

Davenport Ia, March 26/27

Mr A.G. Clark

M.W. Grand Master

201 High Ave

Oskaloosa Ia,

Dear Sir yours of the 15th was recieved,

And was glad to hear from you , But sorry to hear of
your bereavement you have our sympathie,

And i shall rember you in my prayer and ask to
help you to bear your burdens, Now Bro Clark

I was waiting in the hope of hearing from St Johns
but i have not heard any thing as yet,

The date would be all right with me ,

I ~~will~~ will be with Eutoka April 12th
the 13th with North Star ,Doric & Cedar Valley,

So the 19th will be all right, Was with Mt Ollive#17
the 15th, Now in regards to Maple Grove as you
have explained i dont them to go to the expence of
haveing me for i would feel very bad to come &
not have a quorum, & you tell the Bro not to go

to the expence for times are to hard,

Now if St Johns want me on the date stated to you
i will come if i heare from them ,

Would be glad to meet with you,

*Wishes to be returned to you and wife.
H.B. Smith*