



G. W. & C. H. BERLIN,

REAL-ESTATE AGENTS.

Harrisonburg, Va., April 11<sup>th</sup> 1885.

Maj. J. B. Sorman.

Dear Sir,

It has just occurred to me that I enclosed no check in my last letter to you for the writ-tax &c in the case of Wilkinson &c vs Yanceys adm<sup>r</sup> &c upon an appeal. I therefore now herewith enclose a check to you for the \$6.<sup>25</sup>

Respectfully yours  
G. W. Berlin,

GEO. W. BERLIN,  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
HARRISONBURG, VA.



*Mr. Tolson &  
Mr. Quincy*

*Maj. J. B. Dorman,  
Clerk Court of Appeals,  
Staunton,  
Virginia.*



Lexington Ga

May 21<sup>st</sup> 1885

Maj J O Dorman

Dear Sir

Your Postal to Grand

asking Statement Taxes 1884

The balance Mrs Dorman from Taxes \$52.50

\* Fee Bill 35 Cts

\$53.00

Yours most Respectfully

J A Anderson Jr

Return to JAMES D. ANDERSON,  
LEXINGTON, Virginia,  
If not delivered within 10 days.



*Note to Mr. Leck & Co. by  
for \$20.00 -  
May 27/55*

*Maj J. D. Dorman  
Staunton  
Ga*

Relay House,

—R. M. WOOLLING & CO., PROPRIETORS.—

Lynchburg, Va., July 17<sup>th</sup> 1885

Major J. B. Dorman  
Clk. Sup: Ch Appeals

Stamton, Va.

} My dear Sir—  
Since leaving

Stamton today - reflecting about  
the two Appeals of Mr. J. B. Robison  
in which you kindly agreed to have  
the records printed for me, it has  
occurred to me that the last case  
may not be matured in time for  
a hearing at the approaching Term  
in September - And it may be true  
of the first also - Be pleased to look  
into this, and if the first has not  
been (or cannot be), & the last cannot  
be matured in time, then don't  
print for the present, or until further  
advised. It occurs to me that possibly

in the last case, an order of publication  
may be necessary.

Please let me hear from you

With kind regard

Yours very truly  
J. Thompson Brown

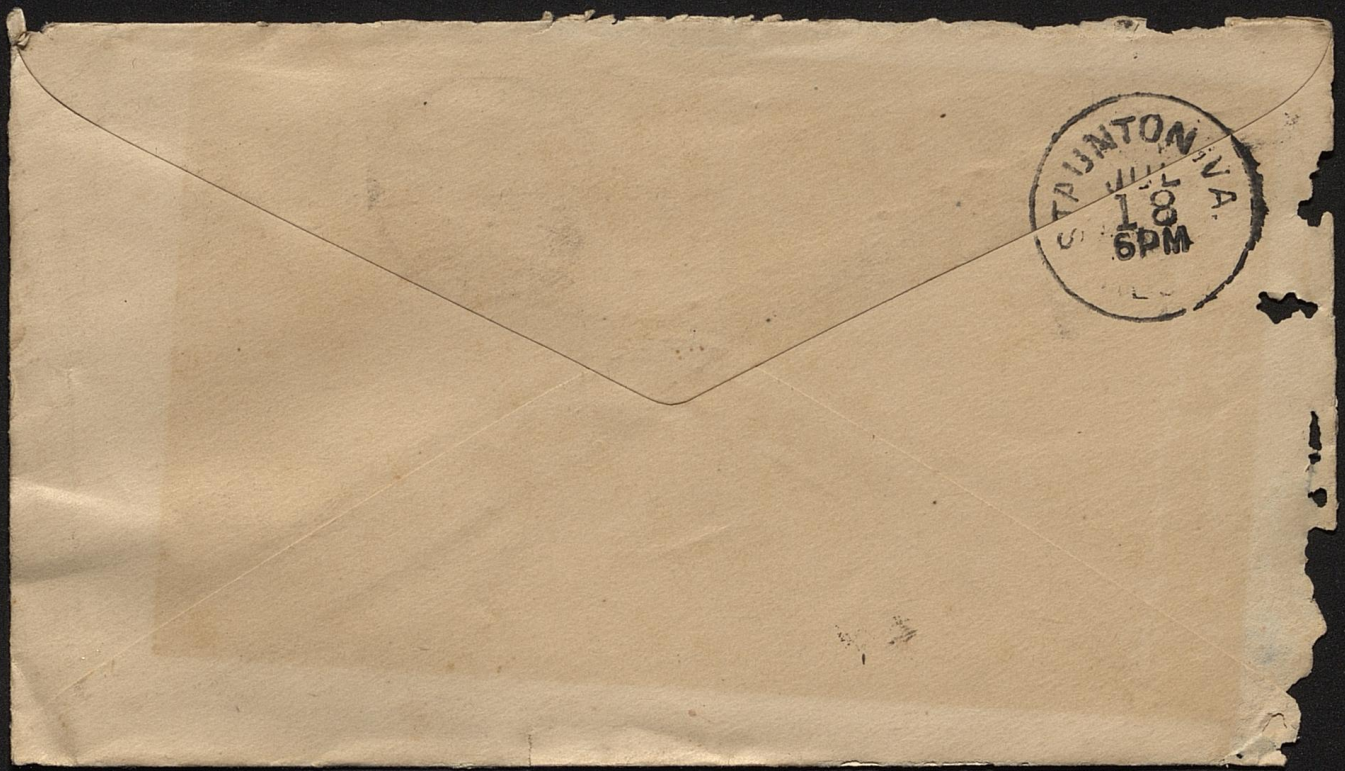
RELAY HOUSE,  
R. M. WOOLLING & CO., PROP'RS.  
LYNCHBURG, VA.



