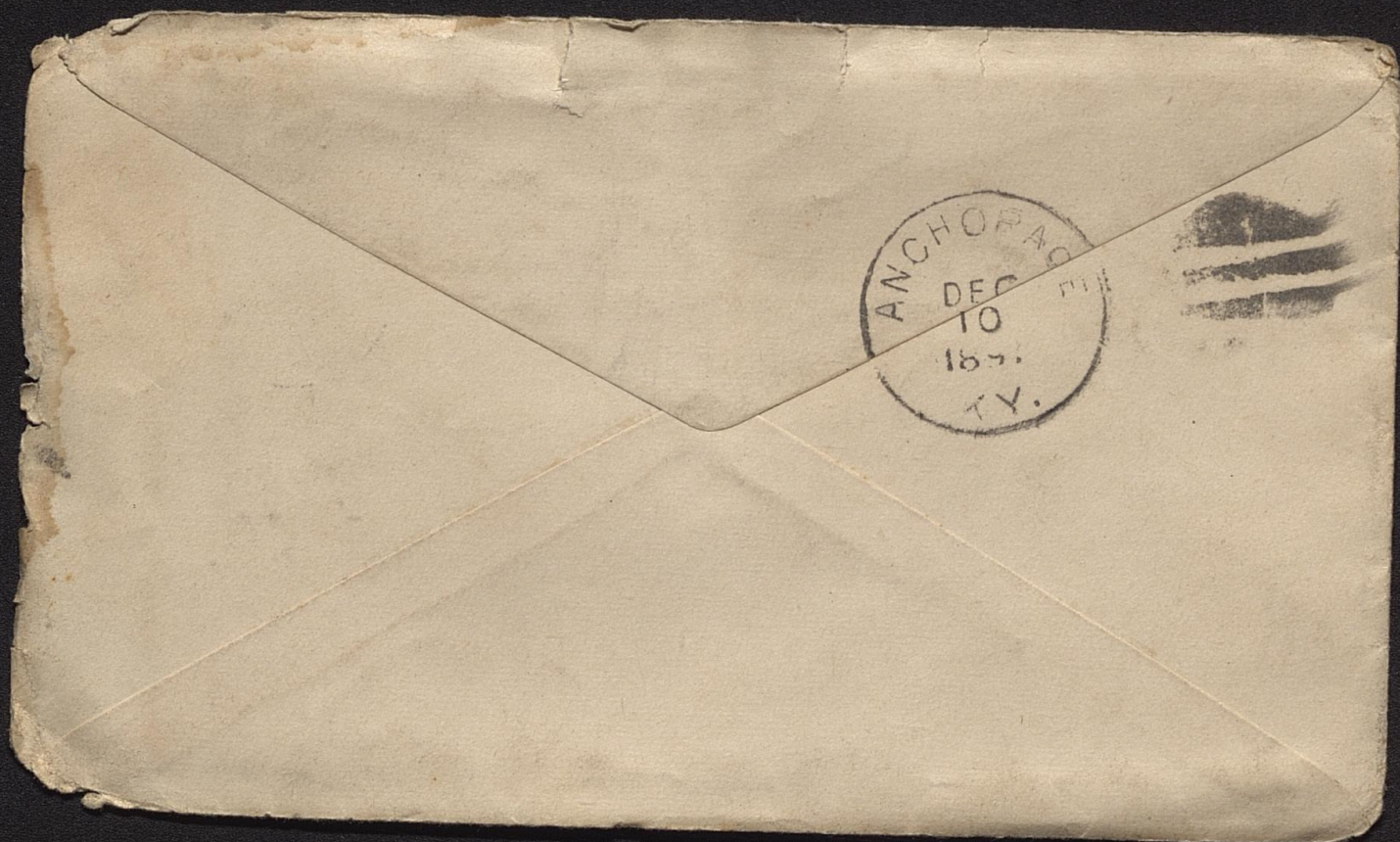
Leave for Louisville today
a telegram or letter directed

Edw. Dettelle
Dayton, Ky

Dayton, Ky



Rev. E. W. DeLongue
Anchorage
Ky



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Elizabethton

Dec 1st 91

Rev E. W. Redding
Dear Sir & Brother

Enclosed please find
check on 1st National Bank
of E. Town for \$35⁰⁰ (Thirty
five dollars, contributed by
the 1st Presbyterian Church
of Elizabethton for Evangelistic
Fund. please return receipt
that we may know you
received it all right

Respectfully

E. W. Yeager

Lucas

Elizabethtown, Ky.,

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No

Amount due on your subscription to pastor's salary \$

The subscription to the pastor's salary is payable quarterly,
on the first day of November, February, May and August.
Please hand the amount to me or leave it for me with the First
National Bank.

