Norfolk May 17, 1860

Hon Stephen A Douglas

Dear Sir,

It would be gratifying to many of your friends here to receive a copy of your late speech in reply to Senator Davis. If it is not too much trouble, will you do me the favor of sending to my address several copies or as many as you can conveniently.

You will recollect I had the honor of an interview with you lately in company with my friend Mr. Hurnelee of Washington, etc.

I am, Sir,

Very respectfully,

[Signature: Nathaniel Allen]
Ethan Allen
Norfolk, Virginia
May 17, 1860

Asks for Annual copies of Judge D.'s late speech.
Galesburg, May 19th, 1860

Dear Sir,

I take the liberty of addressing you with a free hand, hoping you will do me the favor of it if it is not too much to ask of you. That is to send me your old friend. Sum of yourDOCUMENT I am hear [ sic ] in the midst of a great many Black Republicans, and it is the common talk that the Democratic Party is broken up—but we are determined by all fair means to make Stephen A. Douglas our President—some Democrats are fearful—but I say we must do it for the salvation of our Country. I depend on this election. I hear good news from my son J.F. Branch at St. Joseph, the Democratic Party is strong, and we are gaining bear—Please send me some of your document and much obliged your humble servant,

James Branch.
James Bramble
Galesburg Knit Co. Ills
May 17, 1860

asks for some of
the Judge's speeches.
New Haven, Connecticut

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas

May 17, 1860

Dear Sir,

I have for the last week or more awaited anxiously for the delivery of your great speech on the Davis Resolutions. Will you, Sir, oblige me by sending me a copy?

Illinois & Buttecks

P.S. The people are strong in your favor in this vicinity.
Winatt A. Patricks
New Haven, Conn.
May 17, 1868
Coping of late A. Pewt.
Philada. May 17 - 1860

Hon. H. Longlass
Respected Sir -

Would please send a copy of your speech delivered in U.S. Senate May 13, 1866 1860 - on "Non-Intervention".

And Oblige

Neal F. Campbell
1118 S. 12th St
Philada. Pa
Neal R. Campbell
1118 S. 12th St.
Philadelphia Pa.
May 17, 1860

Copy of late speech.
Dayton, Montgomery Co.  
Ohio, May 17th

Dear Sir: I address you on behalf of a large number of
your future foreign constituents,
Requesting one or more copies of
your recent Speech in the Senate of
the U.S. a synopsis of which I have
just read in the Cincinnati Enquirer.
For my politics and leanings, I will
refer you to the gallant member of
Congress from this district (the 3rd of Ohio)
- G.E. (Deland). I am probably
lost, but I want to make it certain,
by addressing yourself.

With an humble apology for addressing
an entire and distinguished personal
stranger, I remain
Your old friend,
Michael Erskine
Michael Carbery
Clayton, Montgomery Co.
Ohio — May 17, 1860

Copies of late speech
Office of New York Chronicle
41 Park Row New York May 17, 1860


Dear Sir,

I take the liberty to introduce to you my son, the bearer of this, who makes a flying visit to Washington. You may be able to associate reunions with your Brandon memories.

Yours Truly

Chancellor Church
Huntsville Mo
May 17, 1860

New I. A. Douglas
Washington City

Dear Sir,

I see you have just made a speech in the Senate in reply to Jeff Davis. I wish to get a copy for myself, and several for my friends.

Two years ago myself and two others were all the Douglas Men in this portion of the State. Now two-thirds of the Democracy and at least one third of the opposition prefer you to any other man now living. But you had no time for this. The people,

Respectfully, P. B. Brody
W. B. Coates  
Huntsville, Alabama  
May 17, 1860  

Copies of late speech.  
Two thirds of the Democracy  
and one third of the opposition  
in his part of the state  
are for Judge D.
New York May 17, 1860

Honor. Stephen A. Douglas
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to forward me a copy of your speech as delivered in the United States Senate May 13th, as soon as printed?

