Springfield Ky March 2nd 1879

Prof Patterson

My dear Sir

Your note in regard to my son's habitual neglect of studies is just received. I am very sorry to hear so unfavorable news — at home and at school he usually stood at the head of his class — and in a letter from an Congressman giving his standing, I find he just ranked your graduate Mr Taylor from Ohio Co in the examination at E Town last week I sent him the card which if he has not destroyed you can see.

My son writes me he has been sick and nervous — he has been as is now afflicted with catarrh of the head which produces a very bad headache at times almost unendurable. My usual treatment in his case has been inhalations of Pine Tar Smoke. In a practice of 40 years I find nothing to equal it, perhaps he has neglected it. The etiquette of the profession is for one physician to

attend his brother Physicians family without charge shewed your attending Physician refuse to see my son and take due notice of his case please inform me. Dr Wright of Bowling Green when my daughters were there at School would have nothing when I tendered him pay for his medical services. The late Dr Cummins of Louisville for whom my boy was named charged nothing for attending my first wife, when she was sick I write write my son to be more diligent and enclose him your note: though I do not wish to have him driven into a state of <u>Neurasthenia</u> by overstudy while his brain is affected by his catarrh It might make him a nervous wreck for life, show this note to your Physician & faculty tell them to look into his case reprimand him if needs be give him a fair chance and if his health is restored I feel assured he will come to the front. I am most respectfully yours

D.C. Doran M.D.

I enclose Check for my son for $25.00 — D.C. Doran

49-W-44

Winchester Ky
March 15th 89

J H Patterson
President A M College
Lexington Ky

Dear Sir -

You will do me the favor to excuse my son Joe from attendance upon the Drill exercises, as I have other use for him during the hours thus taken up -

Yours Truly
B F Van Meter

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March 19, 1889.

Will the Secretary of the Faculty oblige Mr. G. H. Putnam by mailing to him at the above address a copy of the latest catalogue of the Institution, containing the list of the Faculty and the Courses of Study?

Stamps enclosed.—

Cadiz Ky March 23th 189.

James K Patterson

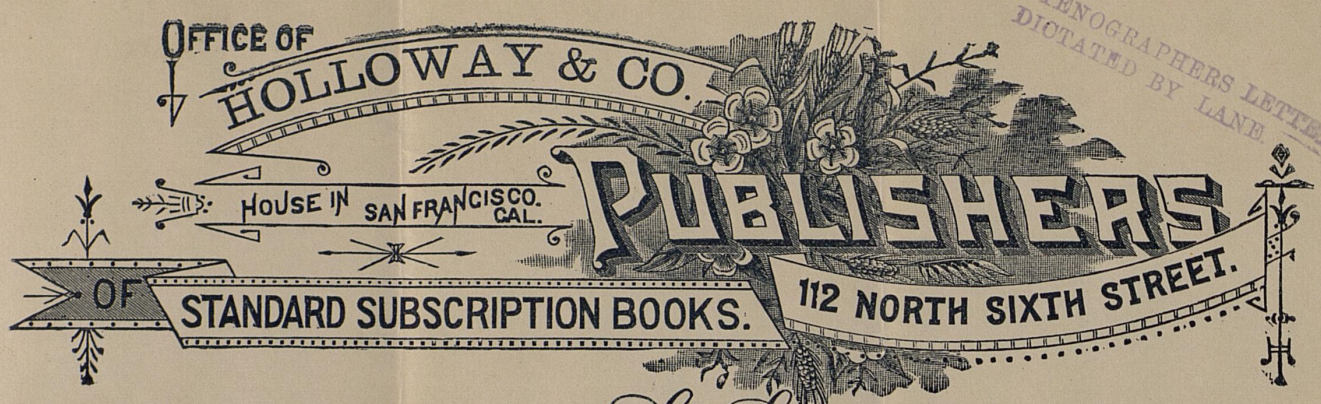
Dear Sir

Mr S D Averitt a Spritly young man of this County wishes the Appointment in this County as a Student to the A & M Collage and I wish to know if this County has her quota. And if not How he will proceed to get the Appointment Mayor McKinney the Com School Supt has appointed one or two young men who intend to make teachers of them selves But Mr Averitt wishes to study with the view of an other profession Let me hear from you immediatly.

Respectfully
J Kelly.

N. B. Please let me know what will be the entire Cost of the 10 Months Session his means are limited

J K



St. Louis March 25, 1889.

Pres. ofN ormal Dept. Agri. and Mechan University.,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir,--We would be pleased to receive a catalogue or prospectus of your institution giving the names of your pupils. We would also be glad to have you put a cross opposite the names of the most active and brightest young men with whom we may correspond with a view of getting them to act as a general agent in your institution to secure the services of other pupils to canvass for our books during vacation.

We have the reputation of publishing the most popular and rapid selling books in the country and we can place hundreds of young men in positions where they can make enough in two or three months to pay their next year's expenses at school.

If you have not as yet prepared a catalogue, will you not kindly send us a written list of such young men as you think would take hold of our work, marking names as suggested above, and thereby doing us a great favor and at the same time materially aiding them.

Yours truly,
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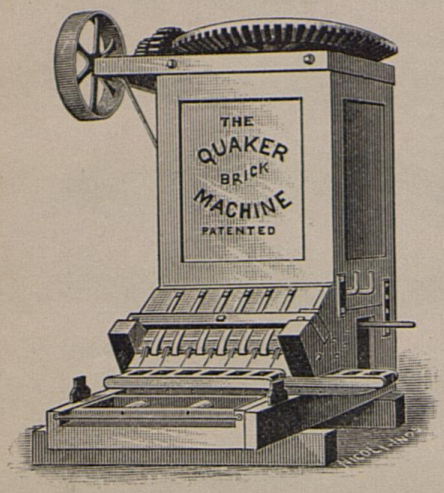

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Indianapolis, Ind., April 1 1889

Lexington Military academy.

Please send me your catalogue of your school and oblige

Malott Fletcher.
437 North Tennessee st.
Indianapolis
Ind.

Burton Ga.
Apr 2nd 1889.

To Principal of High School
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir I write to ask you to do me the favor, to write me what is the most favorable terms that a young man of good moral and religious Character, thirsting and striving for an Education without means, can be taught in that School, & how much and what will be furnished him there free, if any thing. I am a Baptist Minister and have been 35 years, here in a very poor Section of Country where there are no good Schools, and there is one Miles T. Camp who joined my church, and

47-M-64

Since his connection with the church, he prays and talks nobly in public, for a youth of so limited opportunities, his morals are noble, and he has exhausted every means that he could procure in trying to get an education, and is now only a tolerable Mathematician, and Grammarian, hope you will write me at once best terms on which he can have the advantage of School there. — My P.O. is Burton

Ga.

Rabun County.}

An answer at your earliest convenience will very much oblige your humble Servt and friend

William E. Philyaw.

COSMOS CLUB,
WASHINGTON, D.C.

April 3 1889

My dear Dr Patterson

I am very much complimented by the invitation of the State College of Kentucky to make the address in June, but my engagements make it impossible for me to accept.

I am so fond of Lexington & I love Kentucky people so much that it is with great regret that I am compelled to decline.

With thanks for your very kind note, believe me

Yours sincerely
Chas. Dudley Warner

47-M-64

You again,

I remain,

Sincerely Yours,

J. G. Owens.

So. Jersey Institute
Bridgeton, N.J.
May 9th '89.

