or elsewhere in the knowledge of the horse, and in the raising care and management of him, became unfortunate by the failure of Mr Sand Williams of London, and has been desirous to establish a "Stock farm". Several gentlemen in Boston, and among them some of your intimate friends, Colo Th. H. Perkins Colo Thorndike, Mr P. C. Brooks and others were willing to aid Col. Jaques, and wished to preserve for the public his knowledge, experience and usefulness, and to effect that object have associated together and each subscribed a certain sum to purchase [illegible] ten hill stock farm, and stock it with the best animals either this Country or Europe affords; and to be increased and improved under Colo Jaques particular care, and superintendance, with rights and privileges reserved for his benefit. Such an establishment is much wanted, where gentlemen can be supplied with the horse, or any other animal of the best and purest blood, and in which the utmost confidence can be placed, and without the risk, of being imposed upon, as we now are in every purchase.

Most of the improved stock, that has been introduced into this Country, has been effected by the advice or through the agency of Colo Jaques, whose knowledge Colo H. Powell was very happy to acknowledge, and who was very solicitous for Colo Jaques to take his stock in Powell town. His friends have been very anxious to retain him here, and I hope they have effected it by the purchase of the "ten hill farm", which appears to be exceedingly gratifying to him.

He has requested me to write you upon the subject, state the purposes for which the farm is purchased, and solicit the favor of your