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which he presides, will be faithfully applied to the purposes for which it is given. Very respectfully

H. Clay Armstrong
Supt. of Education
State of Alabama

The above named B. T. Washington comes to me very highly recommended by gentlemen in whom I have much confidence & therefore think him worthy of the above recommendation.

R. W. Cobb
Governor

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¹ Rufus Wills Cobb (1829-1923), born in Ashville, Ala., practiced law there before the Civil War. After service in the Confederate Army, he resumed his law practice in Helena, Ala. From 1873 to 1891 he was president of the Central Iron Works in Helena, and was an attorney of the Louisville and Nashville Railway. He was governor of Alabama from 1878 to 1882.

Three Items from a Notebook

[Apr. 15-July 14, 1882]

EXPENSES, APRIL 15-MAY 9, 1882

EXPENSES

	Apr. 15	Telegram	.60
Trav.		Hamp to Farmington	11.00
		Board N.Y.	2.50
May	1	Farm. to Plantsville	.30
		Plantsville to Florence	.50
May	2	Florence to Northampton	.20
May	3	Northampton to Springfield	.50
"	"	Telegram to Boston	.25
"	"	Lodging & Board	1.00
"	4	" "	1.00
	6	Draft	.15
"	"	Lodging and meals	1.50
	7	" " "	1.00
	8	" " "	1.25
	9	Expenses from Springfield to Chicopee	