

Baltimore 14th Dec. 26th 1878.

J. S. Blair Supt.

Summersfield N.C.

Dear friend

Shine of the 15th inst was duly received, but owing to the absence of Y. T. King I could not send the check until to-day. I now enclose check of Tyeon Mining Co to thy order for \$60. being amount of thy salary for last month. Please settle up with the schools as soon as possible, & have thy report here by the first of next month without fail, as it is very important that we have our report in time for London Yearly Meeting.

We think it likely that we shall need thy services again next Fall & Winter, & hope thou wilt be in a position to give us the benefit of them.

Thy friend

John C. Thomas Secy.