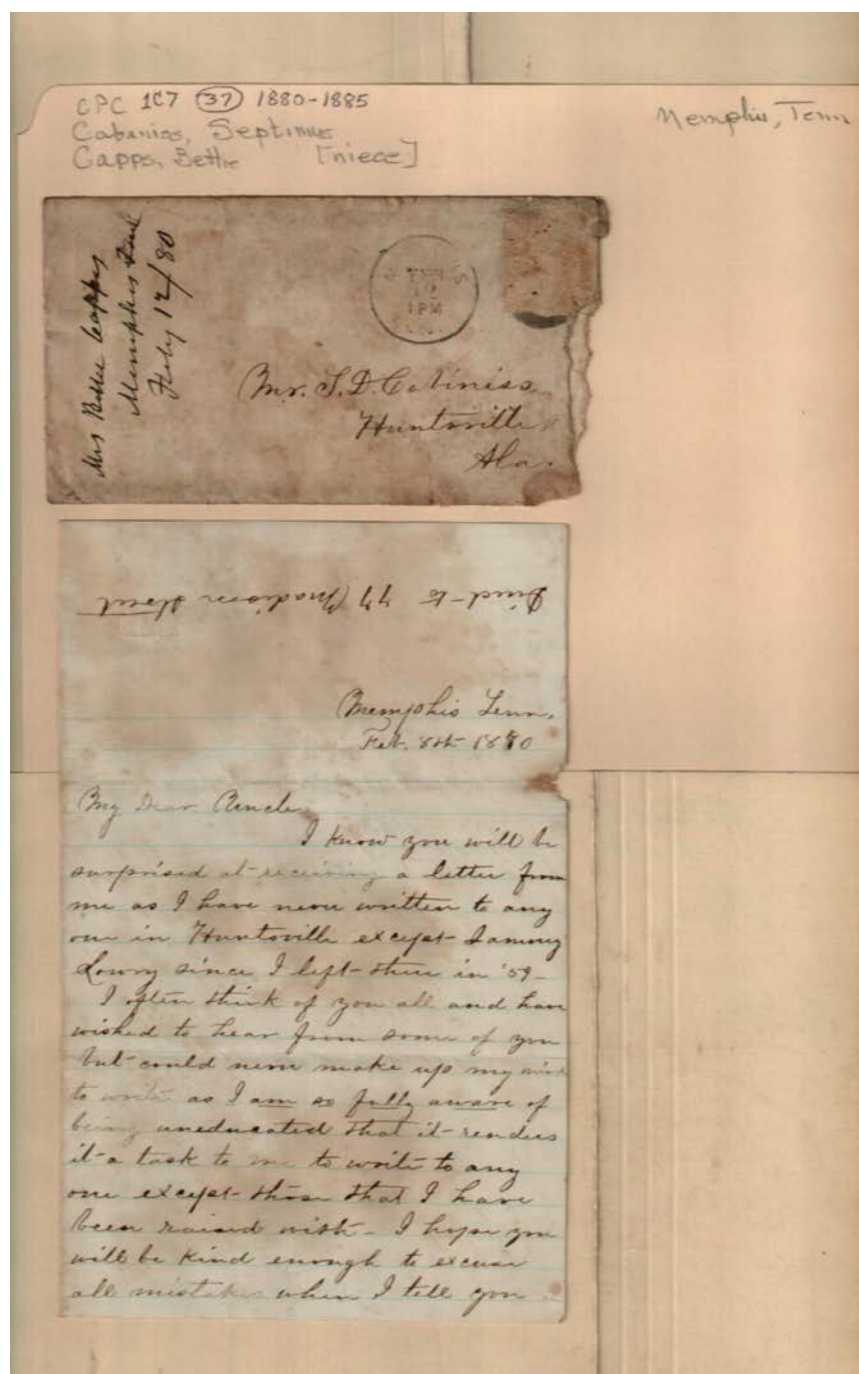


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Cabaniss, Septimus
D.

Capps, Bettie
Lowry, January

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Memphis, TN

Types:

