

P. O. Silverdale W. Va.

Nov. 13/58

Hon. W. W. Douglas

Dear Sir,

I would ask your influence in procuring, for the benefit of Farmers and Mechanics in this vicinity, the last issue of Patent Office reports.

If there are any of the Japan Expeditions yet to be had, I think I am entitled to the 1<sup>st</sup> Volume.

In the Democratic Faith  
I am your Obedt. Servant

A. Palmer  
1858

H Palmer  
P.M.  
Stillwater N.Y.  
March 23. 1858

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Galusha Parsons,  
Buffalo, N.Y.  
March 23, 1853,  
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Buffalo March 23/53

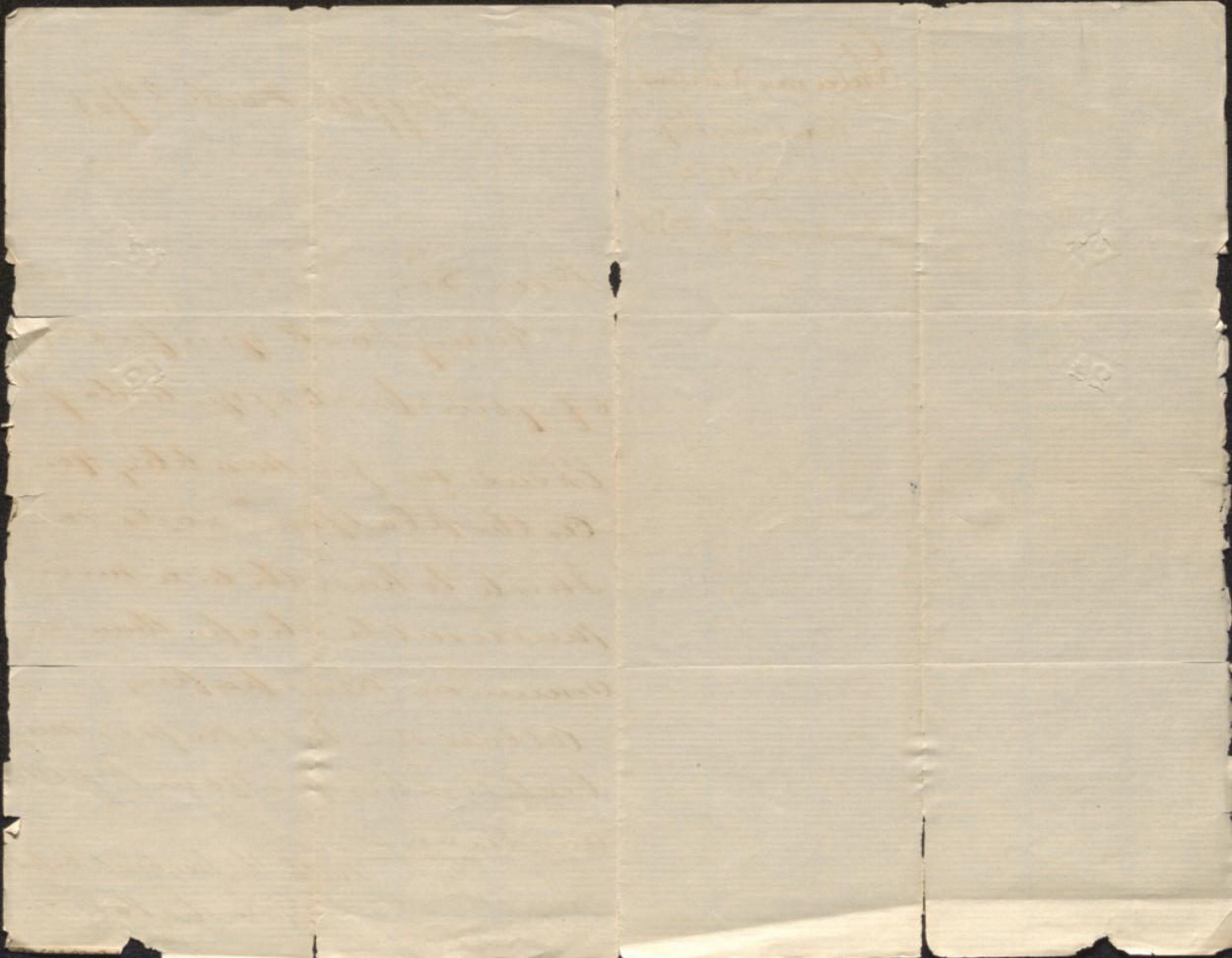
Dear Sir,

May I ask you for a copy  
of your speech of yesterday?  
Excuse me for troubling you,  
As the "Platform" suits me  
I wish to have it in a more  
preservable shape than a  
common newspaper,

Allow me to express my  
best wishes for your health  
and Success,  
with the highest respect

Yours  
Stephen A. Douglas,

Galusha Parsons  
Buffalo, N.Y.



