

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,

Office of Standard Weights and Measures,

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16, 1893.

The Director of the Mint,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

This Office needs a piece of pure gold weighing about 20 grammes. If you can furnish it will you please have it sent to my address, together with the bill for the amount, for which the Disbursing Agent will remit Check.

Yours respectfully,

*T. C. Mendenhall*

Superintendent of U. S. C. & G. Survey

and of Weights and Measures.



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U.S. Coast & Geod. Survey  
Nov. 16/93.

T. C. Mendenhall,  
Supt.

For about 20  
grammes fine gold.

Treasury Department,  
Bureau of the Mint.  
November 17, 1893.

Respectfully referred to  
Superintendent of the U. S.  
mint at Philadelphia, who will  
please furnish the Supt. of  
the Coast & Geodetic Survey  
with the pure gold desired,  
together with bill for the  
same.

*R. D. Mitchell*  
Director.

*Referred to the  
Director of the  
Mint with  
request to furnish  
gold.*  
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[Typed note on back of letter:]

Treasury Department,  
Bureau of the Mint,  
November 17, 1893

Respectfully referred to Superintendent of the U.S. mint at Philadelphia, who will please furnish the Supt. of the Coast & Geodetic Survey with the pure gold desired, together with bill for the same.

R.E. Preston  
Director.

[Handwritten note underneath:]

Referred to by Tuttle Melter & Refiner with request to furnish gold.