*Ans'd July 18 & 20 / 65  
J. Thompson Brown*

Maj: J. B. Dorman  
Clk: Sup: Ch: of Appeals  
Staunton, Va





STAUNTON VA.  
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G. W. & L. C. HANSBROUGH,

Attorneys at Law,

Salem, Roanoke Co., Va., 23 July 1885

My dear Major:

I have the  
Opinion in Haddy v  
Superior as y<sup>e</sup> Locke Co -  
but I have no record -

I have no record  
in Keckley v Union Bank  
of Winchester - but I have  
not the opinion - Perhaps  
you have not this opinion  
but may know in what  
Judge's hands it is - Will  
dear Sir a hint to send  
it me if he desires to have  
it in Vol 79 which is nearly  
completely printed - Some  
of the judges withheld their  
opinions very tenaciously -

Truly yours

G. W. Hansbrough  
Reporter

Col. Huntburgh

Road to Annapolis

July 25<sup>th</sup> 1851

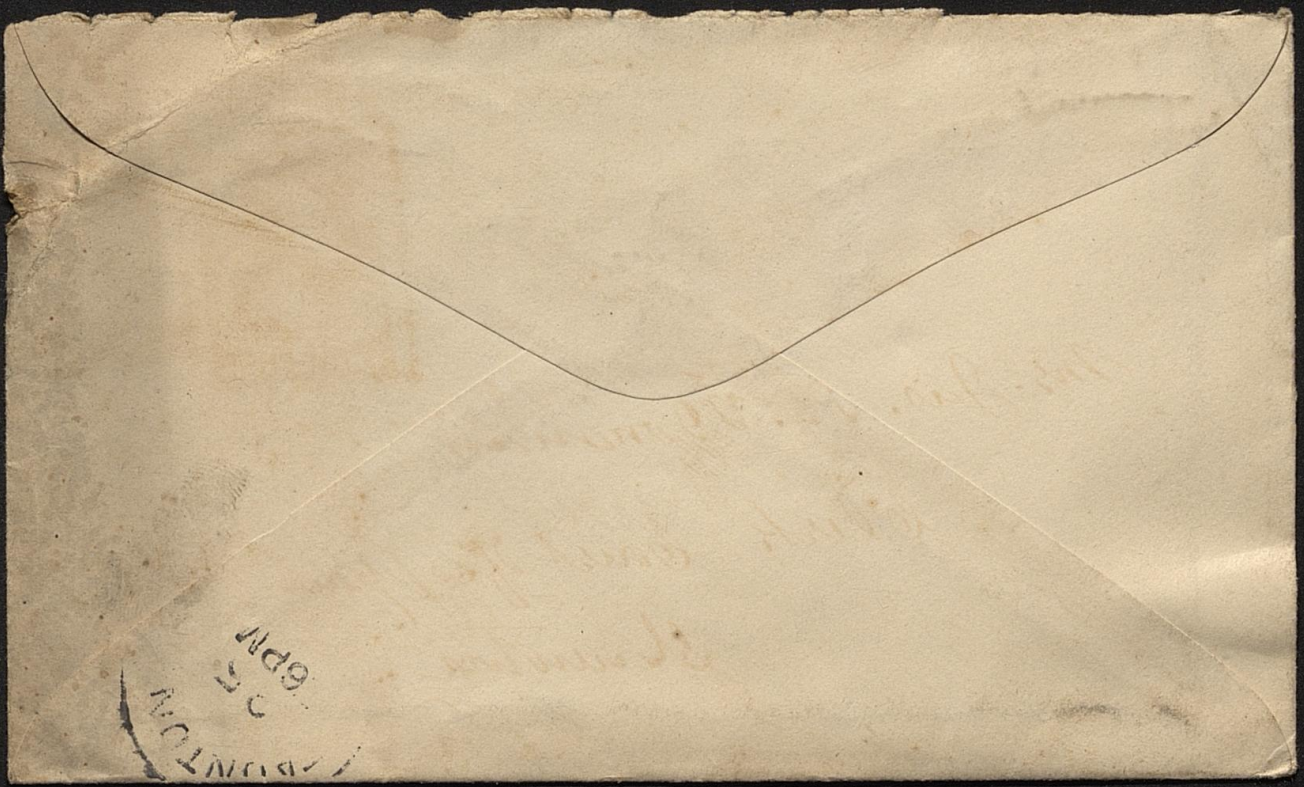


J. B. Dorman

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Salmon Va 26 Aug 1885

My dear Major

O. P. I send herewith the  
Record of Daddoy & Clarke Co - back  
to you according to promise -

I send also check for \$50 - to pay for  
printing a record in Linkerhake &  
Gray's, which I am exceedingly  
anxious to have ready for hearing -  
If Linkerhake shall have sent the  
money already please return me check -

