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## December eleventh,

Mr. J. D. Shearer, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Mr. Shearer:-

I am in receipt of your favor of December eighth and note what you say with reference to the matter I wrote you about, concerning Dr. Hayden. I am telling Miss. Hayden not to worry about the Dakota proposition. If it comes, all well and good, but if not, not to make any particular effort.

I do not think it would be wise to write either Dr. Stanton or Dr. Beyer. I think I know the local situation pretty well, and that would be my advice to you. Sometime or other I would like to talk the matter over with you.

When you have finished with the correspondence I sent you, kindly return the same to me, as I wish to file it away. You might have your clerk make a copy of the same.

Yours truly,

LHP/EMT.