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Hon. Elias Carr,
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Dear Sir:

I have just returned from New York and find your letter of October 12th. I would have written anyhow. I saw Mr. Walter Parker, who was discharged as a witness by Mr. Averitt. ^{Parker} He told him that he ^{knew} nothing in the slightest degree derogatory to your character, and nothing that would in any way aid him in the investigation. I have no doubt that you characterized him properly, and he admitted ^{to me} that he did not like you, but he said that he would like for you to know that he would not take part in any effort to impeach you, and that he knew nothing which could be construed to affect your character or this case.

Yours truly,

F. H. Bunker