~~L. W. Yeager~~
~~J. Lee Duncan,~~

Treasurer of 1st Presbyterian Church.

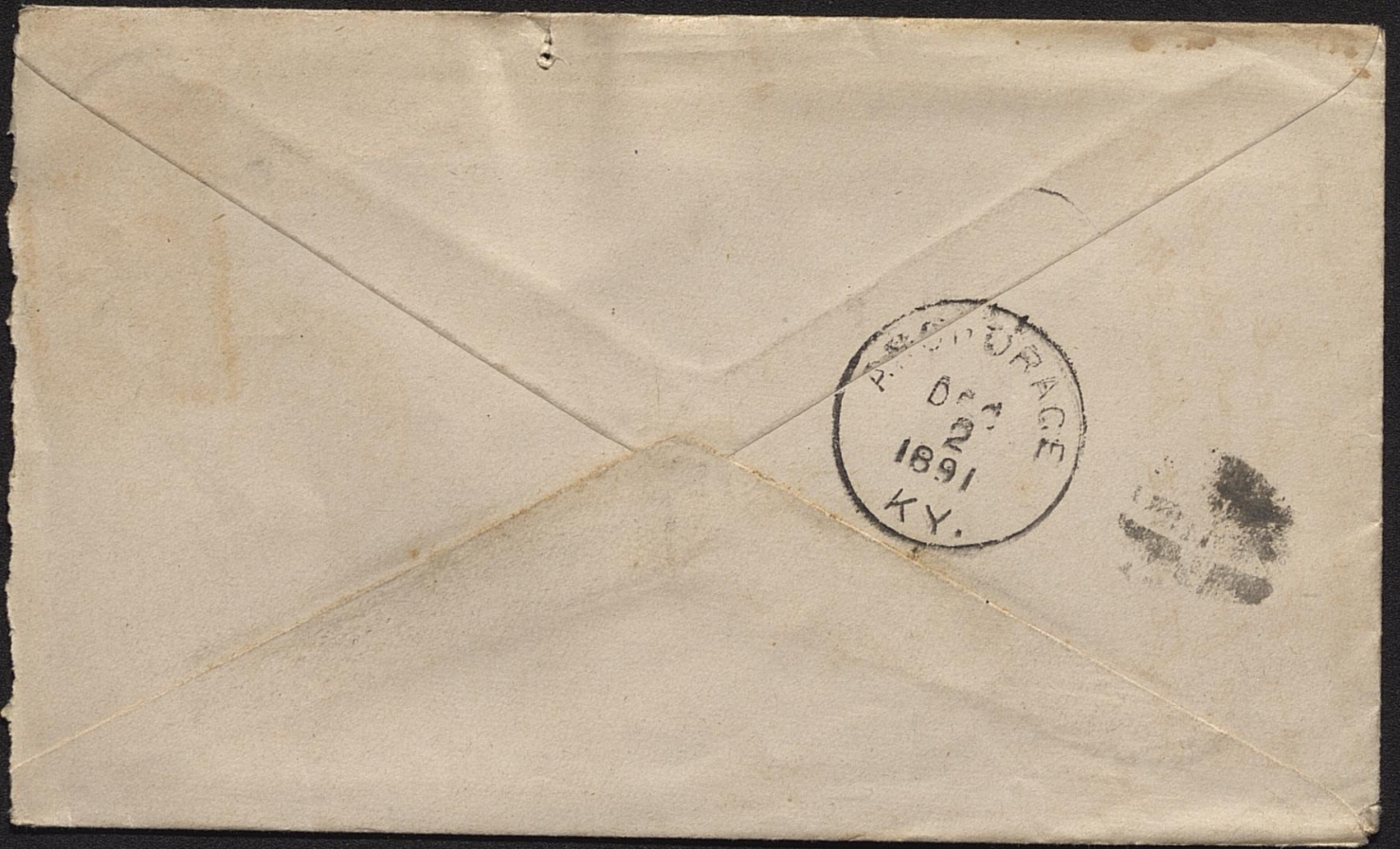
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Coyagers
Elizabeth
Ky

E. Town cont \$35.
Receipt sent Dec 2. 91



E. W. Beddinger
Anchorage
Ky



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Frankfort, Ky.

