

January 21st 1924

Percy B. Tripp, Esq.,
Washington, D.C.

My Dear Mr. Tripp:-

I am in receipt of your two favors of the 19th and on behalf of the Falls Church Bank I want to thank you for your generous offer of rebate on one-half the royalties on the building stone from your quarry. Mr. Dudley has also made us a reduction in the price of the stone delivered and agrees to save out during the winter the finest quality of stone that is quarried as he realizes that the erection of the bank on that corner will be a valuable advertisement of the quarry.

Regarding the payment of the royalties to the Falls Church Bank to be credited on your note your suggestion, as I understand it, is perfectly agreeable, as follows, viz: You give Mr. Dudley directions to pay the royalties each month to the Falls Church Bank; the Falls Church Bank to credit the same to your account and charge you with the \$100 which is to be credited on the interest on your note. Any amount in excess of the \$100 is optional to you.

I am enclosing you herewith copies of orders as I think are in line with your suggestion and I would be glad to have these returned so that I can get them before I leave.

Thanking you for your promptness in the matter, I am,

Very truly yours,
M. E. Church

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