

R. L. HUMBER'S MACHINE WORKS.

DEALER IN AND REPAIRER OF

Engines, Boilers, Steam-Fittings, &c.,

— Cotton Gins, Harvesting Machinery. —

Greenville, N. C. Oct 6 1896

Messrs Elias Carr & Son
Old sparta N.C

Gentlemen:-

Your letter and aft received
In reply to the stuffing box I will say that
I did not do or charge you with any
work that could have been left alone and
not done. I have the old stuffing box to
show. as you seem to doubt that the new
one was necessary. Your cylinder could not
have been bored if this did not come out;
and to get it out, it had to be cut out. I tried
but there was no other way. I did not
charge you for any thing but what was
honest. so I shall have to ask you to
send the balance due \$6.25 and oblige
yours Respectfully

R. L. Humber

R. D. Buckner
Oct. 6-96