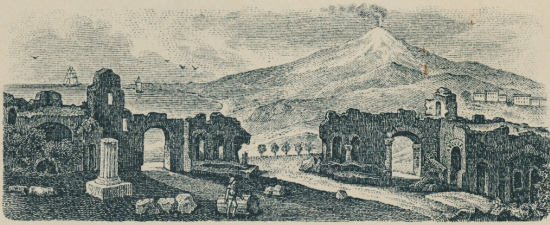


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Yours Excellency Gov. Carr?

My dear Sir

I am obliged to you for the pamphlet in regard which you kindly sent me. It is gratifying to me to learn (as you will remember) that five or six years ago I wrote a number of articles setting forth substantially the same views as does the writer of this pamphlet.

I expect to be at Raleigh as a delegate to the State Convention. I am anxious to get on the committee on resolutions as I want to draw up the plank in regard to school. Unless the convention comes out fairly friendly to me in this point we will meet defeat at the election.

With kindest regards.

Very truly
William H. Oliver