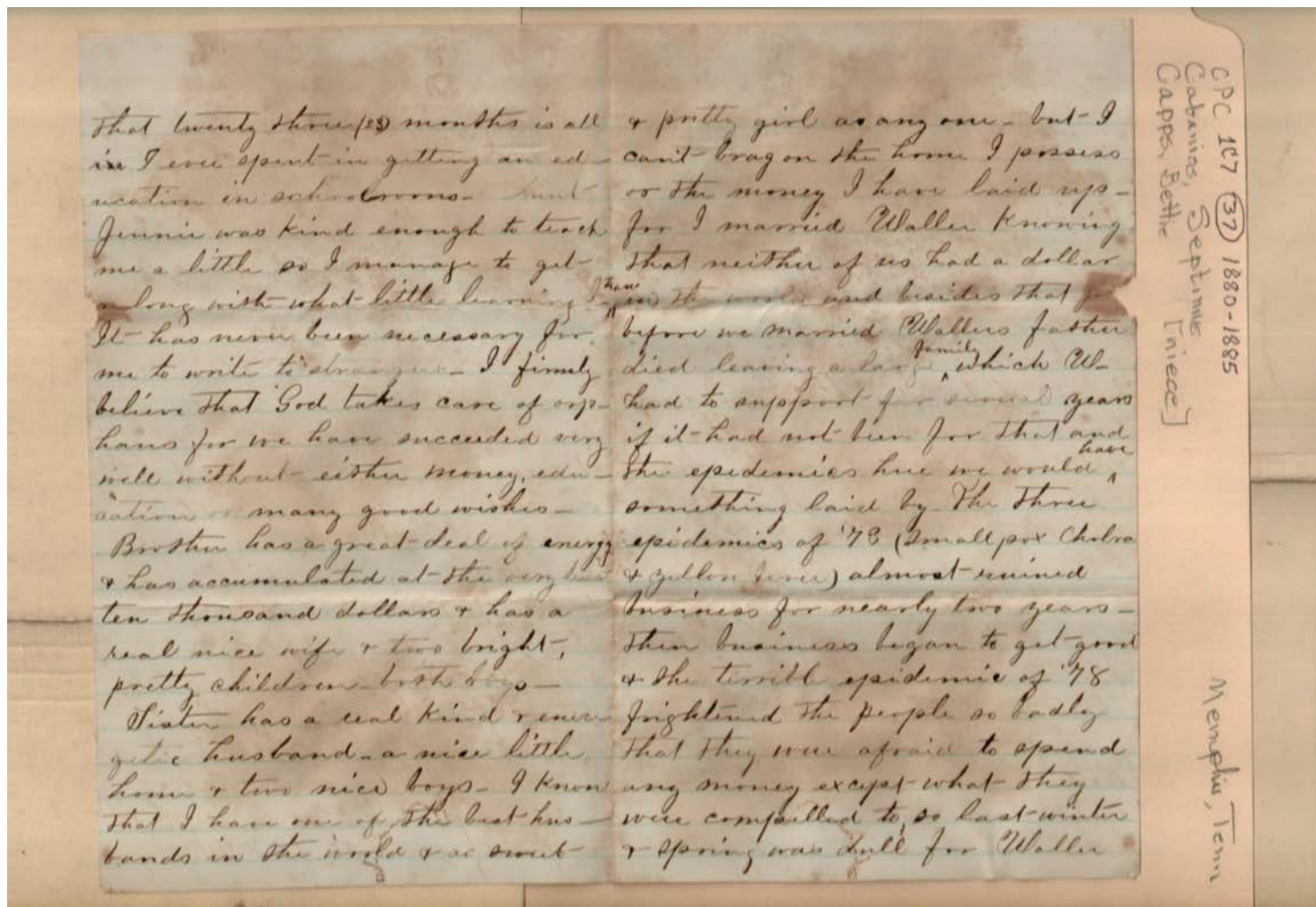
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Feb 8, 1880



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Capps, Jennie

Capps, Walter

Places:

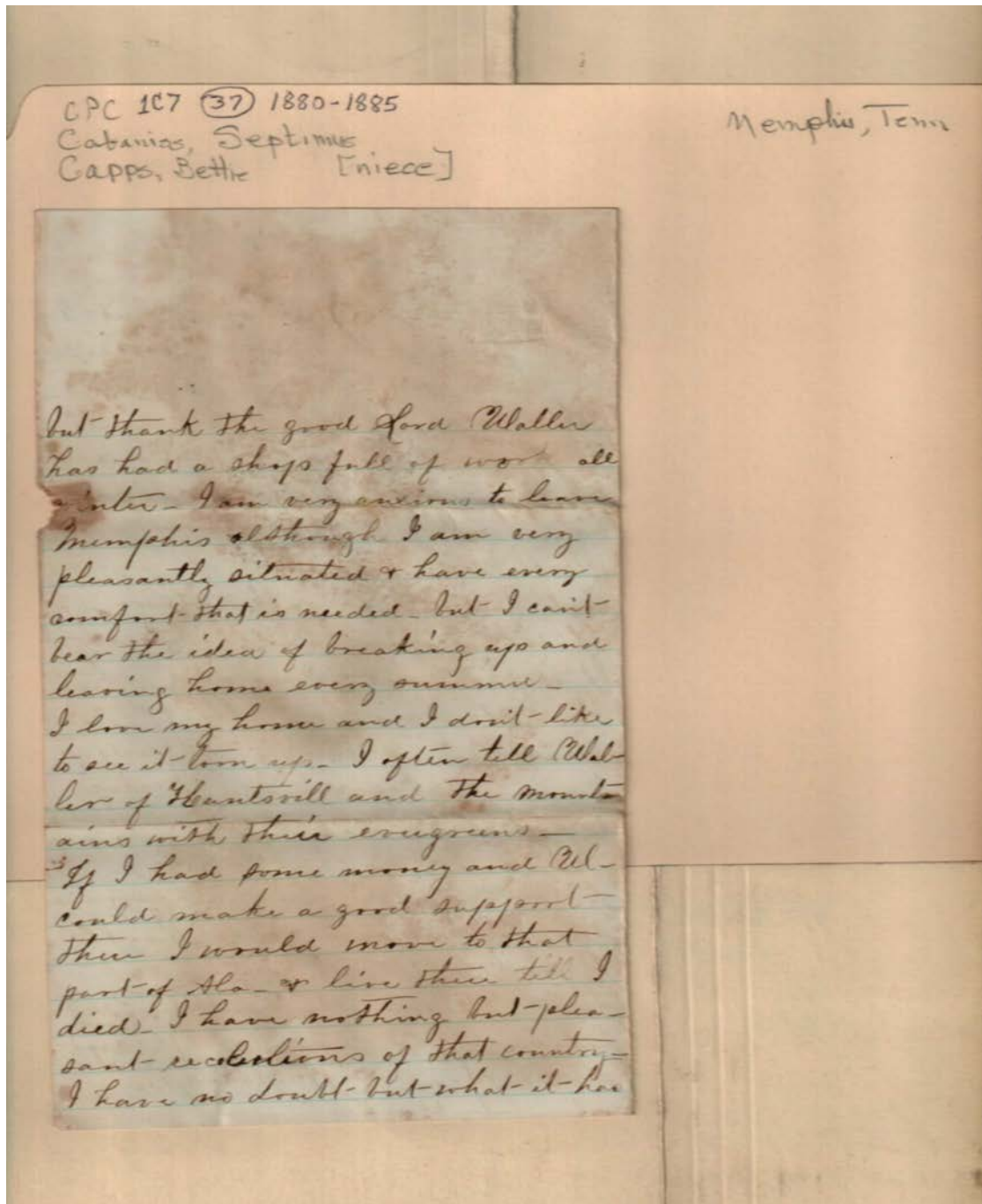
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Capps, Walter

