



# STATE OF ALABAMA

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Honorable Harry Walker#

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Dear Friend:— You know party we were speaking of last night who might enter the race according to your belief: Well it maybe that he will make the attempt, will see you when convenient.

Also wish to add something that I hope you will be able to do something with: Do you recall TALLEY WILLIS? He used to be Federal Marshall, and is a republican of the very deepest dye, and also worked all over Jackson County for Governor Graves, and the Gov. knows him and knows just all that he has accomplished. This man and his family are on sufferance and absolutely are in need of food and clothing, and we do not know what in the hell to do about it; He bitterly resents anything in the way of temporary help his friends might do for him and is about to go nuts.

I asked for him a place early in the Administration and didnt get it, and if it is permissible, why not put him on as a guard in Wetumpka or any place down the line, and it will help us wonderfully when the wet season comes for the man can really handle hay when hay time comes among certain people.

See if this is permissible and by all means if it is do something before this man commits suicide or does worse than this.

With Kindest Regards

Smith