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Fisher 1874 Aug. 17 HIMES, CHARLES FRANCIS

To William Righter Fisher.

Dear Mr. Fisher,

I was sorry I did not get to see you when in Philada. last week, as I wd have liked to have had a long chat with you, but on seeing the telegram saying you were in N. York I left for York, Pa. on Friday evening & very fortunately too it proved, as I was just in time to take a last look & take part in the last sad rites of a dear relation of mine. - I wd have written you earlier had I not anticipated seeing you & have give you a survey of the field. - You have doubtless seen the Sunday Mercury &c, have seen the style of warfare adopted by the non-elect. Internal evidence shows they are all in it. There is one remark there either manufactured, or inferred or perhaps obtained from you by Trickett as might be very hatural in conversation. I learned also from a member of the Board in Philads that Mrs H. had written him that a letter to you from me marked confidential three times had been read & that it was in regard to the removal of Prof. Hillman & asking whether you wd take his place &c. The member of the Board voted to the last for Hillman, (it was De Bird) but is now satisfied from all that has been said & done since that the action of the Board was wise & proper & just & that H has placed himself beyond help from his friends. He suggested that I had better see you as you might possibly be imprudent. I stated that I had every confidence in yr judgement in the matter & that no injurious use cd be made of any of my letters to you. - I have lost all respect for Trickett; he still abuses Hillman but still conspires with him. Both he & H expected to get Rittenhouses place - T wd have had no earthly chance, but cd have assisted H in making a push for it that wd have been annoying. That however is settled. Prof. Little will doubtless fill the place, & I must say that from all I can learn will do so with great satisfaction to the friends of the College will let you know as soon as anything definite is known.

The prospects for the coming year I think are good; I feel much encouraged, as soon as we get in running order machinations, & lies will be borne down. Fortunately Dr M'Cauley's character stands so far above the assaults of these individuals that they only exhibit the disposition on the fact of their making them & do no harm. I have met many friends of the college and members of the Board & all counsel Silence & that accords so fully with with my own judgement.

Let me hear from you soon. Cant you run up to Carlisle for a few days say next week - that is after the 24th of Aug. - when I expect to be in Carlisle. Please dont say anything about contents of this to any one, or about its receipt to T if he calls on you again.

Yrs. truly Charles F. Himes,

P. S. Address me at Carlisle Pa as the letter will then reach me with certainty & as soon as here.

CFH

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