Truly your friend -

G. W. Hansbrough -

Letter + Che etc  
for # 30

Wm. L. C. Amherst

Ch'k for \$30.00

deposited in the bank of the

Bank of the

Rec'd & paid Am. 27/85

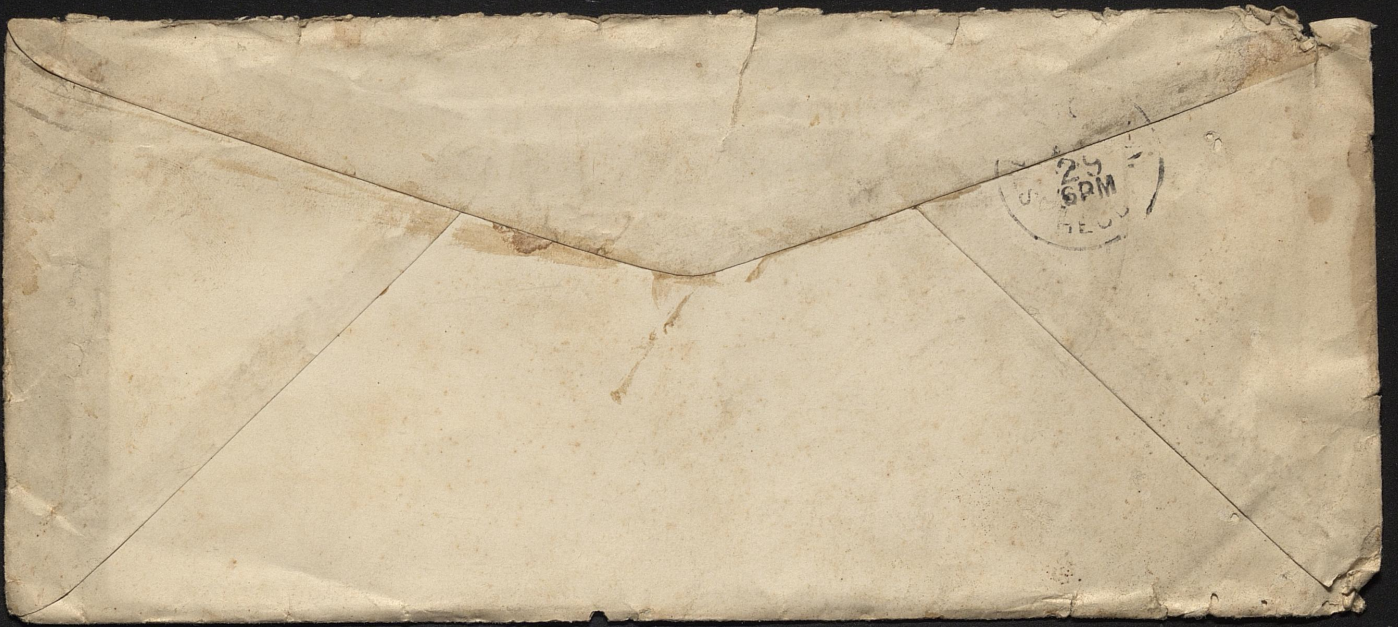
Major Jas. B. Doorman

Clerk Sup. Ct. Appeals

Staunton

Virginia





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Supreme Court of Appeals,

CONFERENCE ROOM.



Richmond, Va. August 27<sup>th</sup> 1885.

Major J. B. Dorman,  
