

Court House,

Ledbury, 10 Mar. 1878

Dear Bro^r Brown,
Lechnere Lodge.

I am surprized to receive
your application for your
your contribution to this
Lodge as I paid my
subscription to Mr. Walter
Barkley to the end of 1876 and
ceased to be a member of the
Lodge in the month of July in
that year. I have but my hand
upon the correspondence on the
subject and enclosed you have
copies of the letters. I can produce
the originals if required.

Yours fraternally

Geo. H. Piper
P.M.

Albert Brown Esq^r
Old Bank
Malvern.

Copy

13 July 1876

Dear Sir & Brother,

Enclosed I send you
Post Office Order for £1.00.0
being the amount of my
subscription to The Lacashire
Lodge of Mark Masters,
Worcester, to the end of the
present year.

My time is so fully
occupied with other matters
as to preclude my attending
to the duties of the Lodge. I
have therefore determined to
withdraw from it and cease
to be a member.

I have no copy of the
By-Laws at hand, and am
not aware whether any
special notice of withdrawal
is required. If anything more
is requisite than this
withdrawal of my subscription
to verify will you kindly
let me know.

with all fraternal
good wishes I am
faithfully yours

Geo. H. Piper

Wm - Barkley Esq^r
47 Foregate St. Worcester.

Not having received, in
due course, an answer to
this letter I wrote again to
Brother Barkley on the 28th
July and received the
following answer.

(Copy) 47 Foregate Street
Worcester
July 29th 1876

Dear Brother,

Your A. C. C. was duly
received but as I have vacated
office I forwarded the same
with your letter to the present
Hon^{ble} Secy. I fear he is rather
a careless brother but I will see
him today & refresh his memory.

Truly & Fraternally yours

W. Barkley
Bro^r Piper.