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Ithaca, N.Y.
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My dear Judge:

The copy of the Inter Ocean, which you sent me, is received - many thanks. From now on, I am to have the Inter Ocean every week, that I may the better watch the progress of the National Citizen Rights Ass'n. I trust that it will be a success. I believe with you that what is needed is for the truth to be known, and this "scheme" will certainly bring that about.

In regard to my work, I have fairly well mastered these portions relating to the Ku-Klux and to the Rifle Clubs. I don't mean to say that I know all that I should know, in regard to these, but I have the subject well in hand. I know, fairly well, the history of their organization, methods, &c. What I want now is information, in regard

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to the Dertch Law, False Returns, and Tissue Ballots. Can you tell me, where such information can be obtained?

Is there any way of obtaining information ⁱⁿ regard to the results of Negro Suffrage? I mean the public school system of the South, to-day &c, which would not have come into existence, unless the negro had put it into the Constitutions of these States. Would the easiest way to get at this be a comparison of the Const's of these states, before and after the war?

If you can find time to answer these questions, I shall, indeed, be very much obliged.

Sincerely and Respectfully Yours,

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Mayville,
N.Y.

Chas. M. Whicher.