C. H. Payne

Andover, Mass:

March 23/58.

Wants Speech  
of 22.

March 23. 1858.

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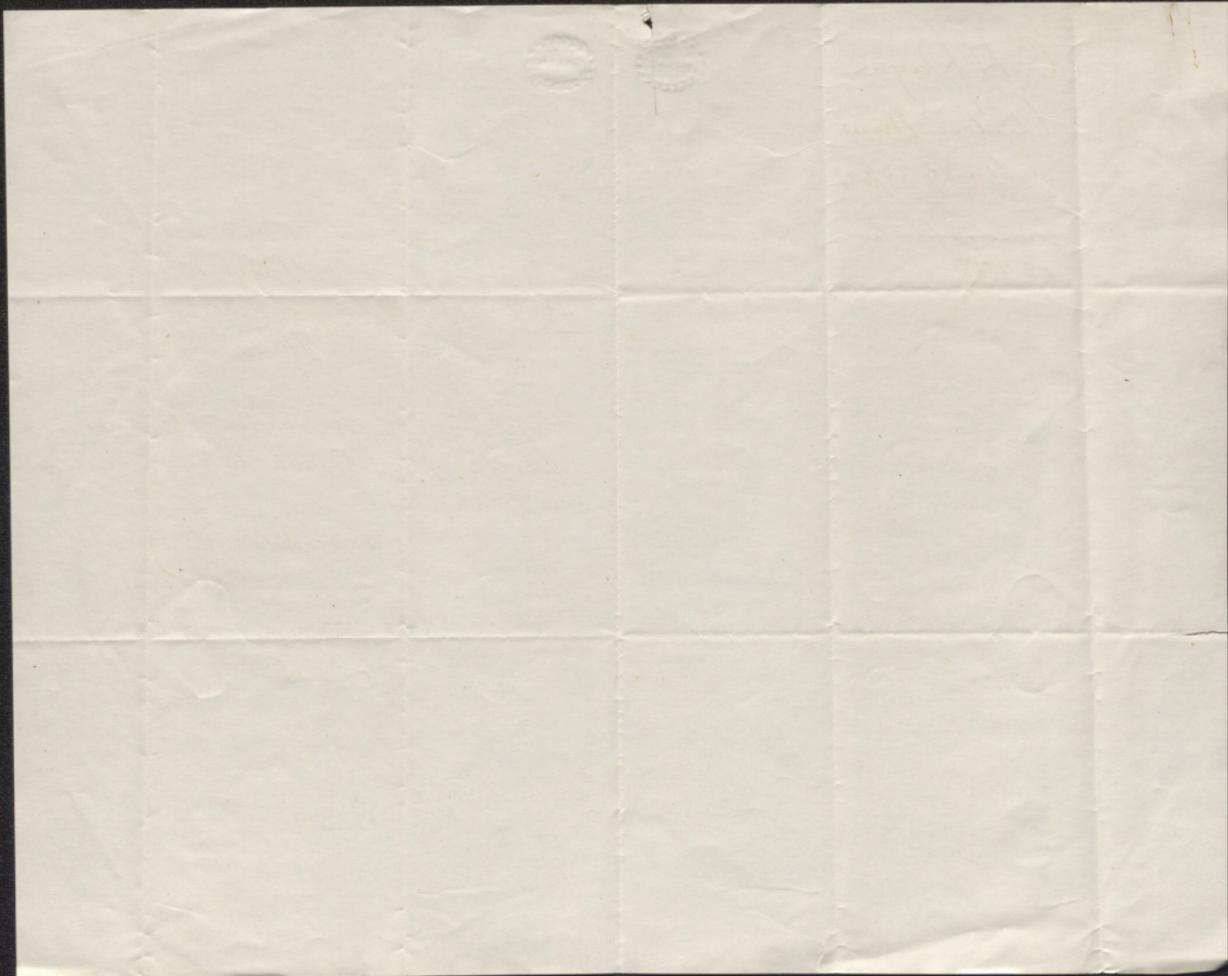
Dear Sir,

You will  
oblige me by forwarding to my  
address, your speech to be delivered  
on the 23<sup>d</sup> Inst.

