

The BOOKER T. WASHINGTON Papers

full particulars. I think this trip South opened his eyes to a good many matters.

I expect to be North about the middle of the month and hope I may have a chance to see you. Very truly yours,

[H. B. Frissell]

TLp Frissell Letterbooks ViHaI. Addressed to BTW at the Grand Union Hotel, New York.

To Frederick Douglass

New York, Apr. 2 1894

Dear Mr. Douglass: Enclosed I send a note of acknowledgement for Mrs. Carpenter.¹ A formal receipt will be sent you by our treasurer. You can not realize how very grateful we are for your interest and help. The grand and unselfish way in which you are giving your self to the cause of our race is a rebuke to many who live only for self. I am very grateful to you for kindly presiding at the meeting where I gave my little talk Friday night. Have put a note in the "Age" this week regarding the gift from Mrs. Carpenter. Yours Sincerely

Booker T. Washington

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¹ Mary (Mrs. Russell Lant) Carpenter was a longtime friend of Frederick Douglass. She donated \$242.75 to Tuskegee in 1894. (Warren Logan to Douglass, Apr. 5, 1894, Microfilm Reel 3, Frederick Douglass Papers, DLC.)

From Frank Bell

Pratt Mines, Ala., April the 4 1894

My dear teacher I will take much pesure in writing you a few linds To let you know that I am well. But not doing So well and I hope that this letter will find you well and doing the Seame.