Dr. Patterson,

Dear Sir:-

The Catalogue of your school, which you kindly sent me, has just been received. Allow me to say that I am much pleased with its representations. In looking over the department of

Nat. History, I find that nothing is required which I have not taught.

Whether I could fill the position to the satisfaction of everybody, only a trial could tell, but I think I can, & I would like to have an opportunity to try.

My age is 24. The photo which I sent you was taken at graduation. I now usually wear a full beard, which, "they say," makes me look considerably older.

You have inquired as to my religious connections & political affiliations. I am a Baptist and a Republican. Realizing that it is unbecoming for one to elaborate at any length upon his qualifications or principles I have asked my Principal to address you a letter mentioning a few of those points, so that you may know what is the opinion of one with whom I have been associated for 2 years.

Hoping to hear from

47-M-64

Smith's Mill Ky.
June 26th 1869

Pres Jas K. Patterson

My Dear Sir

I write you to say the boys are all at home and well. We are well pleased at the progress they made. the illness of Albert & Robbie of course made, greatly against them, but all things considered they did well. I wish I could send them two years larger but fear I cannot owing to reverses in business.

My political races have interfered with my practice some, but I am glad to know that my work as a Legislator thus far has been a success

P.S. The boys say there is a balance due the College. please be so kind as to send me a statement and I will forward by return mail.

C. M. B.

having been endorsed by the Democratic party of this County for reelection without opposition.

The present outlook is that my majority in Aug over the Republicans will be flattering. Two gentlemen from this section who opposed the College will be left at home this time, Mr Ward of McClain and Mr Spalding of Union. The former was badly beaten, the latter seeing that he would be did not offer for reelection.

You doubtless have seen from the papers that Hon John Young Brown of Henderson is a candidate for Governor to succeed Gov Buckner, if you have no special preference for another I would be delighted to know that you would support Mr Brown, I would certainly take it as a great favor and remember it with gratitude. You may rest assured the College will be in safe hands with that gentleman in the Gubernatorial chair Mr Brown would take pleasure in delivering the Annual address to the College next year, and I know of no man in the State more competent, for he certainly is a splendid orator

Allow us to congratulate you & Mrs Patterson upon the success of your Son William as a Student. nothing on earth is more gratifying to a Parent than for a child to reflect honor upon them. Say to him for us that with diligence he can fill the full measure of Ky Manhood but he must not forget he must "learn to labor & to wait" resting assured that if the labor be genuine and the waiting be that of patience the reward will be abundant. My wife and the boys join me in kind regards to yourself & family

Very Truly
Your friend G. W. Norman

Greenville Ky
July 10th 1889

Prof. James K Patterson
President Ky State College
Lexington

Dear Sir,

I trust you will excuse me for asking a small portion of your time in consideration of this letter, which I have been prompted to write in hopes that I might obtain your interest in my behalf, at least, if not directly indirectly. Owing to financial embarrassments of my father, I was compelled to leave school several years since; but with the hopes that that I soon could enter again. my father is still laboring under difficulties which will prevent him from giving me the necessary aid. If I continue in school longer

I will do so mostly on my resources
I wish to continue in school two years
longer. I do not wish to take a complete
course, but make a speciality of several
branches, which owing to there having been
no arangments made for teaching them in the
G-College I will have to look else wher
for- I would like to come to Lexington
if I can make the financial arangements
Is there a Tutorship vacant that
you could let me have to help
along with the financial matters
You have some idea of my qualifi-
cations and can judge whether I
would suit or not,
If conveniently situated would you
be willing to board me. and allow me
to pay half each year. and wait with
me awhile for the ballance. if I could
get a situation I might be able to
pay up in full each year, Please
let me hear from you at your earliest con-
venience, Give my regards to ladies, Respectfully. W. H. Eaves

Allensville Ky
Aug 11th 1889.

Prof Patterson.
Lexington Ky.

Deor Sir

I am thinking of sending two of my sons to the A. M. College and wish you would furnish me with some blanks & at once write me full particulars of school. the manner & plan of conducting same and how the boarders are cared for at the hall. Who has charge of boarding department & if you have a regular Doctor to care for sick & how the boarders are looked after on Sundays &c &c

I have been always a friend to the school and if I send them I will see you often

after convening of the Legislature as I am a member again from Todd. I want full particulars & you will also please state how many scholars Todd & Logan counties could enter each.

Yours Most truly &c

N. B. Riley

Elizabethtown Ky
Nov 11th 1889

Mr Paterson

Dear Sir
I would like for you
to send me a catalogue
of your school as I am
going and I havent decided
where I will go yet and I
would like very mutch for
you to send me one

Charlie Showers

First Baptist Church,
Lexington, Kentucky.
Rev. LANSING BURROWS,
PASTOR.

Lexington, Ky., Feby 3. 188

My Dear Sir:

Will you be so kind as to give publicity (to the young gentlemen of the College) to the Meeting for Young Men, exclusively at the 1st Bapt. Ch. Tomorrow afternoon at 3½ o'clock to be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Pritchard of Louisville. Dr. P. is the recent President of Wake Forest College, N.C. & I know you would be pleased to meet him — (& capture him for the College)

Yrs Respectfully

Lansing Burrows

[1889]

State College of
Kentucky.
President's Room.

Lexington, Ky., 188

We the undersigned ~~recog~~ in recognition of the ability with which Edward Ellerstrand represented the State College in the late intercollegiate oratorical contest agree to ~~pay~~ contribute the sums opposite our respective names in order to present him with a suitable testimonial.

OFFICE OF

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Nolin, Ky. July 26 188

James. K. Patterson

Dear Sir

Please send me a few catalogues of your school, I have been asked for them, by several different gentlemen who contemplate going to school there this fall. And oblige.

Your Friend

S. J. Morris

[188-]

Pres. Patterson. A & M Farm Aug 26

Dear Sir the rain has stopped me from working in the Tobacco & these boys say they would like to have what is due them to-day as they need it. Will you please give it to them? They are coming to help me finish on Monday. They have each worked nine & one half hours which amounts to 47½ cts each which makes $5.00 altogether, Very Respectfully

John Gilchrist Jr
Foreman

President - Patterson
College

47-M-09

Allen, Higgins & Allen

Attorneys & Counselors at Law

Orren C. Allen.
George H. Higgins.
William Harrison Allen.
Notary Public.

Allen Block

Warren, Penna. June 12th 1891

To whom it may concern

The bearer Mr C. R. Sturdevant is a resident of Warren Co. Pa. having been raised therein and well & favorably known by many citizens here

Mr S. was three years a student at Cornell University and enjoys the respect of all persons connected therewith I am therefore pleased to say that Mr Sturdevant is a bright and capable young man and deserves the respect of good men everywhere

No man need question his ability. honesty or integrity.

O. C. Allen
Ex Senator of 49th Dist Pa.

Falmouth Ky -
Aug 21st /93

Prof J. K Patterson Ph. D.
Lexington - Ky

My Dear Sir

I have a Son who has recieved the appointment for your Normal, from our County Superintendent - I shall be so glad to have him under your charge - You may possibly remember A. R. Clarke who represented this County in the legislature several years and was a member of the senate at the time of his death in 1885 - I used to hear him speak of you

which has influenced me in putting my boy under your charge – He has stood the necessary examination here Will you kindly write me what funds are necessary what time he should be there for examination? or other needed advice and greatly oblige Yours

Most Respectfully
Mrs. A. R. Clarke
Falmouth
Kentucky

Kentucky State College,

Lexington, Ky., October 26 1893

Report Absent from Drill October 25

Explanation. Sir:

I have the honor to state, That I was sick and could not come to drill

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Wickliffe. Cadet.

