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Depositions to Routt vs. Tate (8 of 14)

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Testimony

Statement of Sarah Pool

the close of the year 1855 when returning from
Hale County, Mississippi with my husband John P
was called at the house of Benjamin Pitts in Arkoma
to sleep on the night of her arrival there Mrs Hazle
of a cabin on Ben Pitts land came over, and
I think in the room which Mr Pool and
I occupied - She talked almost without cessation
as awake and sat up with her until late
in the night - Mr Pool & myself saw both much
of the character of her conversation. She told many
strange stories about persons for whom she had
formed strong friendships before she left the neigh-
borhood in which they lived and who had been very
kind to her - She told a long story of Mrs McDavid
who accused her before she left of stealing a pair
of shoes and a string of old piece of muslin which
Hayles said she had taken and used as a string
for a little bag in which she kept some medicines -
She said too that Mrs McDavid had opened her bundle
and looked the little bag, suspecting her of having stolen
the shoes from Arkoma - She told a long & singular story
of the glass & the string and said she wanted me
to take the string to Mrs McDavid - I told her the string
was of no value and there was no use in sending it back
to her - She was very importunate, and I finally consented to carry
it to Mrs McDavid she also lent by us a letter to Col Taylor
at Arkoma from Mrs McDavid and Mrs Martin
I told them of Mrs Hazles conversation
about the string - Mrs McDavid could
not be prevailed upon to say she had
seen the string, but it amounted to a positive denial
I told Mrs Hazle story, and an expression of
doubt on Mrs McDavid's part that the old woman was
right, Mrs Hazle also stated that a certain gentleman
was Mr Tate's right hand man in all things -

Names:

Davie, Dr.
Hazle, Mrs.

McDavid, Mrs.
Pitts, Benjamin

Pool, John
Pool, Sarah

Tate, Mr.
Taylor, Col.

Types:

statement

Dates:

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and in the murder of said Gent being of high rank
and now a resident of Norfolk City Mass, was equally
guilty, and implicated by her, not giving the name
the man, ^{said to be} Munday, nor indeed knowing by self
name,
April 16th 1856
Attest Mary Brown

Sarah

Names:

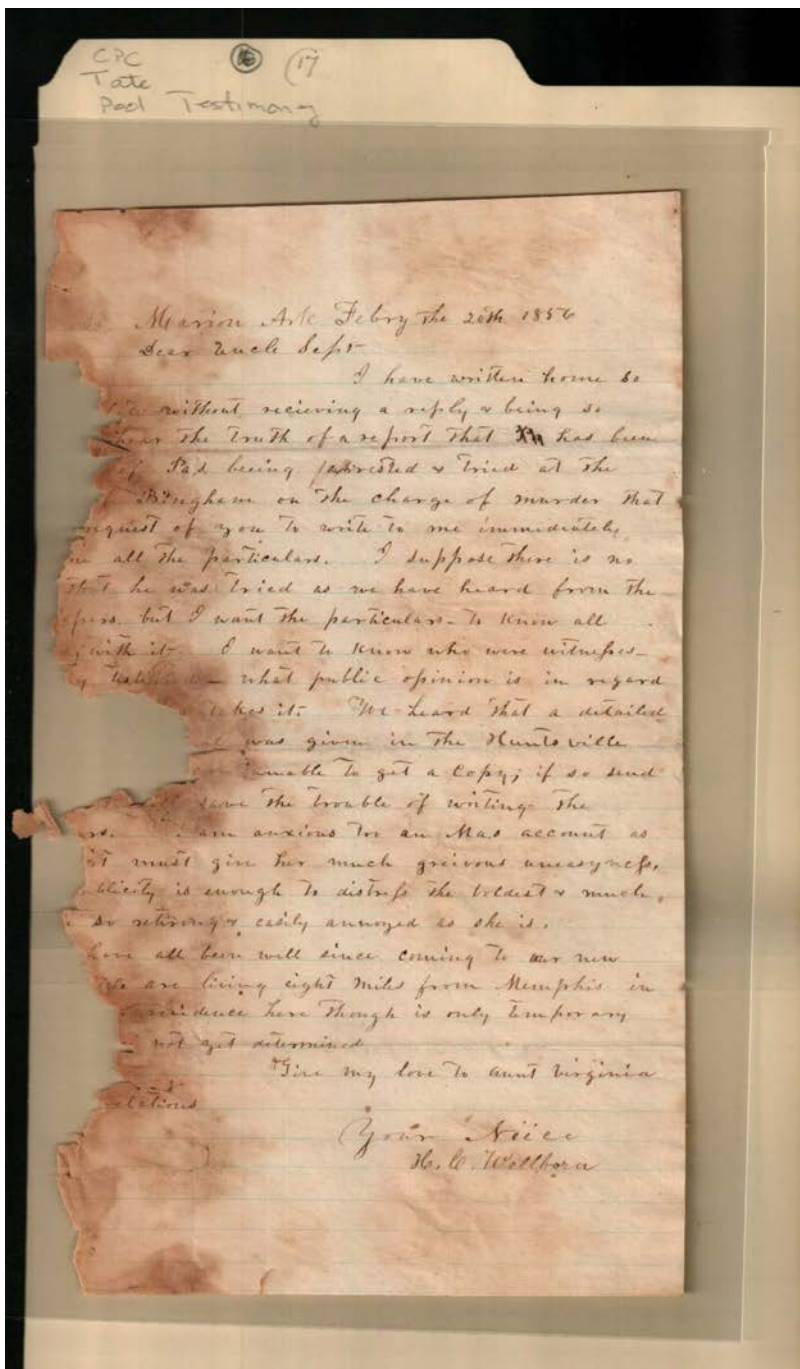
Pool, Sarah

Types:

statement

Dates:

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Names:

Bingham,

Cabaniss, Septimus

Cabaniss, Virginia

Wellborn, H. C.

Places:

Marion, AR

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Feb 20, 1856

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Collection Scope and Content: The Collection of 114 Linear ft. includes a total of 156 Archival Boxes. The Frances Cabaniss Roberts collection covers the historical records of the Cabaniss Roberts family. This collection contains extensive correspondence records of the Cabaniss Roberts family circa 1830 to 1930.

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