

Selma, Ala., March 18th 1910

My Dear Mrs McCallum

Your letter with plans
of C. H. just received - To
say that I appreciate the
trust & confidence you are
willing to show me but
fairly expresses my feel-
ing in the matter - But, Dear
Madam, I am not compe-
tent - really, & truly, I am
not - The room is a very
small one - but as you
said conspicuous - & great
care & good judgment are
needed - Either some one
or a Committee should
see the room & get the ex-
act inches in spaces before

any gifts - Again, I ask
pardon for suggestions
and am as ever

Sincerely
Kellie T. Baker

I think an original engraving
of V. P. Irving - by the U. S. Gov-
can be procured - if wanted
Mr Irving is buried here in
Selma - & the D. A. R. keep
the little lot in order - a large
Mistle Vane is over the grave
moved from his plantation
where he was first buried -

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My Dear Mrs M^r C. C. C. -

I find that I neglected to return your plan of Corn Hall - and enclose it with this letter - If a pair of Boss and Thomas could be secured - a really good pair about 24 in high of Vick Pres Tingo can be had for 20⁰⁰, The prices are old - & much involved financially necessitating the sale of these relics. Miss Baylorn tells me they have some fine pieces but your Corn - should meet me - or see anything before purchasing or accepting

any article of furniture is
either accepted, or purchased
and as I judge this is a
mating or reception room
these seats should be comforta-
ble. I should think a handsome
Davenport - a gloss Lee front
Secretary - for ornaments &
use as well & some chairs
My sister owns a Lee's of
this sort - once belonging to
V. P. Irving - but I doubt if she
will ever part with it - as it
was a gift to her. I will se-
cure a piece of the china
in a few days unless my
old friends change their
minds - & give it to you as
soon as a suitable place

is provided - I still think best
for the opening - I would get
some Antiques dealer in Washington
to put in the pieces - rug oc -
r an Expert on the mirrors
& door draperies, if decided
upon. There are many people
much more capable of ad-
vising in this than I could
ever be, even with the best
intentions.

Most sincerely thanking
you again.

Lellie T. Baker.