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Letter: Lafayette McLaws to Isaac R. Pennypacker, March 8, 1886

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Re Gattyobad

Savannah Georgia
March 8th 1886

Dear Sir

I have been delayed by sickness from completing the manuscript as promised, but having it well underway hope to send it down, this week.

The map, you sent me, is of no value in the discussion - Gen Lee had a marked line of defence which that map does not show; upon which the Confederate retreat & occupied on the 3rd July after "Pickett's Charge" - he does the map show the proper position of the force on either side, it seems to have omitted the "Law's Division", and some others - I will therefore send you mine, with the understanding, that it to be returned to me.

I deliver an address, on the "Bulletin of Gettysburg", before the Georgia Historical Society, which incidentally discusses the question at issue, as to Gen Lee's, charge of Pickett should be how assaulted Gen Lee. If you desire to read it and if it pleases,

to publish it, I will try and send you a copy,
from that in the Society rooms.

Very respectfully
Your obedient
L M^r Lewis