And [illegible]

Yours Truly,

[Signature]
163 Broadway
New York
J. P. Correll
Easton, Penna.
May 17, 1860

Copy of late speech

Easton May 17

Yours S. C. Douglas.
Respectfully yours,

Please send me a copy of your speech on Davis' resolutions and slige

Yours, P. J.
J. P. Correll
Easton, Pa.
Philad 3d May 17 1860

Hon S R Douglass

Dear Sir,

Among the many thousands to whom you are introduced I am not vain enough to presume now to recall me; so the apology I offer in addressing you, is great admiration for your clarion and honest conduct through a persecution startling in its character, and more particularly for the manner in which you have defeated the combined forces by the late unanswerable speech just spoken. My object in writing is to request a copy of your speech if convenient. Wishing you all triumph at Baltimore worthy of your heroic action, I am with high regard,

J Redman Coxen
J. Redman Cope
Phil., Penn.
May 17, 1860
Copies of late speech.
To
Hon. S. A. Douglas,
Washington.

Sir,

Will you please send me a copy of your speech of the 15th inst. in reply to Mr. Davis of Mississippi, and slig.

Yours Obi. Servt.,
Geo. W. Crabbe, Jr.
Geo. W. Crabt W.
Harrisburg, Penn.
May 17, 1860

Copy of late speech
Mounton De Forest
New Haven, Conn.
May 17, 1860

asks for copies of late speech.

Hon. J. A. Douglas

Respt. Sir

Will you favor a political address and support it by forwarding to me your last speech as answer to the attacks of Hon. Mr. Davis and greatly oblige yours Respectfully

Mounton De Forest

New Haven, Conn.
May 17th, 1860
Dear Sir,

I hope you will excuse me for a short letter about the Charleston Convention and the ensuing Convention of Baltimore. I ask this indulgence in I know that your friends have already given you full information.

I refer for you every time when I was not controlled by my appointee delegations and to appoint me great pleasure to cast the vote that gave you a majority of the Electoral College. I will be in Baltimore if I possibly can and will certainly vote for you until you are nominated. I have but several friends in our delegation, but they were absent of the rest of the party. You can do what you would have done, in favor, if there must have a battle on the last day. I was much surprised to find such a bitter administration.
in America against you. I believe I was the only one in the Washington of those who were not feeling opposed to you. I think the interest of the Administration is gaining you strength every day with the people. I am sure you have reduced the number of unwise men in the Department of the Union. The Department will only then think of serious change if you will continue to be nominated. This may come in a request from North Carolina.

In order to say that your present was important to Charleston by some of your friends, Stuart Montgomery and McLeod became in the discourses to many men in the South who were different to prevent your nomination. If people who Richardson was not friends but have the enemy number of your friends, they could not have kept your influence. They were great and powerful in some places, but there were not more popular men in the South. At that time, Richardson was a friend of mine, and I believe he will be your partner in Baltimore. I hope to see you on my way to Baltimore.

Writhe the kind esteem,

[Signature]

Washington City

Best of your health,

[Signature]
Rob P. Veil
Grenada
N.C.
May 17, 1860
Political v.e.

Newland
May 2d 1860
14th
Dayton Ohio May 17th 1830

Hon. J. A. Douglas

Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to send me a copy of your reply to Jeff Dunn's deliveries on the 15th. I should like to have it before going to Baltimore.

Your truly,
John A. Dickey

P.S. This district sustains her delegate at Charleston.
John A. Dickley
Dayton, Ohio
May 17, 1860

Copy of late speech.
Baltimore, May 17

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas

Dear Sir: After having read a part of your speech, my reply to all

I am, with much respect,

Serg. B. Evans,

Baltimore, Md.

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
Levi C. Evans
Baltie, Maryland
May 17, 1860
Asks for copies of late speeches.
Mr. A. Everett
Chambersburg, Penn.
May 17, 1860

Thank you very much for your kind words and complimentary note. I am not aware of any copies of the speech you referred to.

