

Danbury, Conn.
April 22-1911.

Miss Frances Hosford.
Oberlin Academy.
Oberlin, Ohio.

My dear Miss Hosford:-

Pardon
my writing with a lead
pencil. I am in bed and
can only lie in one posi-
tion so I find a lead pencil
easier for me to use.

I had some money
from a Loan Fund when
I was in Oberlin College.
I do not remember the
amount, but I am send-
ing you an order for

You remember perhaps that I was on the border of consumption when I left Berlin for the South; but I tried to teach some fighting against breakdowns until about five years ago. The past two or three years I have been a great sufferer. Have been in bed eight months now and it is a great wonder to the Drs. and those who care for me how I hold out.

As long as I was able to do anything I always had great ambitions and hopes for the future and it has been hard for me to give up and say it is all for the best.

I am wholly reconciled.

Ten dollars. I should have settled this some time ago, but I was going to give or leave a sum of four or two hundred dollars for the students fund in Berlin. I loved Berlin and my heart has always gone out towards the working students there.

A long lingering fight with consumption has made it necessary for me to change all my plans about my money and the little bit I have left must go to those who are caring for me and my last expenses.

now and willing to go
as soon as God calls me.

Please let me know at once
the amount of my debt and
I am sure my folks will meet
it if I am not able.

You were always a good
true friend to me when I
was in Berlin and I have
often thought of the pleasant
times I had doing little
things for your family in
your home. Mrs. Brinker
and Mrs. Belden were so
kind to me and I always en-
joyed working for them.
Kindly remember me to
those still in Berlin
whom I knew.

My best wishes to you ever.

Very sincerely,
Abner William Berger

Route 21. Danbury, Conn.



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