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New York, January 20th, 1903.

Dear Madam:-

Have your kind favor of the 19th instant, and regret that you feel that you cannot be with us on Lincoln's Birthday, February twelth on account of your engagement to talk on the same subject on the same evening. Allow us to suggest that the entertainment for the boys will probably be over as early as 10 o'clock or in the event of its continueing longer that you could arrange to close your part of the programme at as early an hour, and by taking a carriage, which we shall be pleased to place at your disposal, reach us a few moments later.

Will you not kindly take this suggestion under advisement and when duly considered, we hope you can advise that you will be with us some time between 10 and 11 o'clock. I am,

Yours respectfully,

Chas. Dickie

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