Chambersburg, Pa. May 17, 1860

Hon S. C. Douglas

Dear Sir—

Would you be kind enough to send me a copy of your recent speech? I am anxious to see it in full; we have only yet received a synopsis which is not at all satisfactory. We are anxiously awaiting the results of the Baltimore Convention, and hope to have the pleasure of hearing of your nomination. The doctrine of Popular Sovereignty as advocated by you is regarded in this section of the country as strictly constitutional by all parties. Let us have the man of the people, the citizen and Statesman of the West and Pennsylvania, in shape for a handsome majority.

Yours truly,

Mrs. A. Everett
John Ferrey
Brooklyn, New York
May 17, 1860

Copies of late speech for distribution.
Kings Co. will give Judge D. 6000 majority.

Brooklyn May 17, 1860

Dear Sir,

Will you be kind enough to send me a few copies of your late speech? There is a feeling in this city in your favor, which, by the judicious distribution of your last speech, will be greatly increased. I of course am unknown to you but the interest I take in your success has induced me to address you, and I hope I may have the pleasure of hailing you as the candidate of the United Democracy in which case you may count on 6000 majority in this county of Kings.

Yours Respectfully,

John Ferney

Rev. Stephen A. Douglas
Brooklyn
New York
H. F. Hinegan
Wilmington, Delaware
May 17, 1860

Asks for copies of late speech as soon as possible for distribution in Delaware.

Wilmington,
May 17, 1860

H. F. Hinegan

A. D. Douglass
Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
Respectfully yours,

Tell you to do your best to have sent to me a number of copies of your last speech as quickly as possible. I would circulate them among my friends.

I state that I know of no other speech than this one that has had more influence on our affairs, particularly at the present time, when we are having demonstrations in your favor and in opposition to the Court. Pursue by General Bayard and Whitley, at the Charleston Convention, respectfully yours,

A. D. Douglass
Agent
Hon. J. A. Douglas Sir. Please send me a copy of your speech of the 15th and Objection now Murphy.

Mrs. Goodwin

Smithfield No. May 17, 1860
Mr. Goodwin
Smithfield, Virginia
May 17, 1860

Ask for copy of late speech.
Mr. Gideon
Ogdensburg, N. Y.
May 17, 1860
Copy of reply to Paris.
Eulogists &c.

Ogdensburg, May 17

To Hon. A. Douglas.

The telegram has brought
us Extracts of the conclusion
of your speech
I can say from my heart
you use the Slave
Douglas & I am pleased
by your Manly Course
A Independent Bravery
news Shirk from the
attack of the Enemy of
Democracy.

We have a name to a
name to be proud of
if we should be defeated
this Election I have friends
of the Democratic Party this
day that I ever was in
my life.
Please send me your last check to accept my thanks for last favour.

The young men that are Democrats for this man is all your friends but their offer holds out for ye wants an A. Man like Mr. Buchanan that can be easily managed but the treason is made by those young men. If we get Mr. Douglas for President he will be Master.

Accept my best wishes for your health.

John Truly, W. J. Gordon
Dwell Creek Mar 17 1860

Mrs. Douglas,

Dear Sir,

We have near our

Letch's home here & yet speeches of hi.

View of thing & your friends' whiles are

plenty here request one to write to you

for your speech in answer to Jeff Davis

a few days ago want you to deare as money

as you can direct them to me & I

will distribute there, we find our township

as large a majority as ever township

in the state. As of voters our

majority is one hundred & ten off 750

voters & we are all for Douglas but

one & he is for Buchanan all you

of care of accomplishment that rate or

the question your patriotilly

A. J. Griffith

Dwell Creek

Madison Co.

Indiana
A. Griffith
Duck Cr. Clinton Co., Ind.
May 17, 1860

Democrat in his township
all for Judge D. except
one - for Buchanan. Also
asks for as many if
late, as can be spared.
Philadelphia, May 17th, 1860

Mr. S. A. Douglas,
Washington City. Dear Sir,

Will you have the kindness to forward me a copy of your speech delivered May 15th in the Senate. I can not get a copy here. By so doing you will confer a favor upon one of your numerous political friends.

