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the North upon the issues that the Republicans are stimulating sectionalism by waving the bloody shirt and the conflict between the Negro (as a rival) and the labor union. These things involve a real danger and with no compensatory possibility either moral or material.

In the last analysis what will become of the Southern Negro if the states of the South are left free by paying the penalty to deal with him as they may please.

The Evening Post: It is true to its own nature. Excuse me for writing what, to you, can be only platitudes. Very Sincerely

Robert C Ogden

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To Harry Stewart New

Indianapolis, Ind. September 2, 1904

My dear Mr. New, This note will be handed you by my Secretary, Mr. E. J. Scott, whom you can trust absolutely. He has some matters to put before you which he will verbally state. Mr. Scott is continually serving me in many important matters in connection with President Roosevelt, and is thoroughly acquainted with all of my views and interests, and you can talk to him freely. He will let you know among other things something about what I have done regarding Mr. Knox, and what I am planning to do. Yours truly,

Booker T. Washington

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From Isaiah T. Montgomery

Mound Bayou, Miss. September 6th., 1904

My Dear Sir: When at our late business meeting I made slight mention of a species of lawlessness known as white-capping,¹ which had