

State of North Carolina,
Executive Department,
Raleigh.

July 10. 1896

Park Hotel

Raleigh N.C.

Dear Sir:

Dear -

Newark Gatefield - }
Grocery Store - }

Rev. H. S. Smith

I beg to acknowledge the receipt
of yours of the 4th inst, about which
there seems to be some mistake. I
am not aware that I have expressed
any desire for a personal interview
with you, ~~but on the contrary I desire~~
~~to again call your attention~~ Our
mutual friend ^{Mr. Hook} has been made
acquainted with what I deem the
outré conduct of Prof. Reed to
my daughter and your approved
justification of the same. ~~Nothing~~
~~but an apology to her will be~~
satisfactory ^{to} and suggested,
with my approval, he would ~~see~~
~~you see you~~. Even tho you may
have regarded her as one of your
pupils nothing but an apology
will be satisfactory ^{to me}.

Respyours

Elias Carr