Asso. Miss. Assoc
204. W. Madison St
Chicago Nov 15/71

Miss Ann Knox
Galveston Tex

Dear Friend

We are very glad to get your letter of Nov 6. 1871, and the information it contains. We enclose you a draft for $30. Please state in voucher to what date that pays you. We also send the duplicate draft for Miss Nichols of Nov 15 The original must have been lost. Either also state in vouchers to what date that pays her. You must hold on in Galveston until the matter about possession of the school house is settled. We do not want teachers in trouble, and should not discharge you without notice. Our money matters are done since the fire, and we had hoped that the draft for Miss N. would find her after quarantine.

We have no other than the highest opinion of Mrs Stevenson and proposed the change to relieve her from embarrassment. We were not dissatisfied with her, and knew the colored people were not. But we also knew that her

suffered embarassment from the attitude of same in political power, and might see relief in a change.

Remember to assure him of our confidence which is shared also by his self-denying lady assistants at Barnes Institute

Yours truly

C. H. Howard Sec

per J. M. Phelps

P. S. We hear from Corpus Christi that Mr Ballard has arrived there.

The Bank clerk has written Miss Nichols name May. Let her endorse as written or simply her initials