



FROM THE DESK OF R. C. GRIFFITH
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Dear Friends:

I am leader of last GC delegation from S.C. to General Conference. Was greatly disturbed at headlines in our paper about you, and the story that seemed to say you were "kicked out" of your conference without any chance to defend yourself. Would like to know something of this affair. Seems strange and cruel to me. Also seems illegal.

I have had my own troubles here, trying to get a little guts into preachers and trying to fight our ring. Know about yours too. Guess you have read STAINED GLASS JUNGLE. Know the author, also from Miss.

Was the vote on you by ballot, or was it a standing vote. Tell me all you can right away. I go to conference next Tuesday. Might help me if I knew about this before going.

Cordially,