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T. P. LUKENS
REAL ESTATE, LOANS AND INSURANCE

CHOICE HOMES AND EUCALYPTUS LAND A SPECIALTY

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:

343 WAVERLY DRIVE

FOR SEVERAL YEARS UNDER COMMISSION AS
 U. S. FOREST EXPERT AND FAMILIAR WITH
 THE REQUIREMENTS OF EUCALYPTUS

PASADENA, CAL., *April 29* 1910.

My Dear Mr. Miner,

Knowing of our lasting friendship,
 I want to say a few words to you in
 regard to my dear granddaughter, Charlotte.
 She has grown to be most - a woman
 now and is at the Young Woman's Christian
 Association in San Francisco 1249-1259 O'Farrell
 St. She is boarding there and looking for
 a situation as book-keeper and type writer. I
 have sent her to school here and she has
 graduated and has her diploma, but - as
 yet - has no experience in practical work,
 and of course does not expect a position
 where experience is required. I bought
 her one of the best type writing machines
 and she has that with her. I want to
 ask of you, dear Mr. Miner, to call on her
 the first time you are in San Francisco,
 and if you are not going to be there very
 soon to write to her; also, if you will, to
 write a letter to the lady in charge Mrs. E. A. Gordon

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Office Sect; at the above address. You have not seen Charlotte for a long time, but you have me, and I am sure you will have confidence in what I say. Charlotte is a very dear good girl. I can not discuss the cause of her going to San Francisco, but I assure you there is not a stain on her character.

In your extensive acquaintance in S. F. I thought you could help very much in getting her into a good place. I don't mean as to salary for that will not count - as any thing, but to get with good people does. If there should be something presented in which she should have more schooling, I am willing and will be glad to spend any amount of money necessary to prepare her.

Now, my dear friend, I know you are busy, and we all want you to be busy writing; for we are all hungering for your beautiful writings.

But if you can take a little time in this, you will be doing a love deed that will ^{help} Mrs. Lukens and me, and the dear girl. Her name now is Charlotte Gant. God bless you,

With love from all, I am,

Ever sincerely yours,

J. P. Lukens.

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