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Mr Stevenson.

Sir.

Yours of the 14th is just received. In reply I would state that, if you can not contract with Mr Longpecker for a certain length of time, engage the woman from month to month. and he shall be paid monthly. If you rent the room I will send him some blanks to make out his bills on, and then send them to me, and I will send them to Galveston (approved) for payment.

In the mean time look out for a building that you can contract for, for at least three months.

I am sir very Respectfully
Your Obdt Servt
J R Tilch
Lt and Sub Asst Commy
B R F & A L.

Mr
Stevenson
Lavaca