

Texas  
Berarkana; Oct 26<sup>th</sup> /78

Very Rev. E. Sprin

Very Reverend & Dear Father

Were it not a sudden  
and inexticable difficulty  
in finances, I would have  
waited with great pleasure  
to cash your note or real  
promise on the affair of  
the league of land. But  
all that once we lost or  
rather we were advised  
by our lawyers to compromise  
in a law-suit pending  
since several years: the  
amount fixed between our

lawyers with some other  
expenses have to be paid  
without delay, which just forms  
the amount of two thousand  
dollars (\$2000.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>).

As I would be in  
extreme difficulty in facing  
this obligation of conscience,  
I expect to have immediate  
word from you, directed to  
Amarikana, Texas, where I will  
be the whole coming week, &  
will meet our dear Countryman  
R. Rev. P. Dufal.

I am confident that you  
will be able to fulfill your  
promises & our wishes; &  
we will continue what is  
so dear to our heart, an  
exchange of prayers & blessings.  
From your devoted  
+ C. H. Dubois Secy. of Epist.