



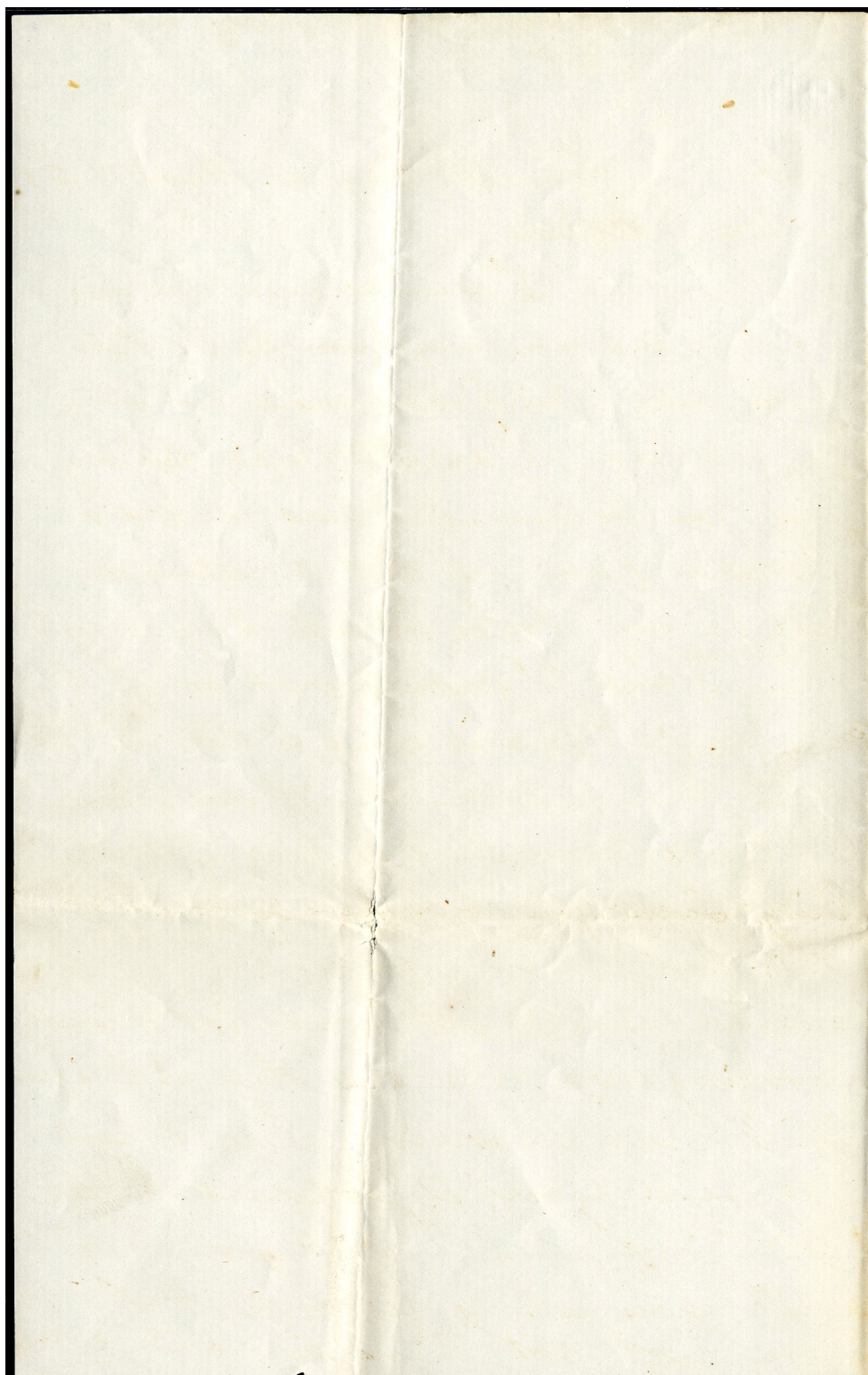
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Falmouth Virginia. April 11 63
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