Your obedient servant

C. H. Payne.

Andover, Mass.



Patrick Robb  
Dubuque  
Iowa  
March 23/58

Wants Speech  
of 22.

Dubuque Iowa  
March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1858.

Sir  
Will you please furnish  
me with a copy of your  
speech of last evening on  
the Kansas question  
and oblige

Yours very truly  
Patrick Robb

Hon. S. A. Douglas }  
U. S. Senate }



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Adrian March 23/59

How St Douglas

Dear Sir

Will you be so kind as to send me a copy of your Report on the Secession Constitution & such other Secession Anti Secession Doc as you think will be of service in 1860. Please pardon my presumption.

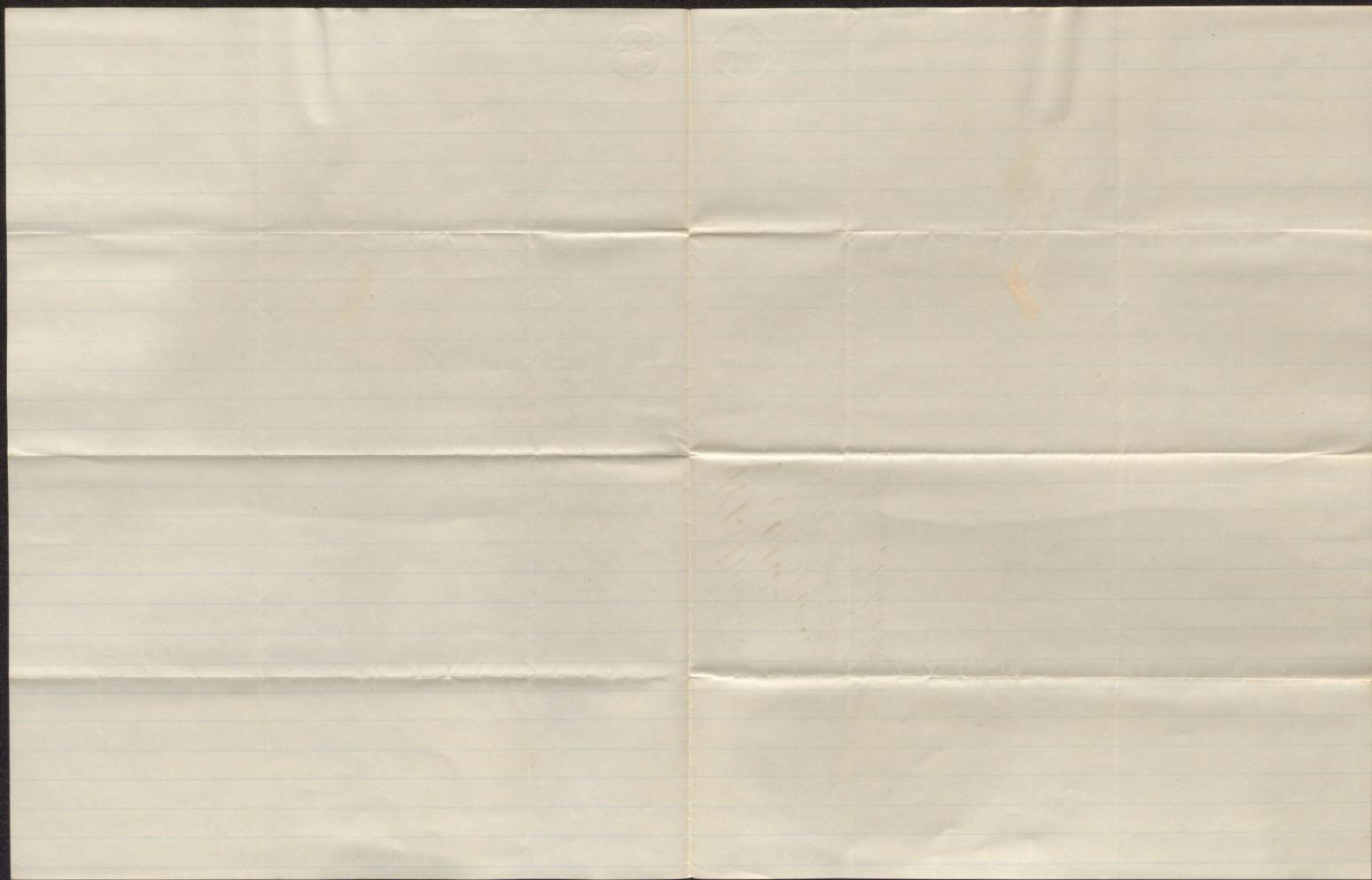
Yours &c

R. B. Robbins

PS Accept my thanks for a copy of your late speech on Secession Court

R B Robbins

R B Robbins  
Adrian,  
Mich;  
March 23/58.  
Wants Reported.



H. C. Rippele  
 Princeton College  
 March 20, 1858.

Wants Speeches,



Massachusetts Hall, Princeton  
 March 23<sup>d</sup> 1858

Hon. S. A. Douglas

Dear Sir:

May I

trouble you to forward me a copy  
 of each of your speeches in the  
 Senate, during the present session,  
 on the Disunion Constitution.

I Oblige You Respectfully  
 H. C. Rippele.

Hon. S. A. Douglas

Washington

D. C.



J. B. Scott  
Newark, N. J.  
March 23/58

Wanted Speech  
of 22<sup>d</sup>

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Newark N. Jersey March 23/58  
Hon. W. A. Sangster U. S. C. C.  
Dear Sir; Will you  
please have the kindness to  
send me a copy of your  
Speech delivered in the  
Senate on the 22<sup>d</sup> with on  
the admission of Kansas  
under the Seecompton Con-  
-stitution. Accept my thanks  
for your able speech against  
the construction of that  
fraud - the Seecompton  
Constitution

Very Truly Yours  
J. B. Scott  
Office 37 Newark St

1840  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the purchase of a copy of your book on the subject of the administration of the courts of this State. I have the pleasure to inform you that a copy of the same has been forwarded to you by express of the 15th inst. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. B. [Signature]

J. B. [Signature]  
11th [unclear]  
[unclear]

1840  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in relation to the purchase of a copy of your book on the subject of the administration of the courts of this State. I have the pleasure to inform you that a copy of the same has been forwarded to you by express of the 15th inst. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. B. [Signature]

S Griffiths Smith

Phila

March 23. 1858.

