

Camp 30 Sept '63

My dear Custis

I send you my watch which I presume requires cleaning. It occasionally stops without any _____ation & this time seems both to move. The oil I presume stiffens this cool weather. Please put it in the hands of a good man, for though unseemly it is of great value to me. Talcott before the marriage of the Misses Mitchell was a favorite with the jewelers. Unless picked so clean by his want investments as to have lost consideration with the _____ of gold, he might enlighten you as to a proper artist.

All quiet on the lines- enemy does not seem disposed to advance- He keeps himself so close that it is difficult to find what he is about-

Please return my watch as soon as repaired and adjusted. Genl. your father.

R E Lee

Genl. G W Custis Lee