Clerk Court of Appeals  
Staunton,  
Va.

My Dear Major:

I received your  
Postal, in regard to the case of  
McLain v. Harris &c, just as  
I was leaving the Cold Sulphur  
for Richmond; where I arrived  
last night.

I have allowed  
the Appeal &c; of which, please  
inform Judge McCue.

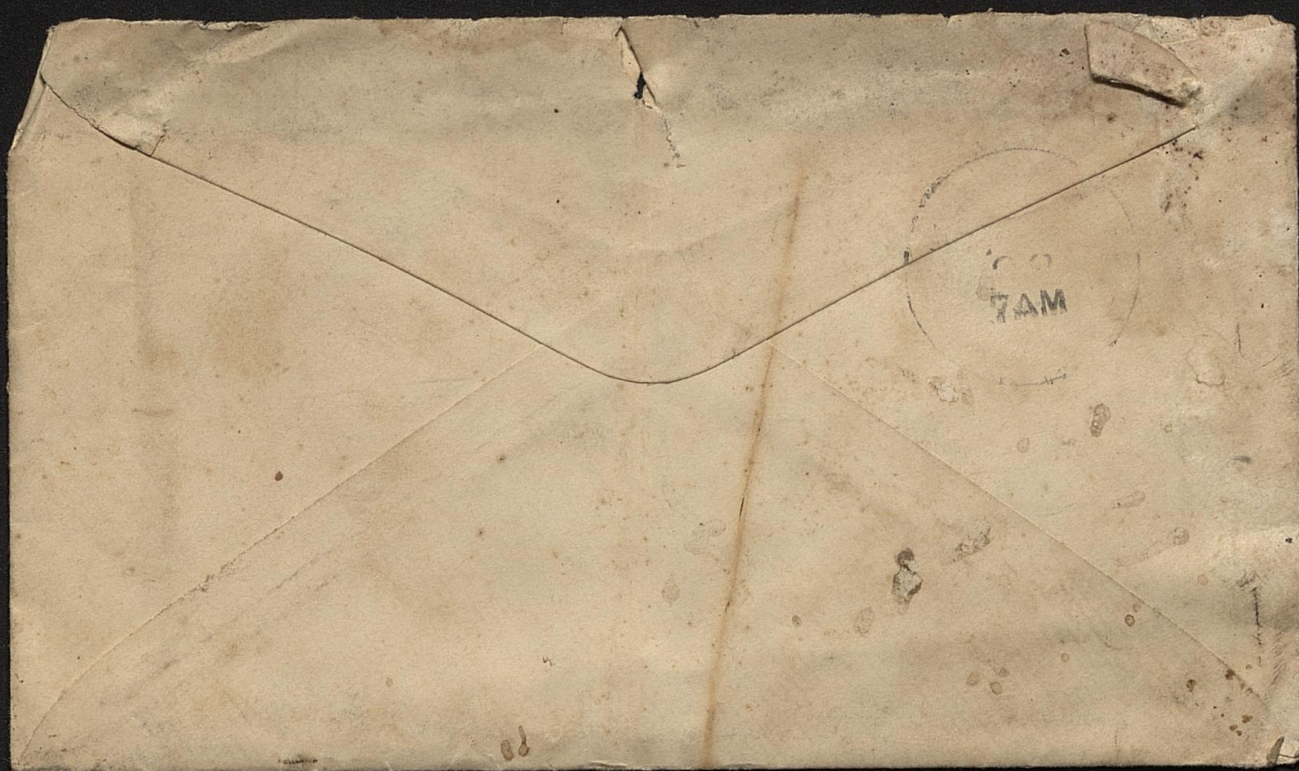
I will act,  
to-day, upon the Record & Petition  
in Sibert v. Brown &c, which is,  
just now, in my hands.