Dec. 22- '91.

Dear Dr Bendinger: -

I enclose
you check on Branch Bank
for \$15 - which has been given
by Mr. Frank Chinn to aid
in the support of Bigstaff.
Will you please sign the
enclosed receipt & return
to me? Mr. Chinn seems
to be very much interested
in Bigstaff's work - of
course the \$15- will go
into the General Evange-
listic fund of Synod, but
Mr. C - gives, as he is di-
rectly interested in Bigstaff's
work - so I have written the
receipt in such a way as to
show that the \$15- has been
received in this way.

I wrote up a collection

in my ch. last Feb. for
Synodical Evangelistic fund.
We got only about half
our appropriation - but
I hope to get the balance
soon - Miss have the
check to forward it then.

The \$50 due me by
the Com. will be very ac-
ceptable at any time
now.

Yours as ever
W. G. Nevill

Ans'd + receipt sent
Decr 23. 91
P. Chinn. by Rev W G. Sewell
\$15

Dec 21, 1891



Rev. E. W. Bedinger D. D.

Anchorage

Ky.

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N.Y.

Frankfort, Ky.

Oct. 19 - 1891.

Dear Dr. Bedinger:-

As I wrote
to you some time ago, it will
be necessary for the Com. to
assist the ch. here for another
year. I sincerely wish it was
not so. But the ch. here is
weak & is doing all that we
could expect from them. I
suppose it will not be long
before your Com. will meet
to make the appropriation
for this year. I have con-
ferred with the session here
& they say ^{the} ch. can do nothing
more than they have done
during the last year. They did
not have the amount they
promised on pastor's salary
subscribed when I came here.
Or at least this is my under-
standing of the matter. I sub-

pose this will be sufficient
application from the Ch. here
for aid during this year.
These are the facts in this
case.

I think the work here
is more hopeful now than
at any period since I
have been here. I trust
our work for the next
year will be production
of more visible results -

I do hope our dear
Ch. in Ky. will make more
rapid progress during the
next Synodical year than
during any previous year.

With best wishes for your
success in the great work
to which you are called I am

Yours as ever,
W. C. Neville.

Oct 19, 1891



Rev. E. W. Bedinger D.D.

Anchorage,
Ky.



Burdick Tex - Mch ²⁵ / 89

Rev. J. W. Redinger

Anchorage Tex -

Dear Sir.

The following is my report for the second quarter ending Mch 25th / 89.

Our church still seems to be in a growing condition. Our congregation is increasing continually.

Presbyterianism seems to be taking root in the vicinity in which I dwell. and I think if we have no backset, the Pragg Presbyterian Church will become one of the leading churches in Taylor County.

I received one member into the church by letter during the quarter & baptized three children on the faith of their parents. We haven't had any Sabbath School this quarter.

From the fact, the weather has been so bad that the children couldn't turn out, but we expect to start again the first of April. The out look seems to be good.

I will close wishing to hear from you soon
Respectfully S. J. Green

Burdick
Taylor Co Ky.

Burdick

Oct 5th 1891.

Rev E M Bedinger
Greenville
Ky.

Dear Sir
Inclosed please
find \$ to wit
of Twenty nine & one ct
(\$29.⁰¹/₁₀₀₀) It being for
the Ky Evang fund
from Bethel ch. Transy-
Ky.

Yrs very truly

Issac Fats.

Burdick Sty. July 14th / 1891.

Rev Mr E. H. Bedinger.

Anchorage Sty.

Dear Sir. I recieved your letter & content
noted. Your check came in a good time for
I was owing some debts & they were due.

and I will be glad to get the return as soon as
possible for times are little hard with me
now. My family is in a needy condition.
But I hope that times will get better after
harvest.

Please find enclosed ~~check~~
receipt for the amt sent me. & oblige.
I am Yours for Christ.

Respectfully
J. H. Green

Burdick Ny July 9th 1891.

New-Mrs E. W. Bedinger

Anchorage Ny.

Dear Sir. I sent in my report to you the last
of June for the third quarter ending the 30 of June
& I have not heard from you.

