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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

RECLAMATION SERVICE

Salt Lake, Utah, Mar, 30, 1903

Pres W.J. Kerr
Pres
Agricultural College,

My Dear Sir; In reply to your favor relative to Mr Stover I beg to say that I have not been in touch with his work to any extent since he left the College, but I judge from what I have heard that he has been giving considerable attention to the experimental side of irrigation, though to my knowledge he has had nothing to do with the engineering problems relating to irrigation and hydraulics.

Stover is a very bright man and has probably broadened out a great deal in his work of the past few years, though I do not know that he has given much attention to the special matter that will be needed at the College.

Prof Mead of the Dept of agriculture could give you a very good notion of his work and having been a teacher of engineering would be able to judge fairly, I should think, of the teaching ability possessed by the man.

I regret that I cannot give you definite information in the matter but I think an inquiry of Prof Mead would give you some details of Stovers ability as a teacher of Engineering.

I hope you will call while in Salt Lake,

Sincerely.

Geo. F. Swenson