from some of the Houses here, which will be compensation enough for a "Broker" — & to which I presume you will not object — as your interests, or that of the Holy cause shall not suffer thereby —

do not ~~understand~~ infer from this that I would not gladly serve you even without a commission — in this matter — but only that having made the best bargain possible for you, ~~if~~ ~~[illegible]~~ if the contractor shd think proper to give me a small con-sid-e-ra-tion for wear & tear of shoe leather &c &c. — it wd be rather silly in me not to take it —

In awaiting answer I bid you good evening —

Yrs truly —
G. D Dorsey
113 Wall St

I shall get also Thursby & Waterbury's opinion of the Russia hemp — altho the sources of the information I send are numerous & good. — & reliable —

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II. Correspondence Received
A. Letter Books

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