Kentucky State College.

Lexington, October 26 1893

EXPLANATION.

Charles H. Wiesiff, *Cadet.*

Satisfactory

C. D. Clay

Coach

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Kentucky State College,

Lexington, Ky., Friday 1892

Report Absent from drill on Thursday 19

Explanation. Sir:

I have the honor to state, That I was sick on Thursday and could not come to school.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Wiestoffe Cadet.

Kentucky State College.

Lexington, October 20 *189* 3

EXPLANATION.

Charles H. Wickliffe *Cadet.*

Satisfactory

C. D. Clay

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(Copy)

Folkestone, Kent, England,

February 23rd, 1894.

To

The Reverend G. C. Mackenzie,

Brantford, Ontario.

My dear Sir/-

It is a very difficult matter for me to write a testimonial in favor of your son - not from the slightest hesitation in knowing his real worth - but that I am not able to express in words the great obligations I am under to him in the creation of this School.

Your son came to the work here in the autumn of 1891, finding the School in a very disorganized state, and mainly through his untiring exertions, Scholarship and tact, the school has been raised to a high state of efficiency, the number of its scholars largely increased, and still increasing each term. It would be almost an impertinence in me to speak of your son's great gift in teaching Mathematics, but I am assured by those competent to form an opinion that he has proved himself to be a very successful and painstaking master in this subject as well as in mechanics and parts of physics.

In addition to his full hours of work in school he has devoted his time to developing the growth of the school by systematic arrangement of the work, and examinations, making out the great variety of time-tables, &c.. Your son's power of work, energy, ability to organize and plan, his perseverance in carrying out the numerous details connected with the school are household words here. Let me add that our personal relations have been always of the happiest character, and his loyalty to myself has never wavered, and has been simply invaluable in the many anxieties necessarily associated with the creation of a school of this character. I can quite understand your wish to have your son in Canada, at the same time I have always hoped that, when the school increased to the numbers I anticipate, your son's position here would be so good a one that he could not be tempted away: at my age I cannot hope to continue my present grind beyond a few years.

Yours very faithfully,

Edm. Hay-Currie,

Governor Currie Schools, Folkestone,

Now at Seafield, Hants, England.

Burton P. Eubank,
Attorney and Counselor at Law,
Hurley Building.

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Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 14-1894.

Pres. J. K. Patterson
Lexington Ky.,

Dear Sir,

Please send me a catalogue of the State College of Kentucky. Mr. W. C. Prewitt, who is now associated with me in the practice of law, and Mr. G. D. Armistead, formerly of your College join me ~~and~~ in best wishes and regards.

Yours Very Truly
B. P. Eubank

P.S.

Mr. Armistead is doing City Editorial work on the Daily Gazette, the leading paper of the City

State College of Kentucky,
Jas. K. Patterson, Ph. D., President.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 16th. 1895.

Supt. J.L.McCoy,

Pineville, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

The appointment given to Mr. Asher of your county is not valid owing to the fact that it was not made during the period prescribed by law for making appointments to the College.

Yours truly,

Jas. K. Patterson Pr. S.

President State College of Kentucky.

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~~St. Joseph~~ Mo., Sept 18 1895

Jas. K. Patterson Esq,

Dear Sir:-

The year I attended your College I am pretty certain was '80 '81 or '82 Geo Lancaster formerly of Appleton Lancaster & Duff is my uncle, with whom I boarded & attended school. I entered the same year his daughter Pearle did. Please look this matter up carefully as is of vital importance to me & fill out inclosed affidavit & oblige

yours very faithfully

E. G. Cox

A. 39.

Ohio Valley Railway,

JOHN MAC LEOD, RECEIVER.

L. A. WASHINGTON,
Superintendent.

HENDERSON, KY. Oct. 18th, 95 189

COL. JOHN MAC LEOD,

RECEIVER, O. V. R'y.

Dear Sir-;-

In speaking to you the last time you were here, I made mention to you in regard to a Son of mine that I intended to send to the A. M. College at Lexington, Ky. I sent him about 10 days ago and expect to give him a thorough education. The boy was never away from home before in his life and he was very blue for the first 4 or 5 days, but has since become reconciled to his lot and is now apparently well pleased. Will you please kindly write Mr. James K. Patterson, the President, asking him as a personal favor, to see that the Boy is kept to his studies and to see that he gets along. He is very studious and a boy of very good habits, but being an entire stanger, of course he was somewhat timid and was placed in the preparatory department, and he writes me, that he thinks he should have been further advanced; but from his last letter, he seems to be getting along nicely and thinks he will advance very fast. Please kindly write and do me this favor, for I feel as though I would most cherfully render you a like favor, were our positions reversed. With kindest regards, I remain,

Yours most truly, Saml Steinberger

Barbourville Ky., Dec 20 1895

Prof J. K. Patterson
Lexington
Kentucky

My Dear Sir:-

At your request I send you the name of John G. Matthews of Barbourville as a suitable man in every respect for trustee of the A. & M. College. Mr Matthews is a lawyer of ability and a Christian gentleman and one that will take special interest in the welfare of the College. I trust you will at once recommend him to the Gov for appointment before he selects some one else. I am sure you will be pleased with him when you meet him as he is one of the best men in the State. He is well known

to Gov Bradley I feel sure he will be appointed if his name is suggested to the Gov. Mr Matthews is a young man about 34 or 5 yrs old. with a great deal of energy and push and I think would have an influence toward inducing students from this part of the State to attend the College

Very respectfully
John M. Tinsley

F. RIGLESBERGER, PRESIDENT.
R. G. CALDWELL, VICE PREST.

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Paducah, Ky. 12/23/95.

Mr. Jas. K. Patterson,

President of State College,

Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 20th., received informing me of my son's desertion one day too soon. I am very sorry to learn this. I am of the opinion that he did not intend to do any thing wrong and trust you will take into consideration his age, and the fact that this was his first time from home and his eagerness to return home for Christmas and make the punishment as light as possible. I am very much pleased with his progrss and he will return on time to be ready for the years work.

Respectfully,

R. G. Caldwell

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Prof. J. B. GARRITT, Ph. D., Prof. of Greek, and Sec. of Faculty.

Hanover College.

Hanover, Ind., Feb. 28 1896.

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

Dear Bro.

Permit me to express the pleasure I feel in noticing in a recent paper that you have received the deserved recognition of your standing success and scholarship, in the degree of LL. D. conferred upon you by Lafayette Col.

You may be sure that your old friends have nothing but unalloyed satisfaction in it; and I join with many others in the hope that you may be long spared to pursue the work in which you are engaged, and to meet still greater success in it.

Yours of old J. B. Garritt.

Pres. J. K. Patterson:

I write to notify you of my determination to withdraw my son Will from the A. & M. College —

He may not be much of a Scholar, but I am trying to make him a decent, and an honest man,

and I do not think
sending him to an
Institution where such
a character as Wm.
C. P. Breckinridge
is publicly honored
will be conducive
to that result.

Very truly
Maria B. Dudley

Feb. 28th 1896.

