

Wauwatosa etc January 10 1894

To Elmer L. C.
Raleigh N.C.

My dear Sir,

I will endeavor to get
Moses S. Check to make a payment but I
think it is doubtful about his doing so,
If he will not reduce the debt you had
better take the land back and resell it out.
There is no Cash Value for land in this
Country and when I sold on time amounts
to almost nothing, You took back one small
tract from Lewis Robertson but I do not remember
the number of acres, Will call Mr L. W. Purdy's
attention to this before, note, I never expected
to see such Land prices, Have sold 1.600
acres of land at very low prices over here \$25.
acres more that will sell for more than \$150.
per acre, Our Farmers have more meat
than usual but they can not pay old debts,
I would be glad to find some arrangement
but that is hard to do, All well and love truly
Jacob Purdy