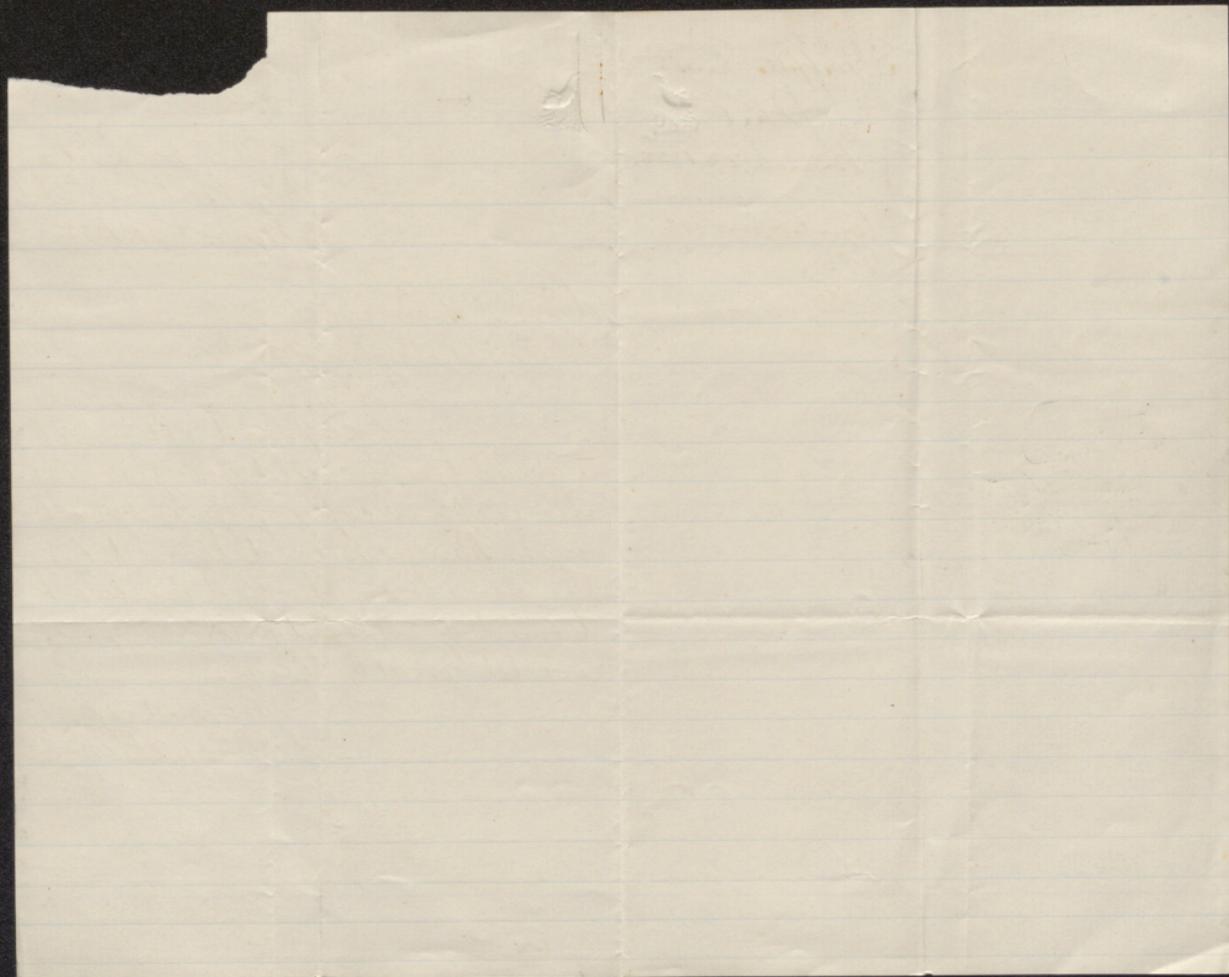
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Philadelphia  
637 Walnut St  
March 23. 1858

Hon. S. A. Douglas  
Washington, D.C.  
Sir,

I would esteem it  
a great favor could you furnish  
me with a copy of your speech  
on the Kansas Bill delivered in  
the Senate on the 22d instant.  
Could you send me one you  
would greatly oblige.

Yrs Very Respectfully  
S. Griffiths Smith



J H Spanow

Bloomington, Ill.  
March 20/58.



Bloomington Ills March 23 58

Dear S A Douglass

Political  
Wants, Speeches, &c.

WD

Sir  
it with great pleasure  
that I can assure you being  
a true Republican that your  
manly and patriotic course  
in the present National Crisis  
is received by your constituents  
of all parties is highly appreci-  
ated and that on your return  
to your own State you will  
be hailed by your fellow Citizens  
in a manner that your patriotic  
services please send your speech-  
es and any other documents you  
can. I am sure you obt servt

J H Spanow



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F. A. Stevens  
Bangor, Me.  
March 23, 1858.

Wants Speech of  
22.

Bangor, March 23<sup>d</sup>

Senator Douglas,

Hon. Sir,

Will you favor me with a copy  
of your late speech on the  
Kansas question.

And oblige your humble servant

F. A. Stevens  
Bangor  
Me

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas.

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Meriden Ct. N. H. March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1858

Hon. Stephen A. Douglass

Sir,

You will owe me a great favor in case you by sending to my address a copy of your Speech in Congress together with the Patent Office Report for 1857.

Your humble servant

E. G. Gould

Meriden

N. H.

The Hon. Stephen A. Douglass.



E. A. Todd  
Meriden, N.H.

March 25, 1858,

Wentworth & Co.

David Townsend  
 Boston Mass:  
 March 22/58,

Wm. Douglas  
 Wm. Douglas  
 Wm. Douglas

Boston March 23. 1858

Wm. Douglas

I have been reading this morning the Telegraph reprint of your Hon Husband's Speech of yesterday in the US Senate upon the Kansas question. And fearing you might forget me in your extensive correspondence. I have stolen the liberty of writing you. Will it be asking too much of you? to send a few copies of his authentic speech.