Danville Ky June 8 1896

Mr President

Dear Sir

I received a letter from some of your Students that my son was guilty of Theft Can it be possible that my Son can be guilty of such I have the most utmost confidence in you please write me the particulars immediately and if it is necessary I will come over and see you and do what is right about it. I am now suffering with rheumatism and not able to come but hope I will be able in a few days if you have children you can sympathize with us if this be true

my fervent prayer is that
it is not true she has alway
been an obedient truthful
good Child Please Keep this
quiet as I will be over
as soon as I am able
your with respect

A P Rice

[1876]

June 8th

Mr President

Dear Sir

The news that came yesterday in regard to my child is heart-rendering to his Mother I will say if my child was engaged in what he is accused of I feel sure some experience one of the business was in the lead. And now he has the blame to bear My child is quite young he was only 15 when he entered your College

He has always been
a noble pure good child
I am bowed down with
grief over what my
child is accused of
can it be true no no
I cannot belive it
I am so nervous I can
scarcely write
My Husband will
be over in a few days
if well enough to see
into the matter
Do the best you can
for me and my dear
child

Yours Truely

Mary Rice

June. 24th. 1896

President Patterson.

Dear Sir:

I received a letter from Mr. Roach yesterday stating that I was supposed to be guilty of stealing a watch and the other ~~things~~ things that Mr Rice did not get. I acknowledge that I took a few things that did not amount to much. President I will ask you to pay for everything except the watch and send the bill into me and I will pay so much on each month untill I have it payed but I can not pay for the watch for I did not get it and am not able to pay for it Yours Truly Lawrence Matthews

Milford Ky
Dec. 7/96

Pres. Patterson

Dear Sir.

I would like for you to excuse my son J. C. Brough, so that he can come home on Dec. 19th Saturday before Christmas, I have some business for him to attend to, which will be of much importance to him.

Please let him know in time to notify me when to meet him at Cynthiana Ky. a distance of eighteen miles from our town.

Hoping you will consider

my request favorably
I remain
Yours truly
Arthur Brough

Brooksville Ky
Dec 12th 1.94

President of the A & M College:

My dear Sir, Mrs Smarr is very anxious for you to allow Tom to come home with John Brough. She lost her next younger son some few months since, who was drowned in the Ohio river. This loss has almost killed her and she feels that she must see Tom. It will be a great consolation to her. You will confer upon her and all the

family by allowing him to
come with Mr Brough a great favor,
arrangements have been made
to meet him in Cinthiana &
if he should fail to come it
would be a great disappointment
Cinthiana is 30 miles from this
home, Hoping this will be
satisfactory I remain

Yours &c

W. W. Field

Office of
J. A. McCane, Clerk
Bracken County Court.

Brooksville, Ky. Dec. 14" 1896.

President A. & M. College,

Lexington, Ky.

My Dear Sir:-

Will you please permit my son, Henry Thomas Smarr off for the Christmas holidays, on Friday before Christmas, as on that day he will have company home, a thing I very much desire, as he must change cars several times on the way.

Trusting that this request may meet your approval, I am,

Very Truly,

Your Friend,

J.W.Smarr.

Dictated - E.L.S.

Winchester, Ky., July 15th 1897

Prest. Patterson
State College
Lexington Ky

My Dear Sir

A Young Gentleman of this County Mr Brent Haggard - Son of Shelby Haggard & Nephew of our County Judge Rodney Haggard of Most Excellent Family Connections & I believe exemplary habits desires to Enter Your College and as I am desirous of furthering Young Mr Haggards ambitions write requesting that blank papers &c be sent me that I may make formal application in his behalf - He is the first one who has applied to me for such exercise of my official Endorsement - Be so Kind as to have proper papers giving Explanations &c forward me and Oblige Yrs Sincerely

J. H. Holloway

State Senator 28th Dist

State College of Kentucky.

Certificate of Admission.

Issued to Minnie Cohen

The Johnson school of Lexington, of which you are a graduate, having been placed upon the list of "accredited schools" of the State College, you are hereby, upon the recommendation of your Principal, W. K. Shelby, admitted without examination to the Freshman except in Lang. class of the College, at the opening of the Fall Term, September 7 1897

This certificate should be presented to the President when you apply for admission to the College.

James K. Patterson President.

W.K. Shelby -

Pers.

.. OFFICE OF ..
SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
JEFFERSON COUNTY, KY.
ALFRED HERR HITE, SUPERINTENDENT.

P. O. ADDRESS,
ST. MATTHEWS, KY.

OFFICE IN N. W. COR. COURT HOUSE.
HOURS: 9 A. M. TO 2 P. M., SATURDAYS.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 10th 1894

Prof. Wm. Patterson
Pres. A. & M. College,
Dear Sir

One of my friends Mr. Wm. Bagland of this Co. has a son he wishes to enter in the State College. Hon. E. D. Briscoe our representative wrote you and as I understand it your reply was that you had plenty of room & the appointment rested with me as Co. Supt.. I have already sent you one but this boy is deserving & quite anxious to enter the school. His father is one of our best citizens. At present a deputy sheriff and has served as magistrate. Hoping a speedy reply I remain

Very Respectfully
Alfred Herr Hite
Supt P. S. Jeff. Co.

State College of Kentucky.

Certificate of Admission.

Mr Garnett Rosel Klein

The Manual Training school of Louisville, of which you are a graduate, having been placed upon the list of "accredited schools" of the State College, you are hereby, upon the recommendation of your Principal, H. G. Brownell, admitted without examination to the Sophomore Mechanical Engineering class of the College, at the opening of the Fall Term, September 8, 1898.

This certificate should be presented to the President when you apply for admission to the College.

James K. Patterson President.

47-M-64

Lexington, Ky. 10-29.98

Mr. & Mrs. Schneider:-

Your son has told me of the letter Pres. Patterson wrote to you, and of the one you have written to him in regard to it.

Now, Edgar is my roommate and best friend, and I merely wish to say that what our very honorable president has written to you is a misrepresentation of the facts, and you ought not to put any dependence on what he said in that

particular letter.
I know Edgar has four studies, and if he has not come up to the mark of perfection, it is not his fault.
He and I have both been sick a great part of the time, and your son was not able to get out of bed for three days at one time. Now, you know he could not attain the highest grade in his studies, as he lost one entire week while he was at home, and has been sick a great deal besides. He has not failed because of "a tendency to neglect his duty."

You will perhaps wonder why I write this letter, and will no doubt think I am quite fresh, but Edgar is my friend, and I don't like to see him misrepresented. He is very much distressed to think that such things should be written to you about him.

Very Respectfully,

J. K. Freeman, Jr.

Office of
W. D. Ashcraft,
County Superintendent,

Brandenburg, Ky., Nov. 5th 1898

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir:-

This will be presented to you by Mr. Orla Woolfolk of Meade Co. who has taken the Examination for appointment to the A.&M. College, and received the following grades. Arith. 80% Gram. 76% Geog. 65. Hist. 70%

I am pleased to give him this statement of proficiency and believe he will make a good student in your school, I am

Yours fraternally
W. D. Ashcraft Co. Supt.
Meade Co.

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Lancaster, Ky., February 3 1899

Prof Jas H Patterson
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir – I received J. P. Miller's report a few days ago. And was much pleased with his standing in his classes. I have never had however much fear that he would not try to do his duty. He is made of pretty good material, and has always appeared to be conscientious. Like most boys tho – he gets tired of school life, and it is difficult to make them know that it is for their ultimate good that they should brace themselves up to what they undergo in obtaining an education.

