

To His Excellency,

Hon. William McKinley,

President of the United States.

We, the undersigned colored citizens of Lansing, Michigan, do heartily indorse the candidacy of Hon. Albion W. Tourgee, <sup>consul</sup> of Mayville, N.Y. for the position of ~~Minister Plenipotentiary~~ to Glasgow, Scotland. Hoping that you may see your way clear to bestow this high honor upon him, we desire to assure you that this appointment will greatly please his many friends throughout the great State of Michigan.

H. G. Jackson.

G. D. Haughton

James Johnson.

Horace G. Jackson, Jr.

Joseph C. Ford

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Chas. Green

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Geo. Speer

Geo. Randall

Arthur May