Your Ob't Serv't,

A. W. Guernsey,

P.S.

This request is based upon the opinion that they are published in pamphlet form.

Very truly yours,

A. W. Guernsey

To Hon. S. A. Douglas
9 1/2 4 Green St
Phil
Brooklyn N.Y.
May 17, 1860

Dear Sir:

Pardon me for thus addressing you as a stranger, but politically I am not a stranger, I have never your last great speech and cannot say too much in praise of it. May I be the first that in your printed document to praise that, I may be considered as me.

My reference is Mayor Powell of this city - Hon. Jno. A. Lott & R. B. Morse.

I trust you will excuse my holomen, as I have no other aim, but to support a true consistent Democrat.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

[Address]
H. Hartman
Brooklyn, New York
May 17, 1860
Copy of letter speech.
D. L. Hartwick Esq.
70 24. Hale St.
New York City
May 17, 1868

asks for copies of some of his speeches, especially of the late speeches.

New York
May 17, 1868

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
Dear Sir,

Read me a quantity of your speeches including the last delivered upon the "Dane Resolutions" May 13th & 16th. Anything of the kind you may feel disposed to send, of time at any time, will be used to advance the interests of the time.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

J. L. Hartwick
29 Wall St.
New York
COMSTOCK & HARTWICK'S
Law Offices,
No. 29 Wall Street,
ALBERT COMSTOCK,
D. L. HARTWICK.
NEW YORK.
H. Hayner Esq
167 Broadway, New York
May 17, 1860

asks for copies of
late speech.

New York, May 17, 1860

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas
Dear Sir:

If convenient, please send
me two copies of your
speech delivered in the
U. S. Senate on the 15th
and 16th insts.

By doing so you
would confer a favor on
one of your numerous
admirers.

Yours, Very Respectfully,

Herrick Hayner
Dear Sir/ma'am, lend your late speech and abdicate your office.

Meredith Village  
May 17th 1600 N Y
West Troy, Albany Co., N.Y.
May 17, 1860

Dear Sir,

Please send your last speech in the Senate with the extract referred to. A. McAllister, M. Taylor, G.B. Fraser and also your obdurate friend.

Isaac Hitchcock

Yours,

S. A. Douglass

N.B. If you would send one to David Wheeler, Blackburg, Va., be sure he might be saved. He was once a sound Democrat. I suppose we would take him back if O.T. Mr. Buchanan did not protest against it.
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Publication Office of the "Virginia Weekly Star,"
Morgantown, W. Va., May 17, 1861

Mr. [illegible],

Dear Sir—

If printed, please send me a copy of your speech delivered last year in defense of Gen. Jackson.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully,

N. N. Huffman
W. W. Holland
University of Virginia
May 17, 1860

ask for two or
three copies of a speech
collected delini, part
of which he read.

University of Va.
May 17, 1860

Hon. N. A. Douglas
Mr.

Please favor me
with a copy of your able address
that was delivered yesterday. The
day before, I had the pleasure
of hearing a great portion of
it, and was very much edified
by the leading copies of the
day. I should have stayed and
heard you through, if I possibly
could, but there there was not
my own. I am,
Your obedient servant,
and
W. W. Holland
Commissioner from Va.
E. H. Holloway
Richmond, Kentucky
May 17, 1860
To an Alternate Delegate,
Quite near Wash., &
Ralls.
Ask for a few copies of reply to Davis.

Richmond, Kentucky, May 17th
Hon. A. Conglass
Cedar Dr.

I wish you would send me a few copies of
your speech in reply to
How I, Davis & Dix. I think
I can as much as with
them. Kentucky is by no means
prepared to consider the action
of the Democrats at Charleston.
I will be at Baltimore, I
presume as a delegate being an alternate
known. Considerably about my movements
I will be in Washington and will be
glad to see you in person and
flatter myself as being able to give
you some information truly satisfactory
in person.

Yours truly,
E. H. Holloway