[ Burnett 7 TACOMA PUBLIC LIBRARY JOHN BOYNTON KAISER LIBRARIAN TACOMA, WASHINGTON, November 15. 1917. Mrs. J. A. Parker. 4555 15th Ave. N.E. Seattle, Wash. Dear Mrs. Parker: Through the kindly cooperation of Mr. Barnhisel, we have secured your generous gift to the camp library of a number of books from your home on North I Street. These books will indeed be appreciated by the men, and we are preparing them at this library for use at the camp, to which they will be taken promptly. Among your books we found an 1840 edition of the "Clockmaker" by Samuel Slick. This is a rather rare piece of Americana, and one which would probably not be appreciated in the camp library, and I am wondering whether you would feel disposed to give it to us here. We have one edition of this old volume but yours is even still rarer, and we would more than appreciate having it. Very cordially yours, John B. JBK-ST