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March 7. 1900

Mr. A. W. Tourgee
U.S. Consul, Bordeaux. France.

Dear Sir:

Your request for information regarding Joseph Fenwick in the Philadelphia Press of Jan. 29. 1900 was handed to me as being one interested in the matter.

Joseph Fenwick was my grandfathers uncle. I gladly give you such information regarding him as I possess.

My father James Athanasius Fenwick and sisters, inherited the little property left by Franco Columbus Fenwick son of Joseph Fenwick they being the nearest relatives.

Joseph Fenwick was the son of Ignatius Fenwick of the state of Maryland and Maria

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Ate his wife.

I quote from a letter written from France to my father when he was proving his rights as heirs F. C. S. "The father of Francis Columbus Fennick was Joseph F. Fennick a man of much respectibility and wealth, he separated from his wife who was a great character and had plenty of money of her own. When she died she left 100.000 francs to a dancing girl in Paris."

Madam Fennick was a French woman but I do not know her name.

Aaron Burr while in France was very intimate at the home of Joseph Fennick especially with Madam Fennick say some of the lives of Aaron Burr

Joseph Fennick never to our knowledge returned to this country dying in France, but somewhere about 1816 or 1820 F. Columbus Fennick visited this country.

Mr Edward J. Fellers 805 Betz Building, Phila. Pa. is compiling a genealogy of the Fennick family and may be able to give you further information but I doubt it.

Yours very respectfully

Mary A. White

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