

22 South Main Street  
Port Chester, N.Y.  
October 28th, 1965.

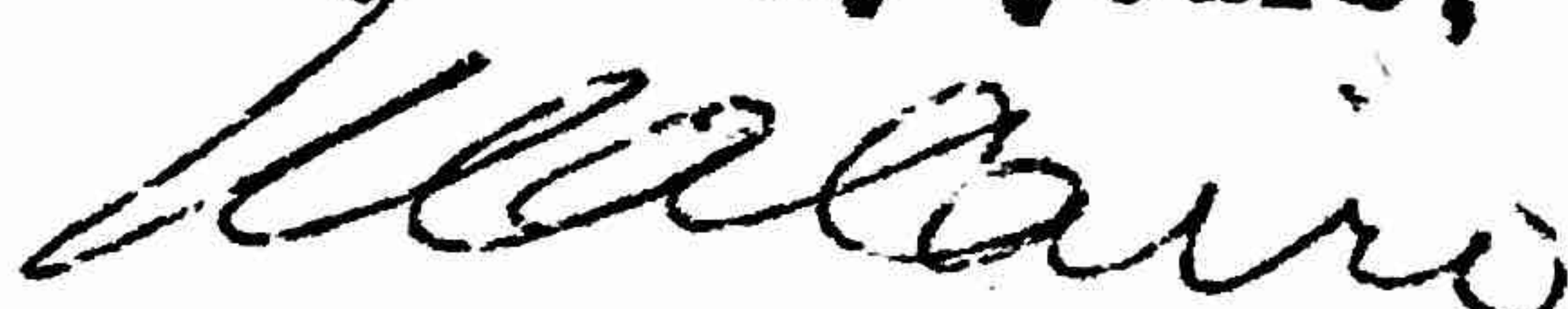
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Illinois Commission  
New York World's Fair  
Flushing, N.Y. 11380

Gentlemen;

In accordance with the terms of  
Sale specified in your letter of October  
22nd, 1965, I hereby offer the sum of  
Eight Hundred (\$800.00) Dollars for the  
Log Cabin at the Illinois "Land of Lincoln"  
Pavilion.

Very truly yours,



Michael A. Cairo.

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November 3, 1965

Mr. Michael A. Cairo  
22 South Main Street  
Port Chester, New York

Dear Mr. Cairo:

Your bid for the purchase of the Log Cabin exhibit at the Illinois Pavilion - New York World's Fair is hereby accepted.

Please send me a certified check for the entire amount, payable to "Illinois State Historical Society". You may start removal of the exhibit as soon as we have received this check.

Please get in touch with me at (212) AR 1-5010 or at my home, (212) MO 3-5697, so we can discuss the specific details of this operation.

Sincerely yours,

Richard d!Anjou  
Pavilion Manager

RdA:jdm

*Michael A. Cairo*

*A. Cairo*



November 10th, 1965

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This certifies that Mr. Michael A. Cairo, of 22 South Main Street, Port Cester, New York, is now the owner of the LOG CABIN situated in the rear courtyard of the Illinois Pavilion at the New York World's Fair.

Mr. Cairo is hereby also authorized to deal directly with the World's Fair corporation to obtain passes and vehicle permits so he can remove the LOG CABIN from the fairgrounds, and is authorized to sign letters of authorization permitting his vehicles to leave the fairgrounds with materials from this LOG CABIN.

Richard d'Anjou  
Pavilion Manager



November 17th, 1965

Mr. Michael A. Cairo  
22 South Main Street  
Port Chester, New York

Dear Mr. Cairo:

This will confirm our telephone conversation of November 16th concerning the LOG CABIN at the Illinois Pavilion, New York World's Fair.

Our agreement for your purchase and removal of the LOG CABIN is hereby cancelled by mutual agreement. I am returning your check payable to the Illinois State Historical Society (Port Chester-Eye Savings Bank teller's check #69311).

It is agreed that all claims against either party in this agreement are waived.

Please sign the enclosed copy of this letter and return it to me for our files.

I am sorry that circumstances beyond our control have made this necessary, and I thank you for your courtesy.

Sincerely yours,

Richard d'Anjou  
Pavilion Manager

cc: Mr. E. C. Newman  
bcc: Mr. James A. Cassin

*Michael A. Cairo*  
*22 So. Main St*  
*Port Chester, N.Y.*



November 17th

Dear Jim:

The World's Fair strikes again!

I almost had the W.F. Corp convinced that they didn't have a leg to stand on in preventing Mr. Cairo from removing the Log Cabin on the grounds that it belonged to the State Historical Society who could dispose of it as they pleased. I was graciously offering them to split the price with them 50/50 just to make things simple for everybody, and I think they would have taken it except they were so incredibly rude and difficult to Mr. Cairo that he refuses to have anything to do with them, he has been delayed a full week and can no longer keep up to his deadline and the whole deal fell through.

Sorry about that, but the other alternative would have been to take the whole thing to court and RGN agreed that it wasn't worth it.

The World's Fair has outsmarted itself out of \$400.00 in typical fashion, and I must say that it is a regrettable but I guess it was to be expected. It figgers.

More later when you get back from the scrutable east.

Cordially,

Dick

