

B. F. Martien,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Hardwood Lumber

and Staves,

Meadow Creek, W. Va., April 26 1892

Mr. Sabard Hurm  
Princeton, N. C.

Dear Sir

Your of 25<sup>th</sup> rec and contents  
noted will say in reply have been sick  
and unable to look over your timber until  
yesterday, which I done carefully and  
have come to the conclusion that I do not  
want it at that price under the circum-  
stances in which the tract is in  
there is very little oak on the ridges and  
what there is is of a poor quality and I  
have learned from experience that the paper  
up there is no good, hoping you will be able  
to make a prompt sale to a good advantage

I Am Yours Truly  
B. F. Martien