Faithfully your friend,  
T. S. Ametter.

If not delivered within 10 days, to be returned to

Major J. B. Doorman  
Clerk Court of Appeals,  
Staunton,  
Virginia.





Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the Supreme Court of Appeals  
at the State Courthouse in the City of Richmond  
on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> June 1885.

The following copy of an order of this court, entered at its  
place of session at Wytheville, was this day received by the  
Clerk here and the same is in the words and figures, to wit:

Virginia:

In the Supreme Court of Appeals, held at the Courthouse  
of Wythe county, in the town of Wytheville, on Friday the  
19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1885.

Commonwealth of Virginia } plaintiff in error  
against }  
The Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company deft in error }  
} upon a writ of  
} error to a judg-  
} ment of the Circuit Court of the City of Richmond, rendered on the  
} 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1884 in a case in which the plaintiff in  
} error was plaintiff and the defendant in error was defendant.

This cause which is pending in this court at its place of session at  
Richmond, having been fully heard but not determined at said  
place of session, this day came here the parties by their counsel, and the  
court having maturely considered the transcript of the record of the  
judgment aforesaid and the arguments of counsel is of opinion for  
reasons stated in writing and filed with the record, that there is no  
error in the said judgment. It is therefore decreed and ordered  
that the same be affirmed - which is ordered to be entered in the  
order book here and forthwith certified to the clerk of this Court  
at Richmond, who shall enter the same in his order book and  
certify it to the said circuit court of the city of Richmond.

Costs of Appellee in Court }  
of Appeals at Wytheville } of \$1.56. } A Copy Teste  
Wm. S. Pendleton C.C.?"

Teste,

Geo. N. Taylor, C.C.

A Copy Teste,

Geo. N. Taylor, C.C.

The Commonwealth of Virginia

of Copy judgment

Richmond and Petersburg D.C.