He is quite anxious to go Annapolis to take a Naval Course, and has importuned me quite often of late to try and procure an appointment for him. What do you think of it? Those appointments are very difficult to procure – and our present

Alfred Cunningham,

Superintendent Common Schools of Trigg County,

Cadiz, Ky., Feb 2 189..9

Prof. Jas. K. Paterson

Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir: How about Mr Jones of Trigg Co, who is now a student in your school. It has been reported to me that he would not get the benefit of his traveling expences to and from school paid by the school. You wrote me that Trigg Co was intifled to four beneficiaries. And as Mr Bogard did not go back and also said he did not intend to go back in the future, I appointed Mr Jones of Trigg Co in his place, telling him at the time that he would get all the advantages that the cotalogue of said school, named Mr Jones a guardian, Mr Alfred Thomas, who is one of the most influential men of Trigg Co is very anxious that Mr Jones gets all the advantages of the school possible as he is an orphan with only limeted funds. Any thing that may be done for our Trigg Co Boys will be highly appreciated by an ex pupil & friend Alfred Cunningham

Co Supt

Feb. 23, 1899.

Dear President:-

I have not heard from you in some time, I shall not count letters on you, but shall write you again.

I passed all my examinations with credit to myself and to my State. I am not overestimating myself, I hope, when I tell you that I am among the foremost leaders.

I have heard but little from State College this year. I have been too busy to write the boys.

How many have you enrolled this year? Is the attendance fuller than usual since the holidays? What is the next step of progress State College will take?

With best wishes for your health and happiness and for those near and dear to you I am as ever

Your true friend
R. G. Roach.

308 Thompson Street,

HOTEL NORMANDIE,
McPherson Square,
WASHINGTON, D.C
H. M. CAKE, Proprietor.

May 21/99

Dear Professor Patterson

I found your dear Kentucky boy a recruit & I send him home to you. an "officer and a gentleman" = He was all that befor the President made him an officer in our Regiment. He is so young (21) that he can easily be made a Second Lieutenant of Regulars. I have written him a letter to himself and to Samuel J Roberts Esq of the Lexington Leader. Major S. M. Swigert (Class 68) West Point "3 US Cav, myself. and

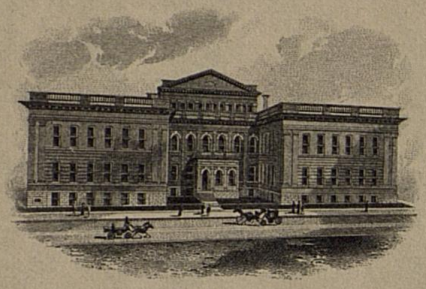
47-M-64

Your dear classmate Major Eugene O. Fechet, Signal Corps. are all interested in seeing Carpenter go into the Regulars. He has done his family, the University, himself, and you - honor! He is a dead game boy — a soldier of good habits, and I never will leave him till he is in the Regulars for life! See Mr. Roberts — Cooperate with Dwight & myself & Major Fechet! I will say that Carpenter's promotion brought the applause of all above & below him!

Cordially. Your fellow citizen

Richard Henry Jacob.
West Point 68

Senior Major U.S.V. Engineer Brigade



GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL,
LOUISVILLE, KY.

May 25th 1899.

My dear Mr. Lathright

Miss Bliss of the class of 99 would like to have a Catalogue of the State College.

Please favor her if possible.

With esteem,

Yours truly

D. N. Barnholmes.

Prof. Patterson

Will you kindly send Catalogue to Mr. C. N. Bliss Main near 6th St. Louisville Ky. for his daughter who is one of the honor girls this year and may come to us, if a satisfactory arrangement can be made for board near the College.

Oblige

Yours truly

J. L. Lathright

[Feb. 19, 1900]

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Faculty:

Your servant was an unwilling witness the other day (the 10th inst.) of a distressing scene in which an honored member of your body was compelled to hand words with a certain student who was charged with having on several occasions disturbed the quiet and compromised the dignity of our Professor. When his guilt had been proven or demonstrated to the student he repeatedly refused to admit the offense until forced to do so by the fear that other of his friends might be complicated in disclosures which were about to be made. The student at last made a confession of his guilt in order to vindicate his friends, but refused to apologize for the offense. Thereupon the Professor proceeded to administer the needed reprimand which, though severe, was just according to the Professor's lights as also my own, but which was not taken with good grace by the student.

Our Professor's argument was that the offense was that of a naught child and had been concealed like a child would, and that the student had thus acted a coward in so concealing it, and indeed, at no time had showed himself to have any conception of a manly behaviour.

This, I warrant, was hard to endure; but it was true, and the student had drawn it down upon himself.

The student defended himself against these charges, and asserted that in his opinion the Professor had even as little conception of the manly instincts. Nothing more was said in my hearing.

This last statement of the student I regarded as untrue, disrespectful, and as a defiance of the authority of the Professor. Our beloved Professor has sometimes through overzealousness in behalf of the State College, and his intense interest in the welfare of his classes waxed wrath at certain of his humble servants; but so far as I have known him, this is his only fault (if fault it be) and he has shown most admirable qualities. Indeed I have thought that a life of too rigid virtue and hard study would account for some occasional eccentricities with which he has from time to time been charged.

If the dignity of the Faculty is to be upheld, and the honor of one of its most brilliant members is to be protected, it is necessary that proceedings be instituted against all who would compromise that dignity or assail that honor; and I move that all who defy the authority of and withhold the respect due an honorable member of this Faculty, be asked to withdraw their names from the College Rolls.

Respectfully submitted,

T. Brent Moore.

Beattyville Ky. April 12 1900

Wayne

Below you will find Copy of Prof Patterson's letter to me. viz-

Copy

Lexington Ky April 12 1900

Thos Orme Esq

Dear Sir. Prof Neville has just reported to me that your elder son Wayne Orme is frequently if not habitually absent from his class. I have admonished him repeatedly about his absence, and his negligence, I am very much inclined to advise you to withdraw him and shall within a short time make a formal request that you do withdraw him unless there be an immediate and permanent improvement. I write this reluctantly because otherwise he is a good boy Gentlemanly and very capable yours truly

James K. Patterson

Now you can read the above and suffer the Consequence and if out you go there is no place for you here I have plenty of trouble on my hands now trying to make a living & keep you in school

and this is the treatment I get in return for —
to attend school & will be expelled. I am not going
to be disgraced in that way and if you are expelled from
school don't you show your face here to disgrace
me & your dear mother. You had better see Prof
Patterson. and read him this letter, I have no more
to say you are the one will have to bear the
consequence I have done my duty

From your Father
Thomas Pryce

69-11-14

Louisa, Ky., July 23, 1900.

Res. James K. Patterson,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:- I have spent eight days in Carter County and secured five students, One will enter in September and the others in January. I managed to get the Co. Supt. to hold an examination Friday July 20 and got four appointed. The Co. Supt. would not take any interest whatever and I had to pay the examiners two dollars for examining the four young men who applied for appointments. I mailed the appointments to you on the morning of July 21.

The Co. Supt. of Lawrence Co. Mr. M. D. Watson takes some interest in State College and has his list of Beneficiaries full and prospects are good for getting the full number of appointees to the normal department.

Office of

John McChord,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Subject: .....