I thought probly that I had better write again
perhaps that my letter did not reach you.

I am needing some money very bad.

I am behind with ^{my} Cr- & the church is behind

& so that throws me behind

The members are all farmers & cant get money but
once a year. But I have to settle up every quarter.

let me hear from you soon

Respectfully

D. J. Green

Bureau



Rev. E. M. Yedinger
Anchorage
Ky

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Blomfield Nelson Co
Nov 24th 1891

Dr. C. M. Bedinger
Anchorage, 14
Curtis & Bro.

I enclose you check for
five dollars which I promised you
for Padwick Church.

Excuse delay which was caused by
sickness in my family.

Very Respectfully

H. B. Offutt

\$5 for Pad ch
F. B. Offutt
Receipt sent

Blountsville

Bardonia N.Y.

Aug 29/91

Dr E W Bidinger
Anchorage N.Y.

Dear Sir

For Synodical Evangelistic
collection by Presbyterian Church
of this point I have you check \$45⁹¹

Please forward receipt to me

Yours Truly

W H Hur

RETURN TO
BANKING HOUSE
OF
WILSON & MUIR,
BARDSTOWN, KENTUCKY.
IF NOT CALLED FOR IN 5 DAYS.

Aug 29
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KY.



Bardstown ch \$45.21
Receipt sent Aug 30 '92

Rw E. M. Didingger
Anchorage Ky

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LOUISVILLE, KY
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TRANSIT

To Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D. D.
Anchorage, Ky.

Dear Sir & Bro.

I have been referred to you by Rev. Dr. Green of Davville in regard to vacant charges in your synod. For reasons that are satisfactory & which I think are for the best interests of the kingdom as far as my personal work is concerned I desire to change my field of labor. These reasons are purely personal & are not known, I will give them if desired, but I think that some one else could do better work here, although no fault has been found with mine, neither by church nor presbytery. In regard to myself would state that I am 32 years of age, have been in the ministry seven years, principally engaged in missionary & evangelistic work, I am married & have two children. Would prefer to be stationed in a town or city, as my work has been largely among that class. I am not afraid of any amount of hard work, provided of course the support is adequate. This charge pays \$1000.00 & the manse.

I would refer you, by permission, to Rev. W. L. Roberts, D. D. Cincinnati, Ohio
Rev. Dr. Lefevre (now in Austin Tex) & Rev. Dr. Murkland of Baltimore.

Hoping to hear from you at your earliest convenience

I Remain

Wetheredville.

Your Bro. in Christ.

Baltimore Co. Md.

Dec. 7th. 1891.

