

ETO: Elias Carr Raleigh, N.C. J

Southport April 2na 1896

His Excellency Elias Carr
My Dear Governor

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the little book sent to the boys — What can be done in the world by those least provided by Nature with faculties, is truly wonderful —

The State is to be congratulated that your wisdom in dealing with the Winslow matter, has been approved by the Court — I never doubted that would be the result, as otherwise we should have had a very inefficient and misadventurous State Guard, with practically no Commander in Chief

Mr. Custer desires to be remembered to Mr. Carr

Very sincerely & Respectfully
Yr friend & Servant

W. G. Curtis