Places:

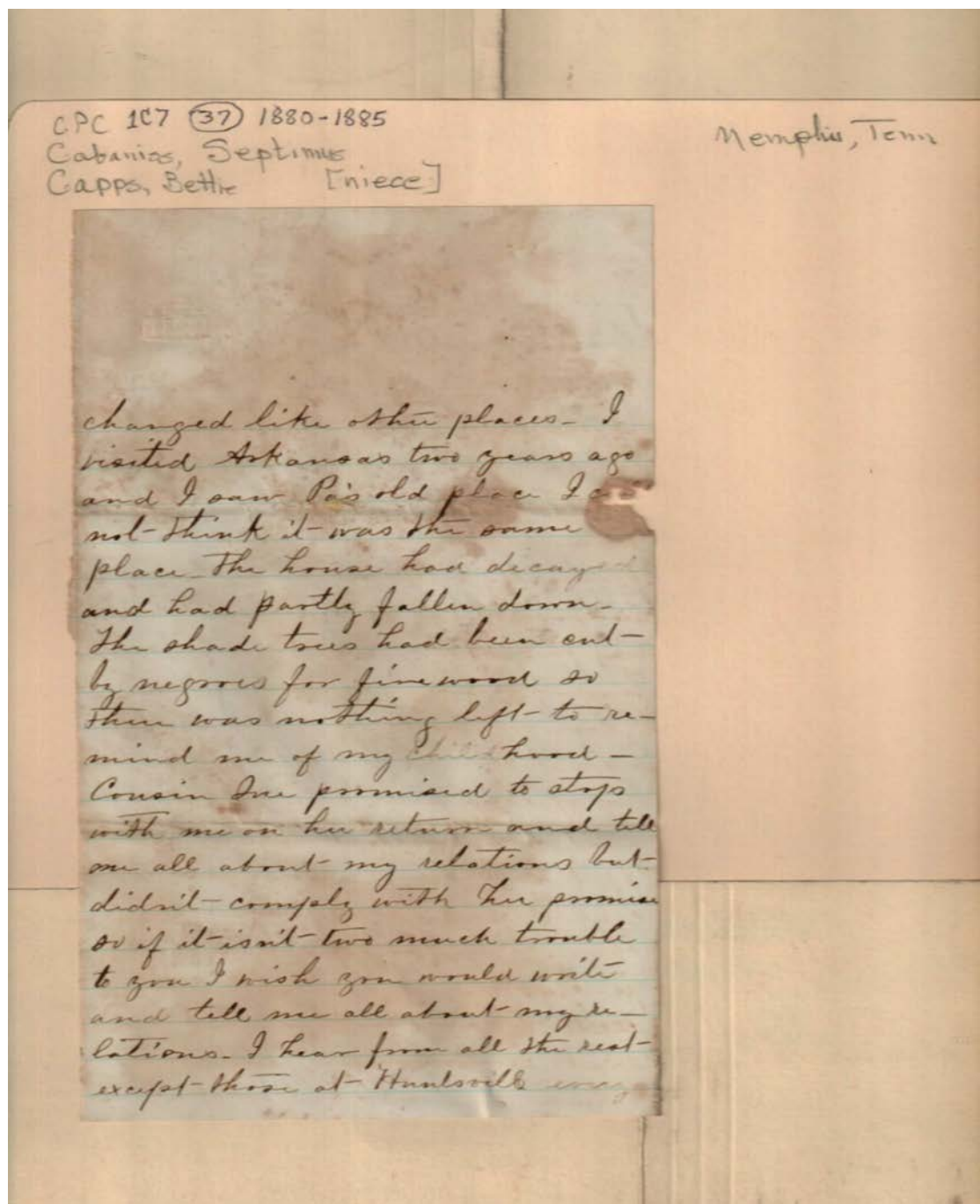
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Names:

