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Port au Prince, Feb. 20.

Dear Charles,

I see that the Bee says I have resigned the with a future to the thought. The same paper laid I would stay in Haiti for months. No doubt my resignation would be very welcome news to those who want the place. But every disposition to be amiable I cannot bring myself to oblige these facts. I beg this for your private eye and wish for the purpose of having the lie contradicted. I leave that to him for I shall take my own time for resigning. The fellows that let afford these stories would be allowed whatever satisfaction momentary being can give them. The aspirants for the place.
because "enough a little longer" I have received a letter from Frederick which gives me some hope that he has in this one more got into some work. I am glad to learn that his boy Paul is doing better. What do you know of Minnie? He was still in New York when I last heard from her. She seems to have dropped me at least as I could lend him no more money. That is according to a very old saying lend your money and lose your friend, for will tell you that I have acquitted two of all blame for the vitiation of my speech. I see that taunting has lost no time in betraying his trust. He knows full
thinks to make suffrage depend upon
an educational test will furnish
a motive both to keep them from
education and to keep them from
voting. She doubts as little paul
the Negro educated as it would
them to vote. And it would
effort
decal every to educate the
Negro. An effort to give them
supremacy. She is a trickster.

not a statesman. I am very

glad to have from you a good
account of daily progress.
I think you and Laura may
well take comfort in their boy.
What I lack in this letter, you
must make up in reading
the enclosed I send to Joe.

Their society is about
as peaceful as it ever is and
it is never without disturbance
or rumour of disturbance. The
President is just now absent
from the capital on a tour to
the South. Make my love to
Laura and Hailey and
kind remembrances to them
and Mrs Colbert. Write me
when you hear of all the news
about town affectionately,
Your father.
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PORT AU PRINCE, HAYTI

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U.S.A.

This country a peaceful one
Very good

May 1891