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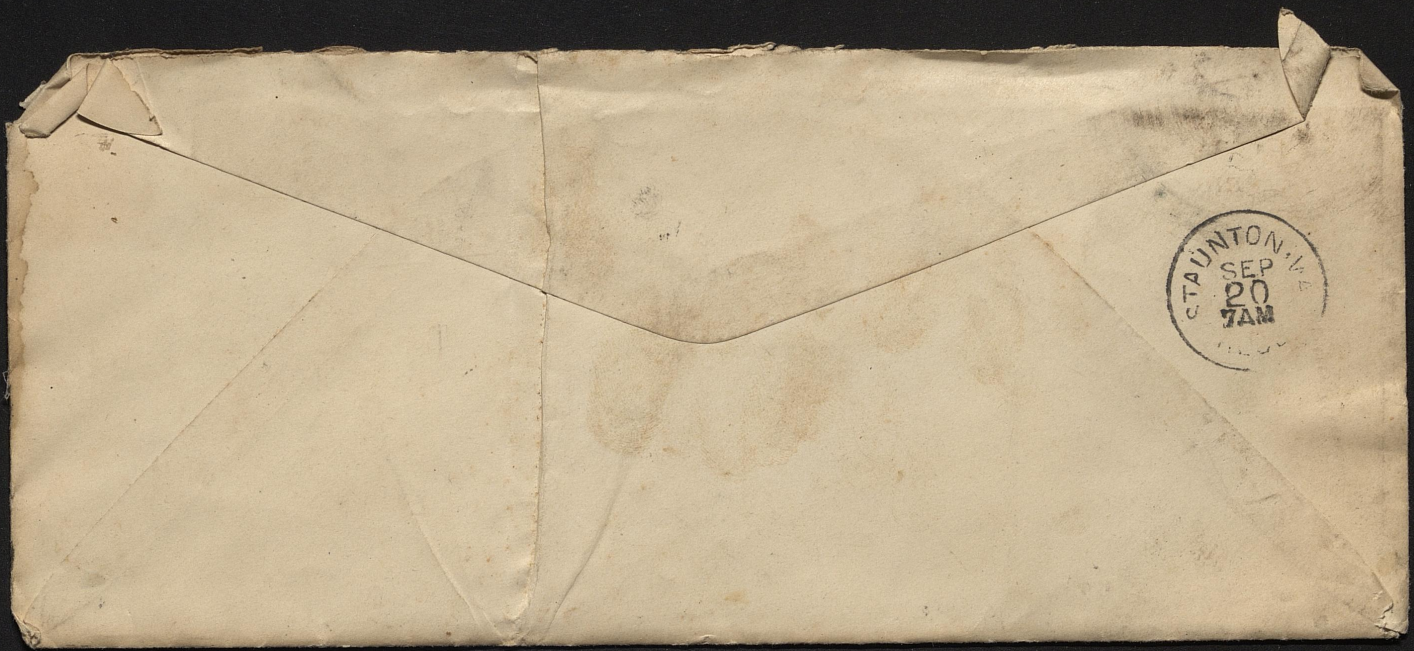
**Clerk Court of Appeals,**

**RICHMOND, VA.**



*G. H. Taylor  
&  
Frank D. Johnston  
Sept / 85*

*Maj. James B. Dorman,  
Clerk Court of Appeals,  
Staunton,  
Virginia.*



STAUNTON, VA  
SEP 20  
7AM

Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia,

CLERK'S OFFICE,

Wytheville, Va. Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 1885

Maj J. B. Worman:

My dear Sir:

I have at last found the opinions at express office after repeated enquiries, and receipts for opinions in following cases:

City of Roanoke v Berkowitz,

Reynolds et al v Winston,

Terry v Colley Exor &c

Richardson v Preston &c

I have also recd certified decrees in following named cases:

Travelers Ins Co v Harvey, York v Trent &

Richardson v Preston, Massie's admn

& Heiskell's Trust &c, Terry v Colley exor &c,

Reynolds v Winston and Cornett v Rhudy.

I have never been able to get any opinions that have been furnished the reporter. He has failed to return them to me. I don't know



what we are to do about it.

I hope you are well after our  
very great misfortune

Yours truly  
Wm. C. Reddick

If not Delivered in Ten Days Return to

**Clerk of the Court of Appeals,**  
WYTHEVILLE, VIRGINIA.



*Receipt for opinions*

*Nov. 185*

*Maj J. B. Dorman,  
Clerk Court Appeals  
Staunton  
Va*

D. A. FT. CLAIR, PRINTER, WYTHEVILLE, VA

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Republican  
State Executive Committee,

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> 1885.

Dear Major Donnan:

I value your letter of the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., as I have always valued your sincere and unselfish friendship.

It was expecting perhaps too much to win against loaded dice, for really that was the play.

The Audenson-McConick bill, the work of Governor Cameron's extra session, was avowedly invented to effect our defeat. In the white sections, the power of the machine was used technically to avail of every advantage, while in  
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the black counties, specially chosen, it appears to have been put to its maximum work. The country will be surprised at the frauds perpetrated in these certain localities. Witness the result in Halifax quite correctly forecast and boldly proclaimed before the day of election; witness the proceedings in Charlotte, Isle of Wight, Nausemond, Southampton, & Norfolk. They should put even the Bourbon to shame.

I hope shortly to be able to congregate the facts relating to the methods and frauds practiced in

Republican  
State Executive Committee,

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Petersburg, Va., ..... 188

in these and other localities, and, in  
some form, give them to the  
country in justification of our  
own efforts, as well as in proof of  
our claim to an honest majority in  
this State.

Yrs truly,  
Keshover

Major J. B. Dorman,  
Staunton, Va.