

A. T. BRUCE & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
FOR THE SALE OF
Cotton and Southern Produce.
166 PEARL ST.

New York July 1st 1871

Elias Carr Esq

Dear Sir

We have yours acknowledging funds by Express and "posting", glad you and Macan had a laugh, will watch your interest in regard to the Bond and advise you - would like a copy of the California bonds, including the right to prospect, provided there is plenty of water to wash well, writer supposes you have remembrance of our bath in Salt water last summer -

Expect to deliver your cotton in few days when we will be able to give the Clipping and how much will be deducted for not coming up to L Mid - it has been to 18 $\frac{1}{4}$ for July low Mid since we sold, but is now 20 $\frac{1}{4}$, so you see we did not vary much from instructions to sell at "Highest" - Glad your prospects are so good, and likely you will get a good price - it now looks so -

Y^{rs} Truly
A. T. Bruce & Co.