Dear Sir:—

March 31st, 1858.

Hon. Samuel McCloud, Sr.

I have perused a portion of the documents which you forwarded to me, for which you have my thanks. In reply to the suggestion upon the back of one of them I would name the following gentlemen to whom you can send documents.

John Waughtaling,
Charles Wellon & Potts R. Daily to be sent to Penna. Co.

William J. Maple, John Dewfield,
Hugh Jones and John Maple, to be sent to Whigton Mines, Penna. Co., Mr. Russell.

David Morris

If it is not too much trouble I wish you would send me a copy of the Patent Office Report for the last year—and any other documents with which you may favor me, will be thankfully received.

Yours, with respect,

George Jenkins
Edenton, Md.
Mar. 31, 1858.

Hon. S. A. Douglas;
U. S. Senate;

Dear Sir:

Though defeated in the Senate you are still right. Many Democrats in this region don’t hesitate to say so, but still think the President’s course justifiable on a political ground. Please send me your last speech on the Kansas question.

Yours truly,

L. R. Jones.
Philadelphia March 31, 1858

Mr. Stephen A. Douglas
Washington City
Dear Sir,

Will you be so obliging as to send me a printed copy of your "speech" on "Bloomington." By so doing you will greatly oblige the writer. Yours, Respectfully,

Thos. W. Garden
Care of Mr. Diller
Philadelphia
Columbus, March 29th

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
Dear Sir,

Please send me a copy of your speech on the LeCompton Constitution.

Yours truly,

F. A. Marble
Columbus, O.
Y A Marble
Columbus, Ohio
March 27 1859
Wants Speech
Bowed coll. Brunswick, Me.
March 31 1858

Dear Sir,

Please send me a copy of your speech on the 'Dreaplan' Constitution and oblige.

Yours Truly

Hon. J. Q. Douglass
Washington
Hon. Stephen A. Douglas,

Dear Sir:

Will you favor me with a single copy of your late speech on the Kentucky Constitution? I shall be pleased to receive any other favors from you.

Most Respectfully,

Geo B. Bussey,
Edgartown,
Mass.
Geo. B. Murphy
Edgcottown
Mar 1858
Want Speech of 20th
March the 31. 1858

Dear Sir

Post Office
Williams County Ohio

Mr. Douglas, there is a great excitement here about politics. The vast of the people is getting to be what is called Englishmen. We should like to have some great speeches at the doings at Congress. It will give you the names of a few that want to have some speeches there.

W. J. Kelby
Thomas Hudson
Henry Sheets
H. B. Kirby
Joseph Dinkins

Nachtan Kirk

Direct To Dear Sir
Williams County Ohio

Yours Truly

Jacob Hively
Jacob Hively,
March 31, 58,
New Sick P.O.,
Williams Co.,
Ohio,

Wants to speak
To: Gershaums
Pittsburgh, Pa. March 31, 1858

Mr. S. S. Douglas

Dear Sir,

Will you be so good as to send me a formal copy of your great speech recently delivered in the Senate in opposition to the Lecompte Bundle?

I have always been a Whig, held the office of Postmaster, and was Taylor & Fillmore at Greensburg, County seat of Armstrong. Where some friends, Messrs. McCullough & O'Neill, have stood out Anti-Lecompte, from a County in the State.

I am an entire stranger to you, I was introduced to you in Washington City in 1849. I think I recollect sight by now A.T. Ogle, member of Congress from Armstrong District who died some years ago. I of course do not remember much of anything else but the truth there are thousands in this County alone who have never been anything but Whigs, since Americans, Republicans are now.
Douglas Democrats or an Independent

I have not been a strong man, who am ready to have been a Republican or Democrat, but to Douglas for the future.

We cannot form any ideas of the result of tomorrow, we hope for the best, but fear the worst. The men who are wise, are now few. We must hope that the meeting of this government will have already made this much longer than I intended. Should you choose Mrs. Coade or Mrs. S. Parsons, remember to them.

I am very truly,
Your faithful friend,

Sam'l B. Saunders.
Samuel Lauffer
Pittsburgh, Pa.
March 31, 1858

Petition
Land Lottery
Sirs,

Clerk, U.S.

March 31, 1858.

Wants speech.

Exeter, N.H. March 31st, 1858.

Hon. S. A. Douglas:

Sir, will you do me the kindness to send me one or more copies of your late speech on the admission of Kansas under the Lecompton Constitution?

A subject of so much importance I think should be as thoroughly understood as possible. To keep myself posted as to the facts in the matter, I send this request.

Respectfully yours,

Lucius Smith.

Hon. S. A. Douglas,

Washington D.C.
Very Cordly, Boston

Mar 31st, 1858

Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to send to my address a copy of your last speech in the Senate on the admission of Kansas under the Lecompton Constitution.

And other of his recent speeches.


Respectfully,

R. W. Thompson

To the Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
United States Senator
Washington D.C.
Robt. W. Stanfield
Navy Yard
New York
March 31, 1858

Want Speech
March 31, 1855

Mr. Stephen P. South:

John H. Stet

Your kind invitation to your house was accepted, and I shall be glad to accept the invitation on Saturday at 12 o'clock.

Trusting for a very pleasant evening.

John H. Stet?
Newark, 31st March 1858

Mr. Bright,

I would oblige me if you would send me a few copies of your last speech on the Kansas trouble.

Yours Truly,

J.C. Tompkins

To Mr. S.T. Englehard
Brooklyn, L. I. March, 1858.

Dear Sir:

The coming Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, will be celebrated by Lexington Chapter, 17, Order of United Americans, on the evening of the 19th of April next, at the Brooklyn Athenæum, cor. of Atlantic and Clinton Streets, in this city, when an address will be delivered by the Hon. Jacob Broom, Past Arch-Grand Sachem, with other appropriate exercises.

The Order of United Americans is a national association to encourage and inculcate a love of our country and its institutions.

You are respectfully invited to unite with them.

We hope it may be convenient for you to honor us with your presence.

We are very respectfully, Your obedient Servants,

[Signatures]

[Address: J. B. Voorhees, Brooklyn]
An invitation to attend the celebration of the Battle of Lexington by the order of the United American on the 19th of April at Brooklyn N.Y.

J.B. Voorhees
Potter
Committee
March 31/58

Antwerp requested.
March 31st, 1858

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas

Dear Sir,

Will you have the goodness to send me several copies of your late speech on the admission of Kansas under the Leavenworth Constitution? Allow me to say to you that your course meets with the unequivocal approbation of the democracy in this section.

Respectfully,

[Signature]

Thomas H. Ward