Gentlemen:

I have your notice of claim in your hands from McDonald & Son for $243.25 against the Burr Publishing Company. That company does not owe them gentlemen anything and cannot owe them anything.

There is a claim on their part for about that amount for which I have a counter-claim considerably larger.

~~The Company assumed a~~

If one of you will call at my office I will explain the whole matter and you will see at once the helpless-ness of your clients' claim. If

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they are entitled to any
recovery it is against
me personally and me
alone.

Yours respectfully

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