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send the matter to Mr Alexander this week. You can hold the membership list until the last and then send it direct to him. I have not yet received the Treasurer's report.

Max Barber spoke last night to about 30 people on the Sovereignty of Ideals. He must have felt some what disappointed because when it came to discussing his paper nearly everybody insisted that Industrial Education was the primal necessity. Truly yours

S Laing Williams

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From Abram L. Grant

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My dear Friend: I have just reached Kansas City from Indianapolis and I write to say that it is believed there that the "Freeman" can be purchased for from \$1000 to \$1200.

I discussed the matter pretty thoroughly with Dr. Furniss and we have decided that if we can get four men to place \$250 or \$300 each, as the case may be, that we would purchase it provided we can get Prof. H. T. Kealing to edit it.

Dr. Furniss as well as myself, feels as if he would like to be a silent partner and I thought that you might desire to be a member, as we discussed the matter some time ago.¹

I think that Prof. Kealing would join the number and that would make Dr. Furniss, Prof. Kealing, you, and myself.

Kindly inform me at an early date what you think of it. Faithfully,

A. Grant

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¹ BTW's reply, if any, was not found in the BTW Papers, and there is no evidence that he owned stock in the Indianapolis *Freeman*, either directly or indirectly.