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Mr E. B Emory

Dear Sir

Your letter of the 6th at hand You state in your letter that you are sorry I did not give Null the letter You sent me I think I did right in not given him the letter I told you in the beginning I could not say positively that Null got the lap Robe and for me to go to Null and tell him he did get the Robe is something I will not do if I never get it and by given him the letter You sent I would be telling him he stole the Robe. I know very well if I had a mans trunk in my possession that was suspected I would not hesitate a moment to get a key and onlock his trunk and when you were here the first time You told me when you got home you would see if it was in his trunk and that was what I supposed you would do You told me if he had it you was sure it was in his trunk and if you had of done it and the Robe was not thier that would have ended it.

You state also in your letter that you suppose that Millington turned him off because he was a thief and had stollen my Robe. I am sure that Mr Millington has never herd that I suspected Null of taken the Robe Millington Black Man Charley told me that the Chamber Made said that Null was full of Lice She says the lice was on the Bed and that is the Reason that Millington turned him off he has got a Boarding place with Mr Wilcotts he told Levi that he wanted to sleep in the stable Levi said to him why dont you sleep at your boarding House he said before I go thier to sleep I want to