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to

E. E. B. Wetheredville. Md.

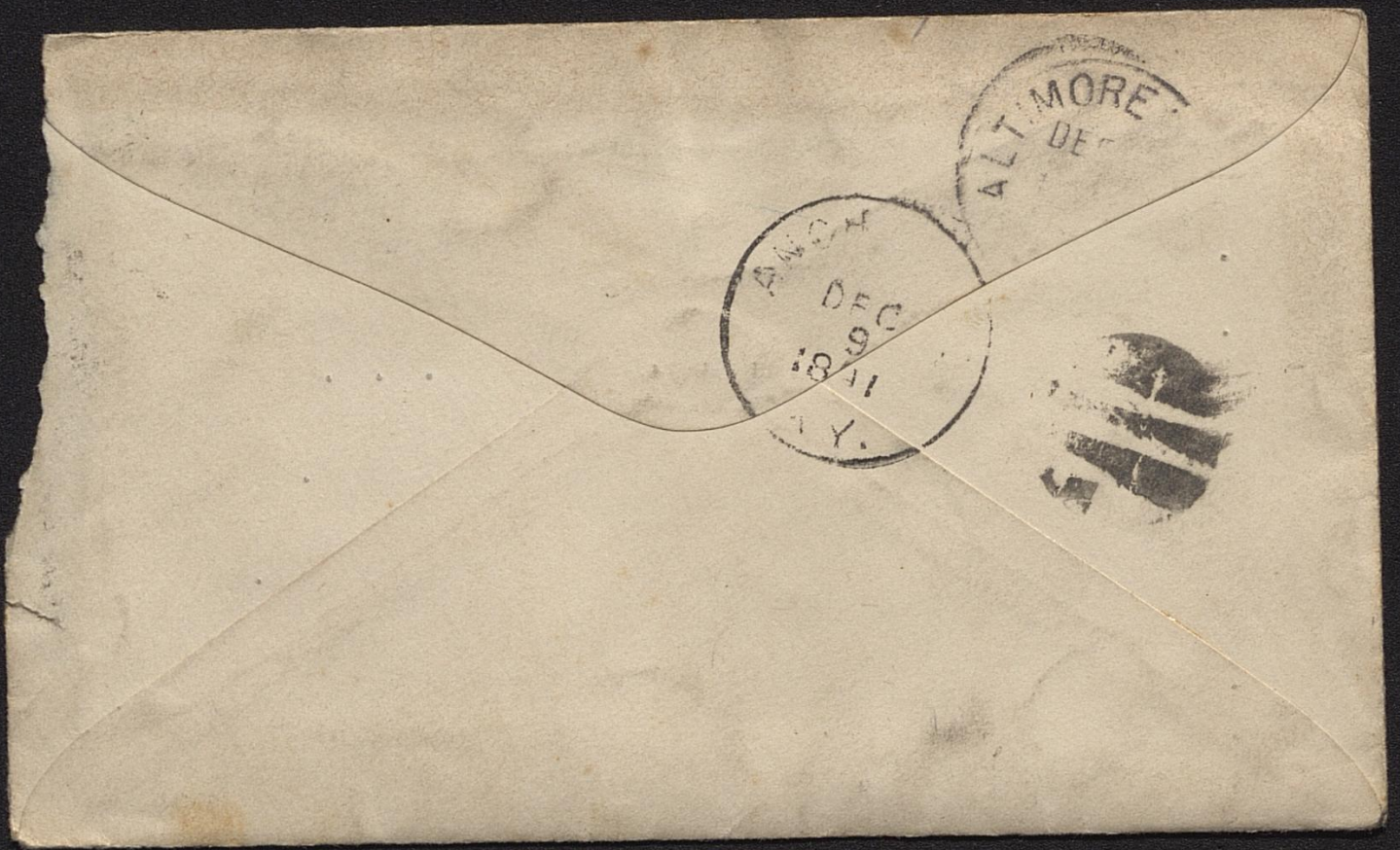
E. E. Barclay M.D. P.E. ?

Rev. E. W. Bedinger. D. D.

Anchorage.

Ky.





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Millersburg, Ky., Oct 24 1891

St Bedings:

Dear Bro:

The Bro. who is to take charge of The Crittenden & Seaborn field will ^{be} on by the first of Nov. They have promised to give him \$600.

Bro. Boggs thinks he can get us \$100 from the Com. at Atlanta, and I want your Com. if possible to give us not less than \$125. I think with this help this year they will be able to do better by another year. I dont want to ask him to work for less. He was offered more in N.C., but I am anxious that he come to Ky.

Set me hear.

Yours fra &c.

W. O. Cochran

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to

Rev

W. O. Cochran

Anad Oct 27



*Rev. E. W. Bedinger, D.D.,
Anchorage,
Ky.*

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Winnipeg, Ky.

Dec 22nd 1891.

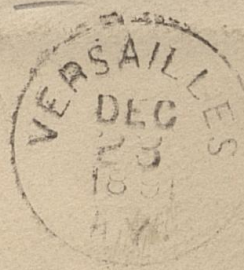
Dear Dr Redinger

The ^{best} way
 to come from the last meeting
 of the Executive Committee Dr
 Hunter suggested that as I
 had been elected a member
 of the Sub-Executive Com. you
 could probably get me
 a pass over the Southern
 Railway Co. He suggested
 that I wait until the
 close of the year when
 the annual passes were
 given. I write now to ask
 this - you can see that
 favor if you can do so
 without inconvenience. Hoping
 you can do so I am
 yours faithfully J. H. Hunt

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to

Send Dec 29

Dec 22, 1891



*Mr. Dr. C. W. Pedinger,
Anchorage, Alaska*



Aug 14, 1891

Bowman, Ky
(Bentill co.,)



Bowman, Ky.

Aug. 14-91.

Dr. E. W. Bedinger-

Dear Friend:-

Your letter enclosing check recd. Glad to hear from you. I will go to Ford next week as instructed and begin work - Please inform me of when and where Louisville Presbytery meets? I want to be trans- to work Lexington.

Yours very truly

A. P. Grayson-