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Gentlemen: -

Ten or twelve years ago there appeared in the Dearborn Independent, by one Mr. Black, a series of articles refuting the myth of the escape of John Wilkes Booth, etc. I was much interested & corresponded with Mr. Black, who sent to me some advance copy of a book which he purposed to publish dealing with the matter.

I am writing to ascertain whether or not the book was ever published, & if so, where I may obtain a copy.

Was the Dearborn Independent yet published?

Thanking you,

I am respectfully,

Thompson W. McKinney