

O. M. ROYSTER

BROKER.

Hickory, N. C. Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> 1896

Mr. Alf. M. Thompson  
Raleigh N. C.

Dear Sir,

At a meeting of ladies  
this afternoon the following  
ladies were present:

Mrs O. M. Royster	Miss M <sup>c</sup> Comb
" L. G. Hay	" M <sup>c</sup> Intosh
" H. L. Abernethy	" Clinard
" H. L. Marler	" Susie Shuford
" C. B. Jones	Mrs N. M. Seagle
" M. C. Butler	
" J. L. Murphy	
" C. L. Shuford	

Mrs Royster was elected  
chairman, Mrs Hay Sec.  
Committees were appointed  
to advertise and work up

a crowd for the Polk Miller  
Lecture Monday 16<sup>th</sup>

He do not know what arrange-  
ment you have with Mr Miller  
or your plans for paying  
local expenses provided it  
is not a success. He cannot  
hold ourselves responsible  
but will use every effort to  
make it a success.

Will you kindly let me know  
about the admission fee, do  
we set it or does Mr Miller  
have set prices. To get a good  
crowd we have to have popu-  
lar prices which means cheap  
prices.

He would be glad to entertain  
Mr Miller if by so doing it  
would save anything <sup>handy</sup> the  
amount would go to the  
monument fund.

Please give me all the in-

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Information you can, every  
one asks a great many  
questions. And send the  
advertising matter as  
soon as possible.

Very Respectfully  
Wm O. M. Royster