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## Letter from A. McGuire to James B. Finley

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Dear Brother,

After much reflection and prayer to God I come to the conclusion, that I had better withdraw from the M. E. Church, And as I have not had an opportunity of handing in the Circificates you gave me, to Mr. G. A. Jones, I consider you the proper person to communicate ~~my~~ <sup>my design</sup> my resignation to, And do hereby inform you and all whom it may concern, that from this date I consider myself no longer accountable to the Discipline & Authorities of the Methodist Episcopal Church, for reasons that may perhaps hereafter be made known. I want to live in peace, with all men as far as in me lies, or as far as possible, but I find that there is no peace to be enjoyed in the M. E. C. By any one, who dare to have an opinion of their own, unless they will suffer themselves to be gagged and, treated with contempt, by Old & young men in Power.

Adjit McGuire

Adelina  
poet for the  
St. M. Quins

Rept  
Esch -

New James  
Stirling  
New Yorkville