Lebanon, Ky. Sept 7th 1900

President James,K,Patterson
Lexington Ky,

Dear Sir: My son,who has become very much interested in The State College,has been at Lexington for the past week reviewing some of his studies that he failed to pass in,owing to the fact that he entered college in the middle of the term, and for that reason has labored at a very great disadvantage during the ballence of the term.
He seems very much perplexed to know the outcome of the systim of drawing for rooms under the bill passed by the last legislature.
I can well see how a literal compliance with the terms of this bill might work great evil. It would be absolutely criminal to permit a young boy of refinement to be placed in a room with an older one with rough,coarse,and vulgar habits. Ofcourse you will comply with the law in this matter,at least in form.But it seems to me that any scheme would be proper that would comply with the statute, and at the same time avoid the evils that would necessarily arise from a literal compliance with the law. I think this whole matter should have been left to the wise discretion of the President.In which event,I am

Office of

John McChord,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Subject:..... Lebanon, Ky.

sure, the boys would be properly, and satisfactorily located. I trust that you will give our boys from this place attention, and see that they are properly located. I shall be very thankful to you for any kindness you may show them in this regard. I can assure you that I shall always hold myself in rediness to serve you, and the College at any time,

Yours very truly,

John McChord

OFFICE OF
C. E. SUGG,
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,
HENDERSON COUNTY
COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

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HENDERSON, KY., Sept. 17, 1900.

Jas. K. Patterson, Pres.

Dear Sir:-

Two young men from Union County have here today to enter the A. & M. College

They are Robt and Roy Walker.

They are under a cloud and I write to solicit you to give them some especial protection.

Their sister was killed recently, of which you may have read and it makes the boys very tender of feeling just now and you knowing the situation may be able make it more pleasant for them.

I shall personally appreciate any kindness shown them.

Very Sincerely
C. E. Sugg, Co. Supt.

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Mt. Sterling, Ky., 9/20/1900.

To The President and Professors
Constituting The Faculty of Kentucky State College:-
Lexington, Kentucky.

My Dear Sirs:-

Since my visit on yesterday on behalf on my son Trimble and after my return home, I believe it my duty to address you this communication.

During the career of my son, who seems to have been dismissed from your institution to make an example of, he has been peculiarly unfortunate; in the loss of his mother who, died when he was only three years of age and since then by escaping, twice from being drowned, broken limbs, and it seems to me, a hundred other misfortunes unusual to the ordinary boy. Since he has been connected with your College, he had his hand badly cut by a saw on your shop, and while I know most of his troubles have been mostly his own fault, I feel now that if he is to remain humiliated by being dismissed from School, that his life may become wrecked for all time. I feel, as if you looked at this matter in the light, that if for three months his father could not open his mouth or say a word on behalf of his son, he perhaps is unworthy of being a member of so honored an Institution as the one you represent, and want to say, that the fist intimation I had of my son's disgrace, was when he came home on Tuesday night, and threw himself at my feet, CRUSHED in feelings and for almost an hour I was unable by reason of his cries and sobs to hear

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from him what was the matter, and when at last he did tell me, he said I know I did wrong, but no one knows how I have been made to suffer by reason of my acts. He said, it is no use for you to make an appeal to them, I am out and ruined for ever.

If Trimble were a bad boy and had given you serious trouble before, I would not ask that he be restored, but after I hear from him and Prof. White, I have ~~to~~ ~~[illegible]~~ the case told practically as if told by one and the same person, and while I know he did wrong, and he says so and is willing to make any apology which could be asked, I do not think it is such an offense as demands such action as is calculated to destroy a boys future, and believe such a thing as forgiveness should ~~to~~ not be overlooked by you in such a case. I know you must look after the welfare of the College, and this you should do, and I am the last one to say you should not, but you must not lose sight of the fact that your action is this case is calculated to blight the life of a boy who has by accident been the victim of circumstances, and, possibly one of many who have been guilty of the same or worse conduct but not caught up with.

I have been greatly mortified about this, and much more than I might have been had I have had any notice of it till it came as it did like a clap of thunder from a clear sky.

I tried to make diligent inquiry as to the conduct of my son, and am glad to say I could hear nothing to his discredit, save this one thing, and every one I saw seemed to be imbued with the

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hope that he would be speedily restored to his place in the Col lege, which I hope you will be able, consistent with good rules and morals to do. I know it might look inconsistent for the faculty to revoke an order or change its ruling, and while I feel what I say in my feeble way may have but little bearing, still I wish to add, that I have the greatest respect for one and all of you and my son joins me in this, and whatever ~~may be~~ your action on this matter may be, I shall feel assured, that it comes from a body of men who want to do the right thing for the Great Institution they represent and am glad to have heard from the lips of some, that they have none but the kindest of feelings for my son and only want to do that which is best for the College; and, if at last my son has to bear the burden, I shall try to support him in carrying it the best a parent knows how.

Let me suggest, that when you took the action you had not heard all the case, and that I as his father had had no notice of or chance to be heard, and history presents the case of the highest courts in our State and Nation reversing their decisions in a single week, and to my mind the highest evidence of a man's honesty and integrity is to change if he is convinced it is right to do so.

I can but beg your pardon for this rambling communication, but my great love for my son prompts me to do any thing honorable to aid or relieve him in his hour of great distress.

I am my dear sirs, yours very respectfully, H. Clay McKee

A. J. SLATON, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

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From 9 to 12 A.M. and 1 to 3 P.M

Leitchfield, Ky., Sept 2/ 1900

Prof J. R. Pattison
Dear Sir

I do not understand why my boy is put in the freshman ~~cold~~ class. Prof J. C. Cardwell examined him here and said he was ready for third year of high school work and that he could enter the junior class in stat-college and graduate in two years and you send him papers recognizing that examination and classification as I understand it - and I suppose Frank gave you those papers when he got to Lexington I do not care about Frank Graduating in all

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The Branches I do not care about
him taking mathematics
what I want him to take
principally is Latin, German
physics Chemistry Botany
and such things directly in
the line of medicine
Now if you can give him
that kind of a course in your
school and graduate him
in two years I will let him
stay but if not I will
have to put him somewhere
else

Please let me hear from
you at once and oblige
P.S. Of course I don
want him to leave the Dorm

A. J. Slaton

127 Huestis St. Ithaca, N.Y.
Oct. 14th 1900.

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

Dear President,

It not being my fortune to return to State College this year, I desire to express to you my appreciation of the instruction I received while there, and the strong attachment which I have for all connected with the institution.
I much regret that I could not finish there before going to another school.
As to my present situation, I am well pleased with my surroundings and have been able to get almost exactly the course I desire. The authorities were quite willing to give me credit for all the work that I had done at Lexington, and in general treated

my credentials with the utmost consid-
-eration.

In my preparation in science I find my-
-self at no disadvantage as compared with the students who have prepared here, and have had no trouble in entering the advanced classes in agriculture and horticulture in which such previous training is required.

Trusting that your interest in all former students will pardon these personal details, and again expressing my hope for your welfare and that of the institution over which you preside, I am,

Yours very respectfully,

Geo. M. Taylor.

[1900]

We, the students of Kentucky State College, regretting the fact that E. O. Eakin, one of our fellow members has unfortunately and not by his own fault gotten into trouble, and believing by his present and former conduct that he is innocent and in every way worthy of being a member in good standing of this institution, take the means of respectfully stating our views on the subject. ~~hoping that the faculty will be so kind and lenient as to allow him to remain a student of the college.~~

Jas. S. Gibson
D. D. McVeaw.
J. W. Ethington
W. A. Grady.
J. E. Dalton
H. L. Bowling.
Robt. Haynes
J. P. Martin
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E. E. Johnson
C. S. Adams
L. D. Thulkild
H. F. Snider
J. L. Rose
J. B. Wilson

about [1900]

Kentucky State College.

