

Handwritten flourish or signature

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*My dear Sir
I have your favor of the 16th inst
and am glad to hear you are well
I have not had time to write you
before now but I will do so
as soon as I can. I am
very truly
Your obedient servant*

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*In reply to your favor of the 16th inst
will say, - You are correct in regard to the discount
I should have been 20% instead of 25% as I
I or credit you the difference - We also made the
same error on the last invoice so will credit you
the difference. We think you will find the handles
like sent you about like your sample - We have had
considerable trouble to get the handles like your sample
We have been obliged to make a thorough machine
in purpose for your handle - This will cost more to
make than handles of more than any we make - It
takes more timber & is harder to make in every respect
We think we have it about right now -*

*Yours deeply
John Dunning Capt. West*