# 115 Gallatin St. Huntsville Ala. Aug 6 - 1900

Dear Folks:-

I did think I would write to you long before this, but I've had so much writing to do & besides I've been pretty busy since I came here.

Huntsville is a beautiful little city of 16000 people. We have street cars, electric lights, water works & everything else to compare. This is quite a health resort. There are natural springs here & the

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water is mineral.

I don't notice the heat here as much as I did in Ia. There is constantly a good breeze from the pines on the mountain sides. The principal mountain is 1600 ft. high. It is several miles up to the top of it. I've never been up there but they say it is fine up there. There is a large hotel up there & board there is \$40 per month. People are there from different states just for the summer.

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I think the southern people are more friendly than they are in the north. Of course the majority of the people never heard of Osteopathy, but they are as a rule willing to investigate it. The better class, the reading class such as the preachers, lawyer, Ect.[sic] knows what it is. Still Osteopathy has some warm friends here, as several have been cured by it, after all else had failed. We have office rooms in a

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private dwelling house centrally located. I don't usually come to my rooms on Sun but did yesterday P.M and got a lady patient with Dropsy. It was caused from heart trouble & her heart trouble was caused by a vertebrae in upper dorsal region being at least 1/4 of an inch anterior. Medicine Electricity or any other experimental medicinal treatment will cure her. If her back can be fixed & that irritation taken off those nerves to the heart

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she will improve. I'm treating a banker for stomach trouble. His trouble is not in his stomach any more than in the "North Pole" but he has two vertebrae to the side interfering with the nerves controling the nutrition. He is improving & I surly[sic] expect a complete cure.

I am treating a lawyer for bladder trouble & his trouble is in the nerve supply to his bladder. He is getting better.

The Medical Board sent us a letter this A.M. telling

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us we had to appear at once for examination to get a certificate to practice medicine. I had my lawyer, the one I'm treating to write them a letter. I don't know whether we will be bro't up in court or not. But one thing sure the law here has nothing that can touch us

& their trouble will only advertise us. I only hope they will go ahead & take it thru court then our advertising will be free. While now I have

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a six inch column in a daily paper & change the write up every day.

We are getting along well & I am proud my lot has been cast with Huntsville & Osteopathy.

I would like to hear from you folks.

I saw a negro hung the other day for immoral conduct toward a white girl 13 years of age.

Let me hear from you.

I close with Love to all.

C. Z. Miller