Lexington Ky.

We, whose names appear below being members of the class in Horticulture which has been conducted for the past ten weeks by Mr. Moore, do hereby take this opportunity to express our most sincere thanks to our most worthy president for his kindness in permitting the said Mr. Moore to give us these instructions which we know have been a great pleasure and will be a great benefit to us in our future study of Botany and in our after life at large. – signed

A. O. Bowden.
Geo. T. Scott
D. F. Wallace.
John Myers.
Lloyd Powell.
C. S. Pickerell.
J. J. Goddard
Chas. Boyce
W. J. Duvall.
B. Chipman
George S. Clein.

Office of.....
J. M. Literal,
Superintendent of Schools
Of Greenup County.

OFFICE HOURS: 9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

Greenup, Ky., Jan 15, 1901.

President Patterson,
Lexington, Ky

Dear Sir:-

The quota for Greenup Co., Ky., not being yet full I hereby appoint Mr. Paris Darrell Remy of Burnaugh this co. to the Normal Dept. His character is untarnished and will make I think a good student.

Respt,
J. M. Literal

HARVARD UNIVERSITY

Lawrence Scientific School,

N. S. SHALER, Dean.
J. L. LOVE, Secretary.

Cambridge, Mass.,

January 19th, 1901.

My dear President Patterson,-

Mr. C. B. Norwood, long my associate in the Kentucky Survey and my valued friend, asks me to bring again my recommendation of him to your attention.

Norwood is an able man, of attainments peculiarly well suited to the place he seeks, that of Professor of Mining Engineering in your School, and possibly at the same time Inspector of Mines for the Commonwealth. In fact I do not think there is a man in this Country who is as well fitted for the task as he is. I have not seen him for near ~~twenty~~ years. I have, however, corresponded from time to time with him, and believe he retains the beautiful steadfast quality which greatly endeared him to me. It is perhaps well to remember that he is about the nearest living kinsman of Daniel Boone, and that his folk have been identified with Kentucky from an early day. Should Mr. Norwood take the position I shall be very glad to help him in any way I can. I am still concerned with iron mines in Eastern Kentucky, in which project I became interested some years after leaving the Survey in order to help the estate of my old friend Colonel Preston.

With best wishes believe me,

Yours very truly,

N. S. Shaler

President James G. Patterson,

State College, Lexington, Ky.

Dayton,Ky.Feb.13th.1901.

President Kentucky State College

Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:- My son W.Albert Kingman,I am told by Long distant Telephone with drew his fees and left school. This was without my knowledge,nor can I understand why he did so. He has never disobeyed us,or given us one trouble before in his life. We surmise it is mortification over failure to pass an examination perhaps,is such a fact?

Any information as to his where abouts, his cause for leaving school and his conduct while there, would be of assistance to us,at this terrible hour. I am to receive a Telegram to-night from Mr.Muncie,but if you will kindly write me details it will be appreciated. His room mates may enlighten you as to cause, and where he is.

Very Truly,

C. B. Kingman

State College of Kentucky.

JAS. K. PATTERSON, Ph. D., President.

School of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering,

F. PAUL ANDERSON, M. E. DEAN, Professor of Mechanical Engineering.
CHAS. R. STURDEVANT, M. E., Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering.
JOHN T. FAIG, M. E., Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering.

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JOSEPH DICKER, Foundry and Forge Shop.
E. A. WALDEN, Wood Shop.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 20th, 1901.

President James K. Patterson,

State College of Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Faculty of the Department of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, held Feb. 19th, 1901, it was recommended that you be informed that Mr. D. D. Caldwell is doing practically no work in college and that it is the sense of this Faculty that he be withdrawn unless immediate and marked improvement is shown in his work.

Respectfully,

John T. Faig.
Sec

15 Fayette Park,
Lexington, Ky.,
March 4, 1901.

Pres. Jas. K. Patterson,
State College of Kentucky.

Dear Sir,

Since returning home I have had a long talk with Virgil, & he seems to have a distaste for study. This is a great disappointment to me. I have been very anxious for him to take an education, but I despair of doing so. The only thing that remains for me is to put him to work. This I propose to do. So I will ask you to give him an honorable dismission, if he is worthy of one.

Thanking you for your interest in him & for your kindness to me.

I am yours,
Very truly,
Mark Collins.

Vanceburg Ky 3/9 1901

Prof. H. L. Patterson
President A & M College
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir:

It is with sincere regret that I find it necessary to write you in regard to my boy who has been attending the State College for two years.

I refer to E Rand and the differences between him and Major Carpenter.

These things I deplore exceedingly and I wish to ask your influence that the matter may be considered with leniency toward Ed, for, while he may not be entirely exempt from blame, I believe that he was provoked

to resentment by rekeated injustices on the part of the major, who, if what I hear of him be true, is an unjust man and unreasonable in his demands.

If you have a boy of your own you know that I do not want my boy sent home or suspended, nor do I want him humiliated for the pleasure of the man who has threatened to "get him fired from school if he should get an opportunity."

I feel sure, sir, that you understand my feelings and my position as well as my boys and will do what you can for him.

I am most respectfully yours
Mrs. J. W. Rand

AA-W-L7

March 18- 1901

Pres. James K. Patterson.:-

Dear President
on account of illness
I have been compelled
to be absent from my
College duties for the
past two weeks, but
will return as soon as
my health permits.

Yours Truly
Robt. C. Farney.

Chilesburg.
Kentucky.

Louisville April 22nd 1901

Prof Jack Patterson
Lexington Ky

Dear Sir

For some time past Miss Learmonth whom you doubtless remember having met on the occasion of your visit here on Janu 25th last has been after me to write you a letter and ask your special interest in behalf of Ed. C. Wastelle a young man attending your college. The particular favor desired is a military promotion I endeavored to explain to Miss Learmonth that certainly young young man and certainly any favor shown him will be greatly appreciated. If not taxing your time too much I will be glad to have you favor me with an answer to this and hoping this finds you well and with my best wishes for your continued success I am

Very Truly Yours
D P Bennett

Nurtelle would get every proper advancement and that without any other influence being exerted. I assured her that though I greatly esteemed my acquaintance with you it would be very frolick for me to write on such a subject to you. However she felt entirely different and finally I consented to write and you will understand the circumstances that cause this letter. I understand Nurtelle to be a good and ambitious

Madisonville, Ky., 8-29-1901.

President Jas. K. Patterson,
Lexington, Ky.,

Dear Sir:-

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Yours truly,

John C. Thomson,
Madisonville, Ky.

Madisonville, Ky., 8-29-1901.

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Pres. Patterson,
Dear Sir,

Until a few ago it seemed impossible for me to get back to State College this year, But affairs are so arranged that I may come back if I can make a little arrangement with you. As I did not expect to come back I took no examination and have no appointment. Our Supt. says no appointments have been made from our county this year. I can get an appointment if you are willing for me to have one without the examination or to get one on the exam. I passed last year

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Irvington, Ky., _____ 190

If you will favor me in this way I will be back this year. I hope you will consider this favorably for I desire to come back this year. hope to hear from you soon

Most Sincerely
Will. To. Wimp

Irvington
Breck. Co
Ky.

