

Ms. 942 (43), 1846.
Cabaniss, Septimus
Nesmith [?], C.C.

Decatur, Ala
Dec. 8th/1866

S. A. Cabaniss
My Dear Sir

Cousin S. H. Nesmith
is about to embark in the study of law
and wants books. I told him I could
find out through you whether the
he needs could be had in Mountville
and that I would write to you on the
subject. I am troubling you a great deal
but I hope to be able one day to repay you
with interest. The books Cousin needs
are Blackstone's Commentaries, Kent's
Greenleaf on Evidence, Stephen on Pleading
Burton on Criminal Law and a Law
Dictionary. All of these books or any of them
he bought in Mountville you will find
as materials if you will ascertain from
me at what cost and let us know as early
as you can. I have some notion of reading law
what would you advise you have a long time
experience in the profession. If the books are there
will you allow us to send you the purchase
money and trouble you to purchase them
and forward to us. we would pay you for
the trouble if you would let us.

Your last letter in regard

Names:

Cabaniss, Septimus
D.

Nesmith, S. H.

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My ^{Wife} ~~United~~ ^{Dear} Sir I received two or three
days since I am under many
obligations to you for the favor you
did me in that matter and I hope
you got my letter explaining why
I did not acquaint you sooner with
the course I pursued in the matter.
I regretted very much when I learned
that you were still working after the
envelopes for me and had sheets done
what I expected he would (told you)
you would not have had so much
trouble but it was my duty to inform
you and I am the one to blame and
you ought to have made me pay
for neglecting you if for nothing else.
I am truly obliged and
you will forgive me.
Yours truly
C. C. Nesmith

P.S.
In order not to tax your
generosity too much we send you
an envelope to return your communication
in.
Yours
C. C.

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