

2011 Vermont Ave.,

Washington, D.C., April 29, 1892.

Hon. Albion W. Tourgee,

Maysville,

N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Please have the kindness to inform me, at your earliest convenience, whether you can lecture in this city on or about the 18th of May, 1892. Please state the terms under which you may be engaged.

It is proposed to charge no admission fee but to invite the public to hear you. The plan was suggested by Hon. B. K. Bruce, and has the cordial support of Hon. Frederick Douglass.

Hoping to receive an early and favorable reply,

I remain,

Very truly yours,

*Jesse Lawson*

*P.S. The lecture is to be on some phase of the "Race Problem".*

*J.L.*