Danville, Ky. Sept 25th 1901

J. K. Patterson,
Lexington
Ky.

Sir:

I received a letter from my Father today, and inclosed was a letter from you to him stating that I had come back to Lexington with the intention of matriculating at State College. And the reason why I did not was, that I would be confronted by an examination. Now this is absolutely untrue, I did have some intention of entering State when I came back, but finally decided to take a law course and knowing that I could not

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get in there, so decided to come to Danville.

You also made a false statement when you said that I left the College earlier than my leave of absence called for in 1906. You gave me a leave of absence on May 28th and my excuse you gave and also the records will show that I left Lexington May 28th the day your promission was granted.

Now the letter you wrote to my Father was all unnecessary for I am of age, and have been for over a year.

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You seem to think that I am under obligations to State College, I want it understood that I did my duty while a student there, and acted a gentleman also. So if you want to know anything more about me, write to me instead of Father.

Truly
F. M. Hutcheson, Jr.

Office of

John McChord,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Subject:

Lebanon, Ky. Oct 7th 1901

President James,K,Patterson,

Lexington Ky.

My Dear Sir:- I have your favor of the 4th inst. Also the cata--logue of your school,for which I thank you very much.

I have always been an advocate of Our State College,and the possibility of makeing it the equal,if not superior to any school of the same scope in The United States. After the death of General Hobson,who has been my life-long friend, I remarked to my brother C.C.McChord that I felt that I might be of some advantage to your school should I be named as The General's successor. I confess that I have a personal interest in the success of your school, as I have four boys who will soon be looking after a college education. My brother,who always espouses my interests as his own, informed me that he addressed you a letter suggesting my name,and received from you a very kind, and satisfactory letter saying that you would take pleasure in nominating me before the remaining tr--ustees as the General's successor,for which I am very greatly obliged to you. I will not ask any of the trustees to vote for me,beleiving that the nameing of the trustee should come through you. I will leave the entire matter with you to be dealt with as you may deem best. I will say however,that Governor Beckham will name me at the next meet--ing of the legislature. for the place. It might be best for you to have your trustees act,and let my nomination by Gov Beckham follow a request from you to name me. After my son left your school he went to Nashville,and perfected himself in Telephone work, and now has the ma--nagement of an office. With kind regars, I am Yours very truly

John McChord

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Campbellsburg, Ky. Nov 14th 1901

Prof. Josh. Patterson
Lexington Ky

My dear Sir

As we have not had our Paul with us since School opened and as his birth-day is next Sunday, we would be pleased to have your permission to permit him to come home next Friday afternoon. Thanking you in advance for the kindness I am

Yours truly
S. W. Boulware

Lex. Ky. Jan 20th 1902.

Prof. Matthews,
State College.

Dear Professor:

During the several days since the promotions were read, I have absented myself from the military exercises, pending a decision by the committee of which you are the chairman. This absence caused me some trouble today, as it seems that I am expected to squad-drill for it. In order that there may be a definite understanding as to my exact status, and in order to avoid further trouble, I wish you would call a meeting of your committee tomorrow (Tuesday), if it will be convenient. I think there has been a very grave injustice unintentionally done me, and I depend on you to do what can be done to correct it. Prof. James G. White tells me that he is willing to appear before this committee and explain how it happened that I was over-looked in the promotions. You know that my name failed to appear in the Roster, because I had

been excused from drill by Dr. Pryor and Maj. Carpenter. I took the proper precautions to prevent my name's being over-looked on this account, by getting Prof. Neville to prepare a statement addressed to the Committee on promotions setting forth the facts in the case. Prof. White received this paper from Prof. Neville but misplaced it, and forgot all about; and thus my name failed to reach even the attention of the committee. My claims were not even considered. Prof. White feels that he is in a measure responsible for this, and owns it to me to appear before your Committee with those facts. Will you please notify him of the time of your meeting? The other facts you have in my other letter. Thanking you for the courtesies I have always received, I am,

your respectfully,
Charles Lovely.

OTTAWA UNIVERSITY.
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL SCIENCE,
J. A. YATES, M. S., PROFESSOR.

OTTAWA, KANSAS, March 26 1902

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

Dear President:

Some dying friends have been writing me about my applying for the position in Georgetown College, Ky. Prof. of Chemistry and Biology. I am told that the salary is $1500 and in this way it would be a promotion for me.

If you will write Dr. B. D. Gray the President personal letter, telling him what you know of me and my work, I shall be very glad.

While in College you will remember that I was tutor for your brother and also for Prof. J. G. White. I am now something dying work at Williamsburg, Ky.

Judging from their catalogue I am

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giving more ~~more~~ advanced work in all the science studies there is offered there. I have been here now most five years and I have made a success of my work, and my department.

There is no trouble about my staying as long as I desire, however, I have a family to support and the better pay is quite an incentive to me to seek the Georgetown position.

I have written you thus at length that you might fully understand the situation.

Thanking you again for the many just favors, for whatever I may be able to accomplish, I shall always feel that it is largely due to the help and inspiration that I received from my "alma mater."

Your friend

J. A. Yates

THE ALBEMARLE
VIRGINIA AVENUE NEAR BEACH
ATLANTIC CITY
J. P. COPE; Proprietor

May 2, 1902

Dear Dr. Patterson:

We came over here yesterday because the Doctor said I should get my little girl away from Washington. She has had a very severe attack of Scarlet fever and requires quite a good bit of care and nursing. I am sorry I can't see you but can't we arrange this anyway. I am really very anxious to come there. I believe I can do all you require and I know, or at least I feel sure, we could avoid all that trouble I see you have had. I have had some experience teaching for I was assistant instructor at the

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Artillery School at Fort Monroe, Va. for two or three years. Of course the students there were all enlisted men but I believe I can get along with the young men in your school and I have been more anxious than ever since I saw that piece in the newspapers about the little trouble you had. As for my health I know I can stand the work. I am a little lame but I can get around anywhere with a cane and can go quite a little without a cane. I don't want you to think I am a braggart but I have plenty of confidence in my ability to do this work. I would come to see you but I really can't afford it for I have had a very heavy expense the last winter. I had one little girl die after several weeks illness of scarlet fever and my other little girl has been ill for weeks but will be alright in a short time now.

THE ALBEMARLE
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They told me at the Adjutant General's Office that they would detail me if I made arrangements with the college and got you to apply for my detail. I expect to be at this hotel until the last of May. You may address me here.

Very respectfully
George A. Byroade,
Capt. U. S. Army Ret'd.

Owensboro, Ky. July 15, 1902.

Mr. Jas. K. Patterson
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir: Your answer to my letter of inquiry received last week also the Catalogue you so kindly sent. I have seen Mr. Allen, our county superintendent, and told him my son would take the examination, as he said the appointment was by the examination entirely.

My son has just completed the public school course and during his entire attendance never made a lower yearly grade than 96. Since I have been thinking of and investigating the State College, I have heard on all sides the finest reports of its work, especially of the department in which we are most interested, viz, engineering.

I expect to hear more from our city superintendent, Mr. McHenry Rhoads who has just returned from Lexington and who is interested in Sam, as he is one of the High School graduates.

Thanking you very much for the information given me and the kindly interest manifested, I am

Yours very truly,

(Mrs) Mamie W. Watkins.

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Colonel C.W.Fowler,

Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

I appreciate your interest in my boy also the persistency of yourself. I have made other arrangements for my boy and will not be able to send him to your college.

Yours truly,

Dict. Z.W.

Zeb Ward.