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Chase *is to get* his pay from Messrs Lankford, Dancy and Terrell.  
Am so glad you are pleased with my efforts. I am, Your obedient  
humble servant

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P.S. Thanks for letter — which has just arrived.

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### To Alexander Walters

[Tuskegee, Ala.] March 1, 1906

My dear Bishop: I send you my personal check for Twenty-five Dol-  
lars, to be used in connection with the work of keeping some one in  
the field, to do the work of the Afro-American Council.

I hope others may also respond to your appeal, so that you may  
keep up this important work. Very truly,

Booker T. Washington

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### To Harry C. Smith

[Tuskegee, Ala.] March 2, 1906

#### PERSONAL

Dear Mr. Smith: I have your letter of recent date, and appreciate  
your kindness in writing me so fully and frankly.

The more you come into contact with Trotter and his immediate  
followers, the more you will find that they have but one object in  
view, and they will soon part company with anybody who does not  
follow them in that respect. Their object is to try to tear down  
individual members of the race through misrepresentation, and  
personal abuse.

You, on many occasions have disagreed with me on matters of  
public policy. I have never fallen out with you for this. I always