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Mr. D. B. K. Van Raalte.

My dear sir: Kindly pardon my delay. I am always nearly constantly occupied. Since last Friday have been unusually busy.

Your favor was received on Friday last. The draft was enclosed to Mr. Jacob Freshman who is conducting a very important work here among the Jews, on Saturday, and his receipt was mailed on Monday. I enclose please find the receipt.

Mr. Freshman's work in this city is entirely dependent on voluntary gifts, has no invested funds, no income from pew rents or anything of that sort. No special Public Pew is made by Mr. Freshman. He is dependent on what the Holy Spirit may move Christian people

to send to him, as very few men are.

I was happy to have the opportunity to send the legacy of your highly honored father to this Christian work.

Yrs. sincerely

John M. Ferris

Ch. D. B. K. Van Raalte.

Holland.

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