, Ina

Capps, Bettie

Places:

Memphis, TN

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Feb 8, 1880

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Cabaniss, Septimus
Capps, Bettie [niece]

Memphis, Tenn

few weeks - I had a letter ^{from} Brother
last week - they were well & Brother
has succeeded very well in his
business this winter - I am going
to Arkansas as the first of May -
am afraid to stay here - I don't
know is all over town so that I
am confined to the house with
Ella - neither of us have had it -
Give my love to all my relations
& tell me if Aunt Betsy Lowry
is still alive - If you come to
Me - I will be delighted to see you -
Please send me your photograph
if you have a spare one - I have a
passion for family pictures - I
have my Father's enlarged - it is
splendid - Write soon - With many
good wishes for you and yours
I remain
Yours Affectionate Niece
Bettie Capps

Names:

Capps, Bettie

Capps, Ella

Lowry, Betsy

Places:

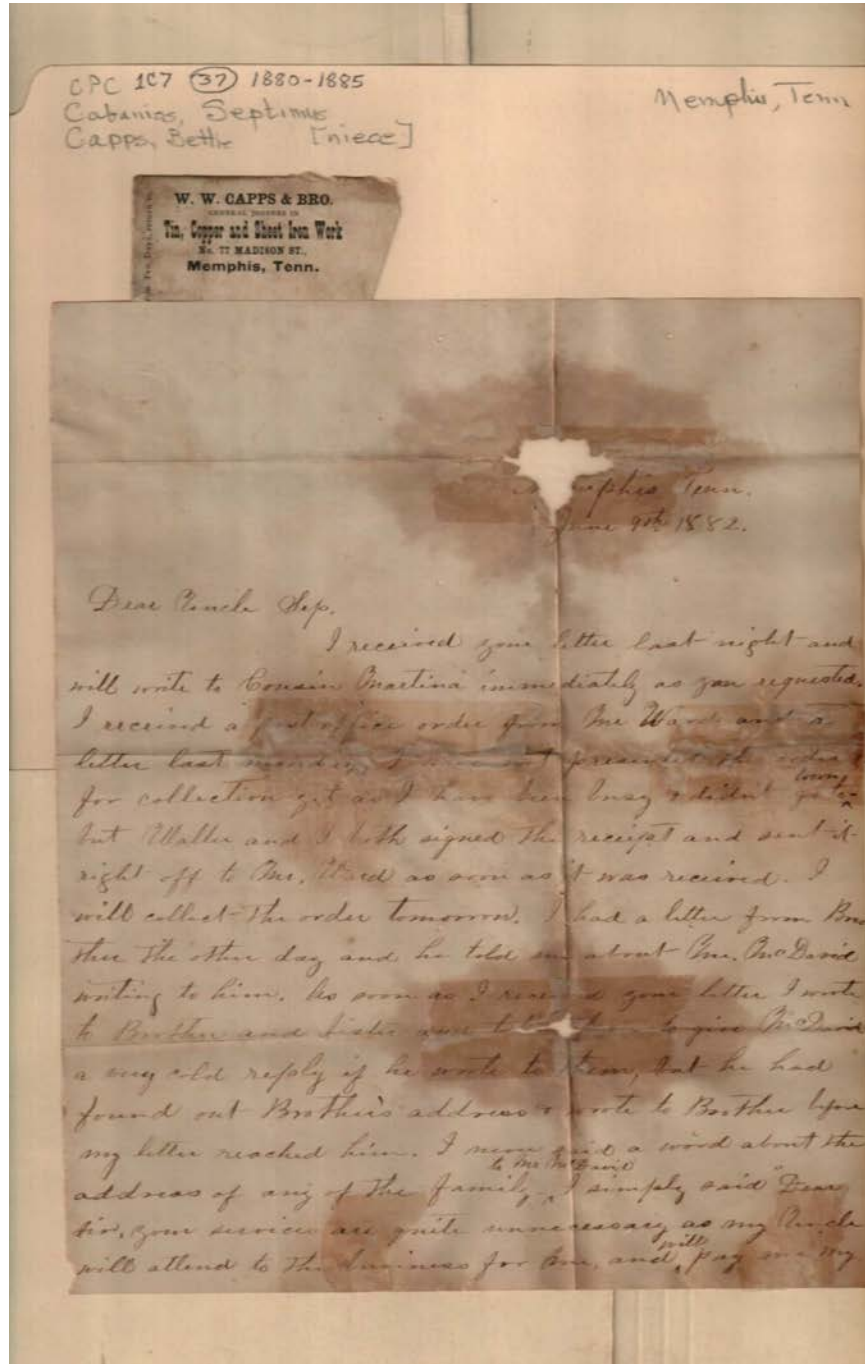
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correspondence

Dates:

Feb 8, 1880



Names:

, Martina
Cabaniss, Septimus
D.

