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Mr. W. E. Debnam
1313 Williamson Drive
Raleigh, N. C.

Dear Mr. Debnam:

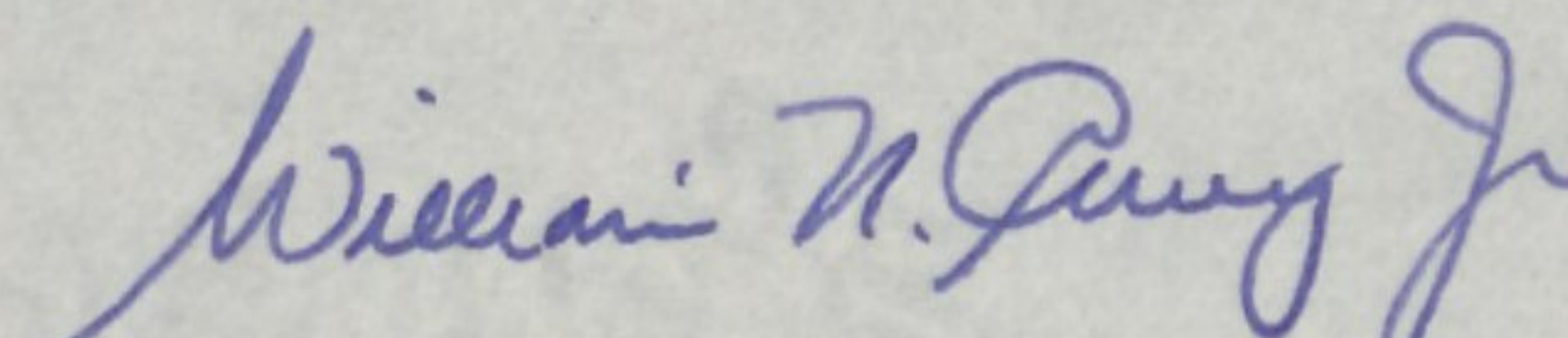
I have today had the pleasure of reading, for the first time, your book Weep No More, My Lady through the courtesy of a friend who loaned it to me ~~hafter~~ after having received it himself only a day or two before. Besides the many truths contained in it, I was interested in a quotation ascribed to one Martin Gary, a Confederate Brigadier from South Carolina. My Grandfather served in Trenholm's Squadron, Gary's Brigade, 7th South Carolina Cavalry attached to Hampton's Legion for the last year or so of the war. I have never seen Gary mentioned anywhere, but was wondering if this was the same man. I feel sure it must be.

Your book is so good that I would like to have my own copy for re-reading and future reference so am enclosing my check in the amount of \$2.00 for the cloth bound, autographed edition.

It was a pleasure to read and Oh! How true. If only those bleeding hearts and do-gooders would, for one time in 97 years, get out of our hair! We still feel the effects of the defeat we suffered in 1865 and it has been, as you say, only by our own bootstraps that we have lifted ourselves and made the progress that we have.

Congratulations on your booklet. It should be required reading for everyone.

Yours very truly,



William N. Curry, Jr.