

Dear Sir

In answer to your Letter of the 16th Dec. I have to say that after a thorough examination I find that I have none of the Certificates relative to the Lands in question now in my Possession. They were left in Philad^a and I expect to receive them in the Spring and will on my way through Wilkesbarre afford you an opportunity to examine any that you may think important in the Cause you have undertaken. With regard to the enquiries concerning the Rights of Clarissa Polly Pierce to any of the Lands in Kingston. it is utterly out of my power to afford you any information other than that you may obtain from the Certificates alluded to. I believe I would be perfectly safe in saying that no Person about Wilkesbarre having acquainted with the Family could know less on these subjects than myself. Every information that can be obtained from Certificates &c when they come into my hands shall be at your service. I am

Chester Butler Esq

Very Respectfully

P. Hollenback

Omego Feb. 17, 1826

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Quebec City
Feb. 17 —

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Charles Poullier-Esquin
Wilkesbarre
Pa.

March 20. 1897