Capps, Bettie
Capps, W. W. & Bro.
Capps, Walter

McDavid,
Ward,

Places:

Memphis, TN

Types:

address

correspondence

Dates:

June 9, 1882

CPC 107 (37) 1880-1885
Cabaniss, Septimus
Capps, Bettie [Niece]

Memphis, Tenn

legacy when it is done. I have no fears about receiving my portion neither has any sister or Brother. Properly- Encapsulated. I am extremely proud and I didn't want Mr. McDavids think that none of us were educated so I composed the letter and made Jennie Capps write it for me, as she writes beautifully. Well you know I am nothing but a green child so I will tell you what I have done with my money. I have it in gold and have added three and a half dollars to it this week & am going to see how I can make it grow. I do not add any more except some small things. I hope some day I may read it badly and then I will be of great service as I will try and make it grow as fast as I can. I have a perfect mania for money making but I am like Pa I love to spend it equally as much as I love to make it. But I am going to keep this I have (without Walter gets sick and I will have to spend) until I see that I am in some circumstances & then I will spend it for silverware for Ella, I like keepsakes & prize them above all things. Has a monument been erected to Uncle Charlies memory? I will enclose Brothers letter as it was never intended for your eyes and you can see how much alike we are in our ideas. Ella & Walter join me in love to you, my love to all my relations.

Yours loving Niece
Bettie

Names:

Cabaniss, Charles P.
(Charlie)

Capps, Bettie
Capps, E.

Capps, Ella
Capps, Jennie

Capps, Walter
McDavid,

Places:

Memphis, TN

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

June 9, 1882

CPC 1C7 (37) 1880-1885
Cabaniss, Septimus
Capps, Bettie [niece]

Memphis, Tenn

We have had 4 Pies of the ^{ripe} Mescal Peaches I ever saw for this
time of the year. they commenced ripening May 20th
of which a hundred like these I would make
some money out of them,

Duncan AR May 30th 1882

W. W. Capps Esq
dear Mother

Your telegram came to hand on
the 27th along with letters from you and a note
from Mrs. A. Hornor & son. saying that you draft
was there for collection. I have told
Stieffle Green & Collier that it would 40 miles
from Helena and it would take two days
to hear from me, they wouldn't telegraphed
asking Hornor if the draft would be paid
but the wanted to know before the draft was
sent there, and of course Hornor could not hear
from me in time to reply. I did not get the
Mule until Saturday. I am very much
pleased with her. We and Jim are splendid
material. Jim is a little the heaviest - is
the only difference. Our crops are smaller
than I have ever known them to be at this season

Names:

Capps, W. W.
Capps, Walter

Honor, John S.

Stieffle, Green &
Collier

Places:

Duncan, AR

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

May 30, 1882

CPC 107 (37) 1880-1885
Cabaniss, Septimus
Capps, Bettie [Niece]

Memphis, Tenn

of the year. It was the hardest matter to
get a stand over. Now. Tell sister I had
a letter from McDavid and wrote to him
Asking him if he thought it was
necessary to supply McDavid. I did
not see any use in giving it to M.D.
if it all has to be taken up in fact
I would prefer that he have it to him.
I have had no talk out from him.
I thought away of the over River folks in some
time, do not know what has become of them.
We are having the hardest time that I have
ever known. It was a hard matter this season
to get enough of the actual necessities
of life to furnish the hands to make
a crop. if we can make a good crop and
get a good price for it we will be all OK.
What this whole country needs is
merchants that have always sent their goods
out through hands demanding for trade and even
those that had it are throwing them off. C. P. Humber
of Memphis, dropped Mr. Reid and the Prices
at Mt. Ida and all of the other customers they had here.
William & Henry join in love to you all
Yours truly W. B. Wellborn

Names:

Cabaniss, Septimus

McDavid,

Wellborn, W. B.

Places:

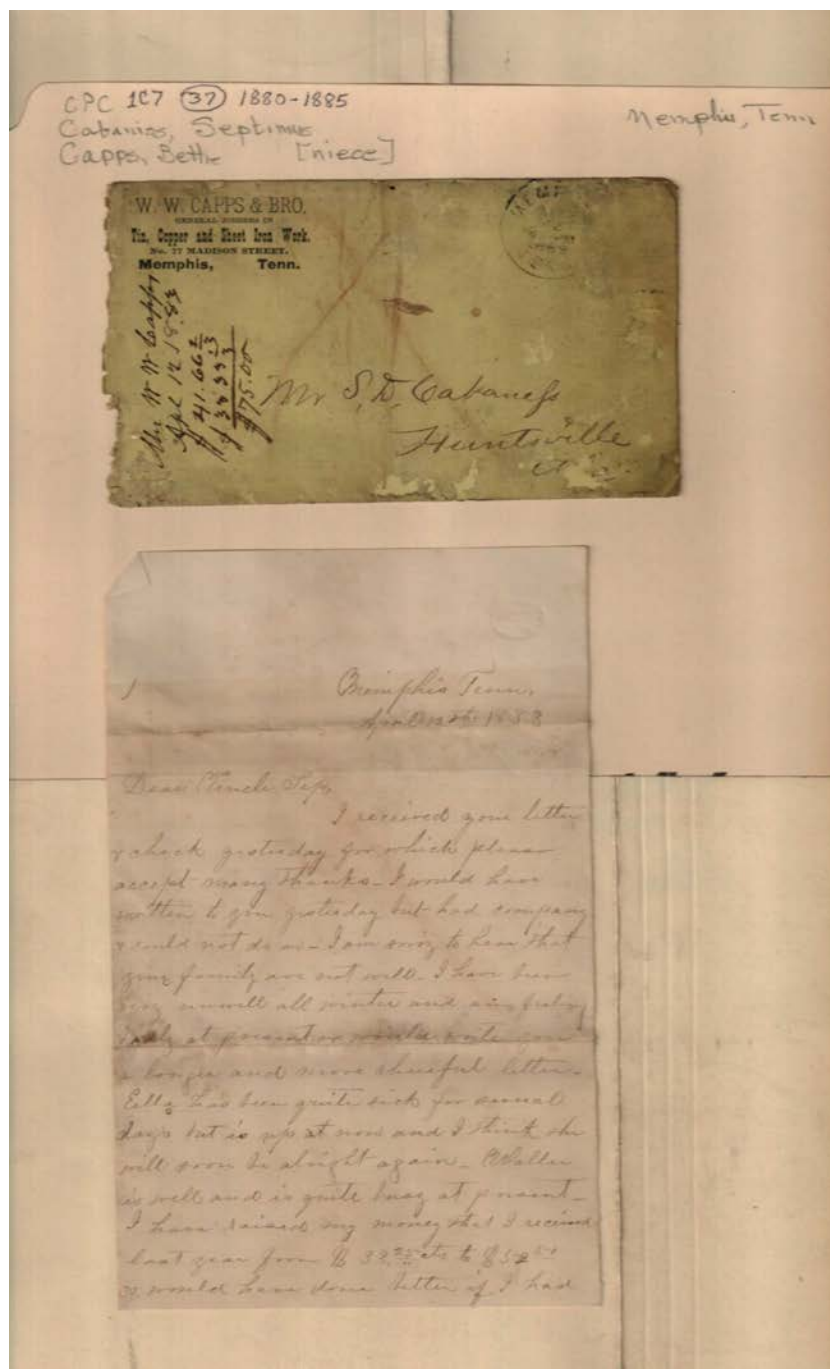
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May 30, 1882



Names:

Cabaniss, S. D.
 Cabaniss, Septimus

Capps, Ella
 Capps, W. W., Mrs.

Capps, Walter

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Memphis, TN

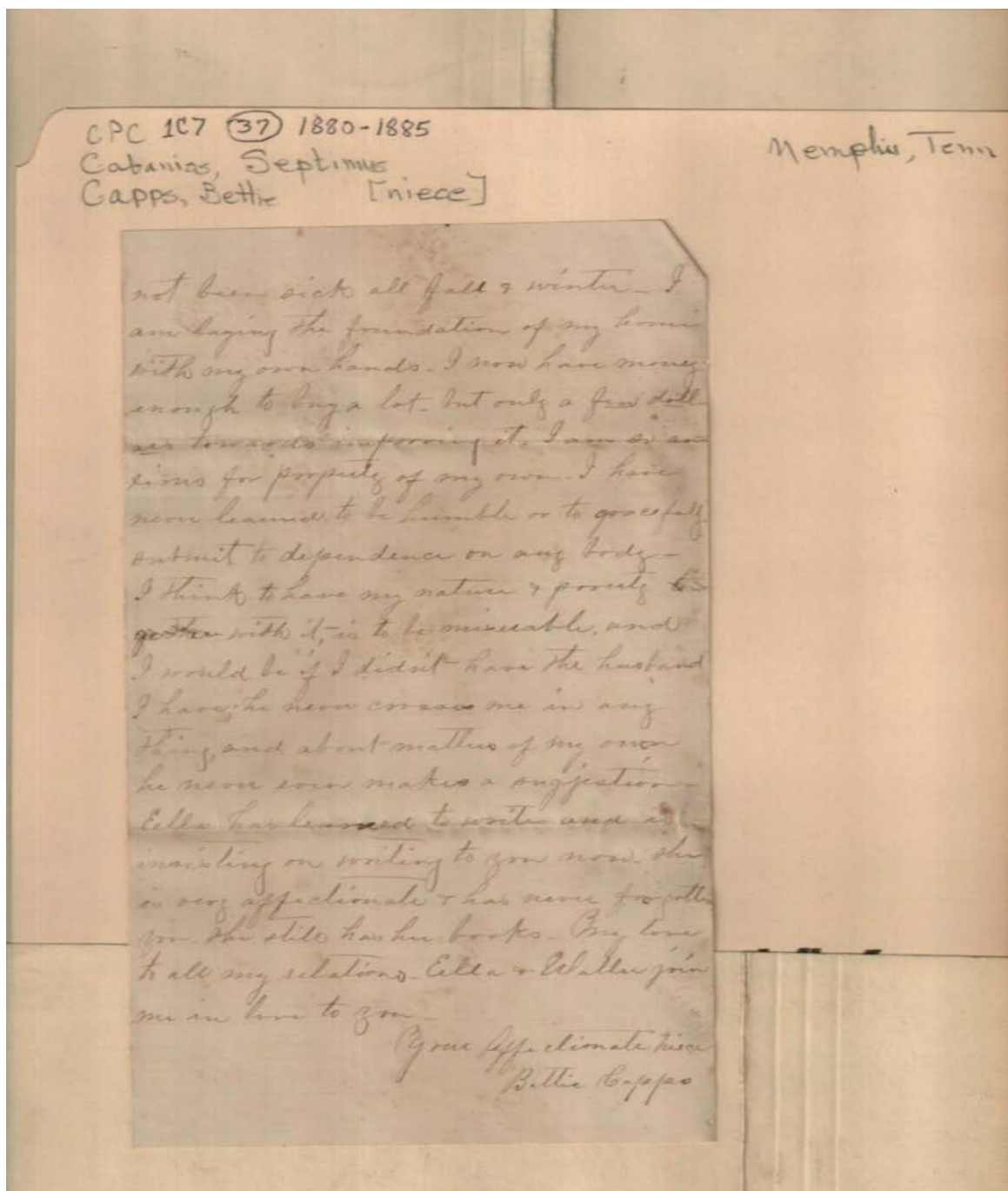
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Dates:

April 12, 1887



Names:

Capps, Bettie

Capps, Ella

Capps, Walter

Places:

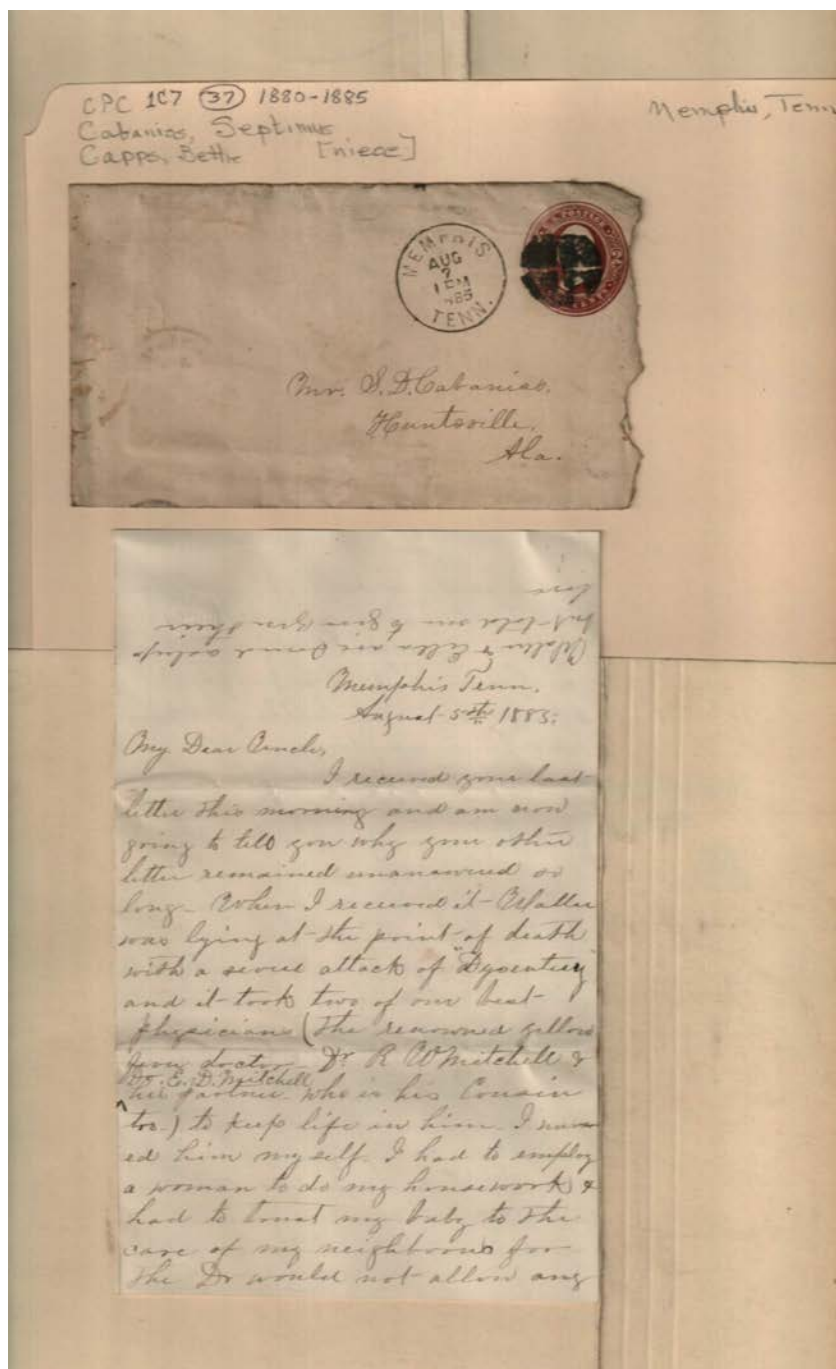
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April 12, 1887



Names:

Cabaniss, S. D.
 Cabaniss, Septimus

Capps, Walter
 Mitchell, E. D., Dr.