Very very Yrs  
 David Townsend



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London

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LONDON



Dartmouth College.  
Hanover, N.H.

Mar. 23, 1858

Hon Stephen A. Douglas.

Dear Sir

Please to send me a number of  
your speech

Yours with Respect  
John Fredrick Jr

John Fredrick, Jr  
Dartmouth College  
Hanover, NH,  
March 23/58

wants Speech.

Andover Mass March 23d 1838

Sir,

You will confer a  
great favor by sending me a copy  
of your speech on the Secession  
Constitution

Yours very respectfully  
J. Ho. Treat-

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas

J. H. Treat  
Andover, Mass.  
March 23/53.

Wants Speech.

E. W. Truesdell  
Syracuse, N.Y.

March 23/58.

Wants Speech  
&c.

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Syracuse N.Y.  
23<sup>d</sup> 1858

Hon. S. F. Douglas

Dear Sir

Herewith  
copy of your Speech on  
the Kansas Question  
delivered in the Senate  
on the evening of the  
22<sup>d</sup> inst. ~~There~~ is a  
suitable form for Reference  
I know of no better way  
to get it than by writing  
to your honor I can  
assure you that the  
people of this city will  
be pleased by your  
approving this great

Worthy A rich reward  
awaits those who  
do wright If you  
have a copy of the Compassion  
Globe for the last Congress  
that you can spare I would  
like it - very very much  
but I do not wish  
to put you to any  
expense or trouble  
to get this for me be  
sure and send the spec  
all of which will be  
gratefully received  
by your obedient  
servant

Adm<sup>r</sup> Edward J. Truesdell  
Care of O. M. Dougall  
Syracuse  
N. Y.



Meriden March 23<sup>rd</sup>

Dear Sir,

Will you please  
to send me as soon as  
is convenient, two copies of  
your last speech.

Your obt<sup>d</sup> servant.

F. J. Washburn,

Meriden

N. H.

Stephen A Douglas M. C.  
Washington,  
D. C.

To S Washburn

Meriden,

N H.

March 23/58,

Wants Speech





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Pierce Post Office Penna  
 Mar 23rd 1858

Wm St. Douglas  
 Dear Sir

You will please  
 send me your Speeches you delivered  
 in the United States Senate this Congress on  
 the Kansas Question

