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## Letter from the Business Editor to P. D. Houston

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Dec. 7, 1912.

Dr. P. D. Houston,

Lewisburg, Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter to Bro. Larimore has been referred to me. We certainly would be glad to have you come down and make your winter home in Dixieland Park. You will find the country, climate, health, water and soil to be very satisfactory.

In reference to opening a dental office here, would say there are at present five such offices in Gainesville, and our population is about 8000. There is, of course, a great country adjacent to Gainesville from which you could draw trade. The dentists who are here seem to be doing well, and for that reason it may be that another dentist could also do well, but I cannot guarantee anything about that. It seems to me that would depend almost altogether on the personality and ability of the dentist; in other words, I believe a good man could succeed, and of course you know your own qualifications. I am stating the situation to you as I see it, and would not want you to come here under any false impressions. We would be glad to have you, I am sure - speaking personally - but I would not want you to come here and lose good business by the change. It would perhaps be best for you to come and view the situation, and to that end would it not be a good idea for you to bring Mrs. Houston for a trip down to Florida this winter and see how you like the looks of things.

Let us hear from you.

Yours sincerely,

Business Editor.