Mitchell, R. W., Dr.

Places:

Huntsville, AL

Memphis, TN

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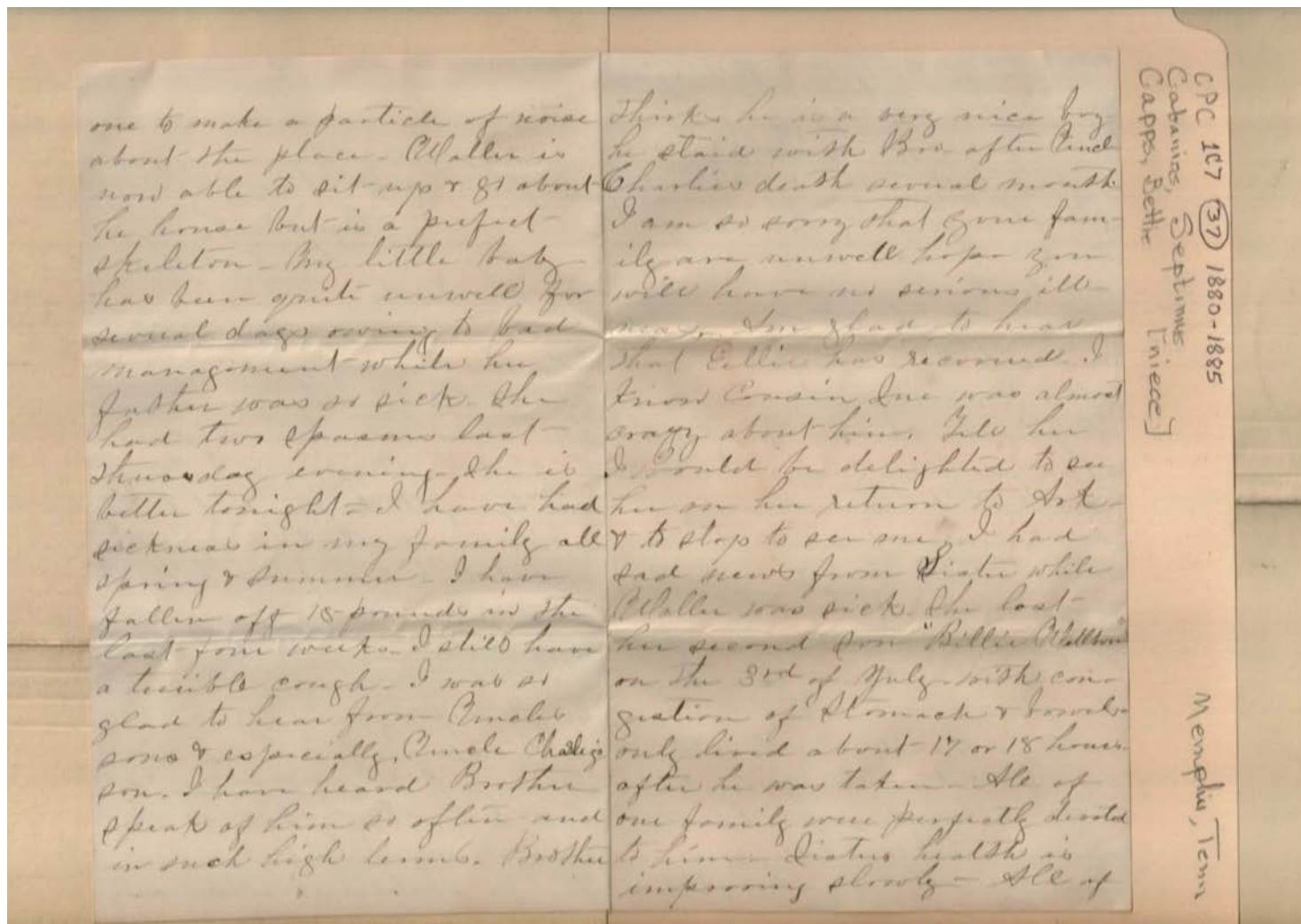
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Dates:

Aug 5, 1885

Aug 7, 1885



Names:

, Ina

Cabaniss, Charles P.
(Charlie)

Capps, Ellie
Capps, Walter

Wellborn, Billie

Places:

Memphis, TN

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Aug 5, 1885

add. all off from - 10/10/00
I have not heard from
Uncle St & Cousin Martin
in some time as I have had
no time to write. My love to all
of my relations. I appreciate your
letters so much, and when that
one came while Walter was so
low - it recalled my thoughts to

Greer, Judge

Memphis, TN

correspondence

Aug 5, 1885

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