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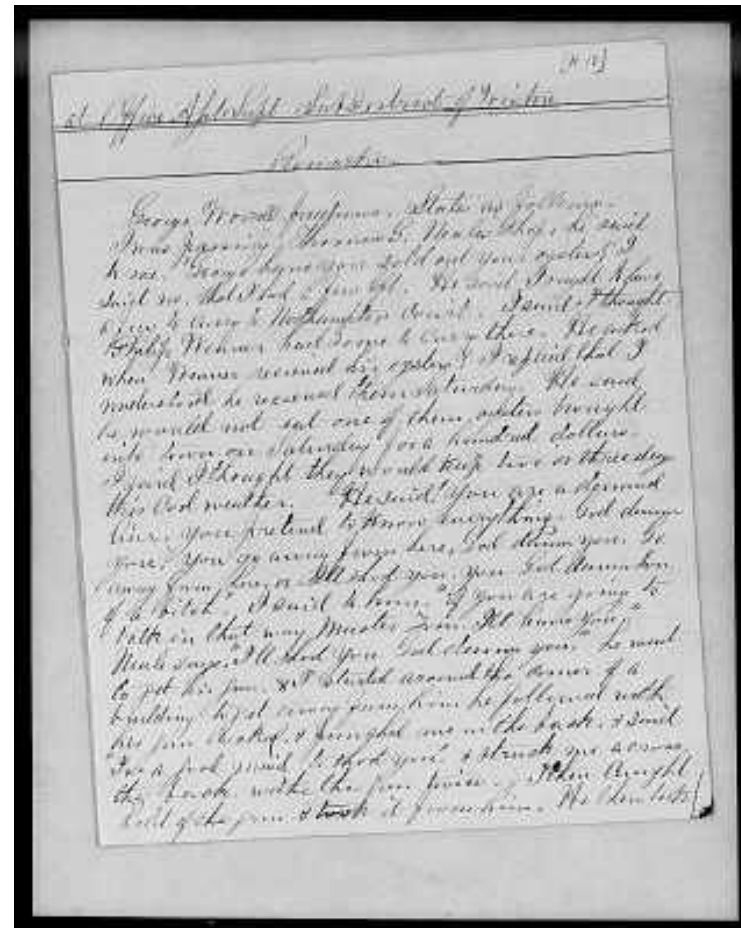
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George Worrell, freedman, States as follows,  
I was passing Thomas G. Neales shop, he said to me, "George have you sold out your oysters?" I said no, that I had a few left. He said I ought to have a few to carry to Northampton Court. I said, I thought Philip Wenner had some to carry there. He asked when Wenner recieved his oysters? I replied that I understood he recieved them Saturday. He said he would not eat one of them oysters brought into town on Saturday for a hundred dollars. I said I thought they would keep two or three days this cool weather. He said, "You are a damned liar, You pretend to know everything. God damn you. You go away from here, God damn you. Go away from here, or Ill shoot you, you God damn Son of a bitch." I said to him, "If you are going to talk in that way Master Tom, Ill leave you." Neale says, "Ill shoot you God damn you." He went to get his gun & I started around the corner of a building to get away from him he followed with his gun cocked, & punched me in the back, & said "Ive a good mind to shoot you," & struck me across the back with the gun twice. I then caught hold of the gun & took it from him. He then took



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