

26 March 1945

Mr. C. T. Culberson, Grand Secretary
713 South Capitol Street
Iowa City, Iowa

Dear Sir and Brother:

I arrived home at 11:00 P.M. last night. It rained most of the way back. As I did not have to work today I went to see the O. D. T. about conventions. I had a talk with them and they gave me an application blank to be filled out and signed by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary. So I am mailing this blank to you to fill out and return to me, which I will file with them and get their ruling on it. So if they say yes we will hold Grand Lodge, if not there will be no meeting. As I stated to you all in the meeting that we should show our patriotism as the white Masons, but you know how hard it is to try to please your people.

Please fill out this application and rush back to me.

Fraternally yours,

Howard Brown, Grand Master