Yours &c  
 S. West P. M.  
 Pierce P. O.  
 Armstrong Co. Pa  
 Penna

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Pa  
March 23/58

Wants Speech

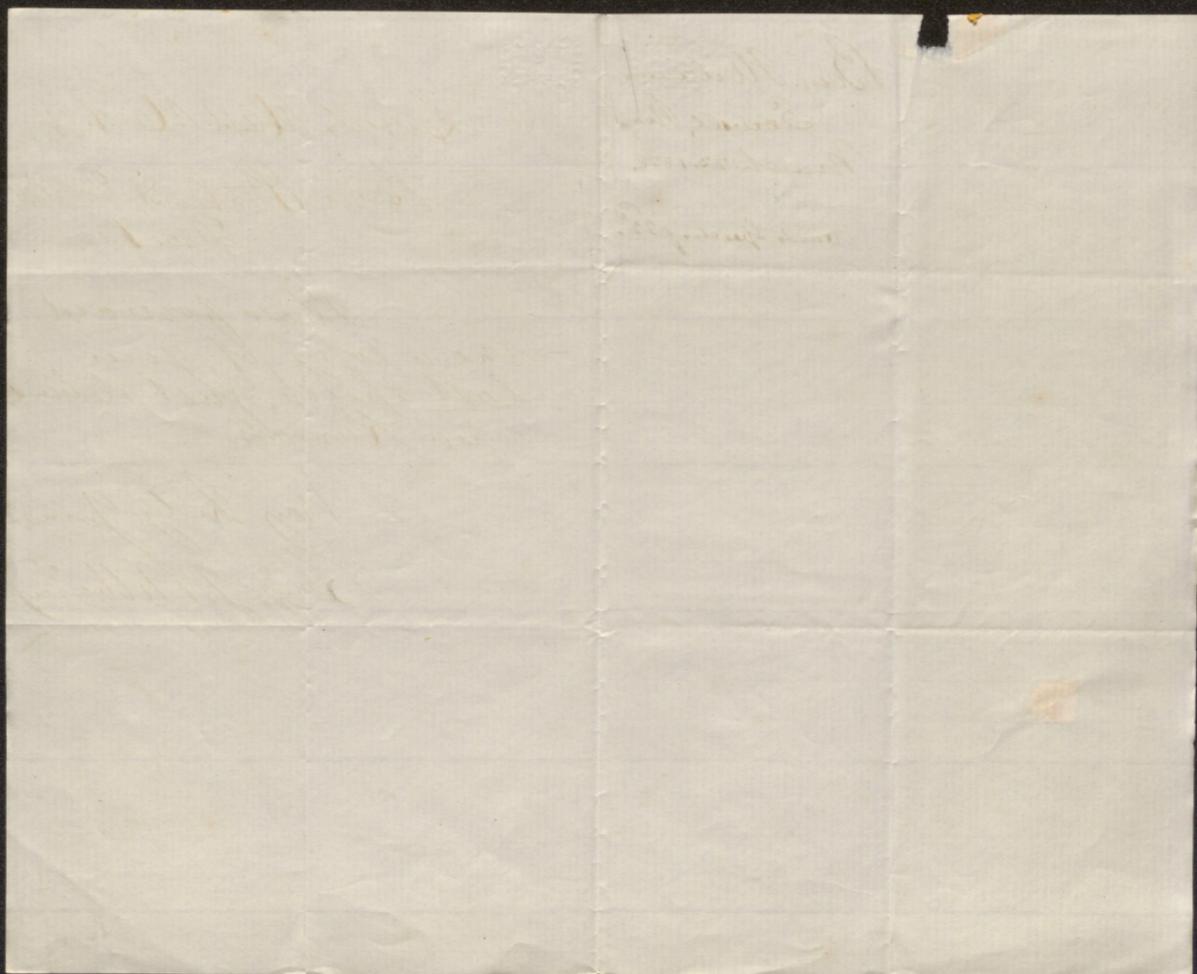
Benj. Williams  
 Lowell, Mass.  
 March 20. 1858.  
 Wants Speech of 22.

Lowell, Mass. March 23/58.

Hon. Stephen A. Douglass.  
 Dear Sir:

Please forward  
 me a copy of your  
last speech, just delivered  
 upon Kansas.

Very Truly Yours,  
 Benj. J. Williams



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Brainerd Williamson  
Philadelphia Pa  
March 23/58.

wants Speech of  
22 - to distribute.

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Philadelphia, Pa.  
Mar. 23/58.

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas,  
Senate Chamber,  
Washington.

Dear Sir;

I write you  
thus early, that I may not be last  
in procuring a copy of your speech  
delivered last evening in the Senate.

I am extremely desirous to obtain  
one (or a dozen for I can distribute  
them in a moment) and when you  
have published it you will confer  
a great favor upon me by mailing  
a copy to my address.

Hoping that your health is being  
rapidly reinstated; and with high  
regard for your manly and noble bear-  
ing in the exciting contest waging in  
the Senate, I remain,

Dear Sir, your  
Obl. Servt.

Brainerd Williamson

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Andover. Mass.  
March 25<sup>th</sup>

Hon: S. A. Douglass.

Dear Sir,

Will you favour me  
so much as to forward me a copy  
of your late speech on "Kansas"  
By so doing you will greatly  
oblige,

Yours respectfully,

Wm<sup>th</sup> Thinslow, jr.

P.S. Direct to the care of Cooke  
& Sewell 31 Maiden Lane  
N. York.

M Winslow, Jr  
Andover, Mass.  
March 25/58.

Wants Speech.



New Haven Ct  
March 23<sup>rd</sup> 58

Hon Geo. Douglass

Sir

Will you  
please send me a copy  
of your last speech  
in the Senate

Your Obedient Servant  
F. W. Winwell

Hon Geo A. Douglass M. C.

J. W. Wiggall  
New Haven, Ct  
March 23/58

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Joel Wolfe  
New York  
March 23/58.

Wants Speech  
of 22<sup>d</sup>.

Dear Sir

You will oblige me  
by sending the speech you deliv<sup>d</sup>?  
yesterday

Wm. Lock Wolfe  
22<sup>d</sup> Avenue St.



1870

London

10th Nov

Dear Sir

I have

the pleasure

to inform you

that the same has been

forwarded

to the proper

authorities