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Fort Wayne, Ind.,

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Res. S. L. Beiler D.D.,  
Washington D.C.

My dear Bro:- I was very sorry that I could not attend the laying of the corner stone of the College of History on the 21<sup>st</sup> inst, but my professional engagements were such that I could not get away.

I have a proposition from a Mr. Wood of Warsaw Ind to give us a business block in Lincoln Neb. which I will enclose to you. As I understood him, he desires us to assume the mortgage, pay the interest and he will donate the property, at least that was what I understood him when in conversation with him but he does not say so in his written statement I am fearful, that there is but little in it for us at this time, but you can read his statement and advise me. I am nearly out of letter heads and you told me that you could have such printing done cheaper at Washington D.C. than I can here. So if you think best you may send me fifteen hundred one thousand for the type matter and five hundred more. I have a number of persons who are wealthy that I hope to get some good donations from, but this year has been

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a very hard time to raise money, but I am not  
discouraged but believe that in the near future we  
will have some substantial donations, Send me  
the Minority Courier, We are all well, I

regret so much that myself and wife were  
away from home when you was to our city  
Write to me soon. Remember to your family and  
Bishop Hurst

Yours truly,  
C. B. Stemen