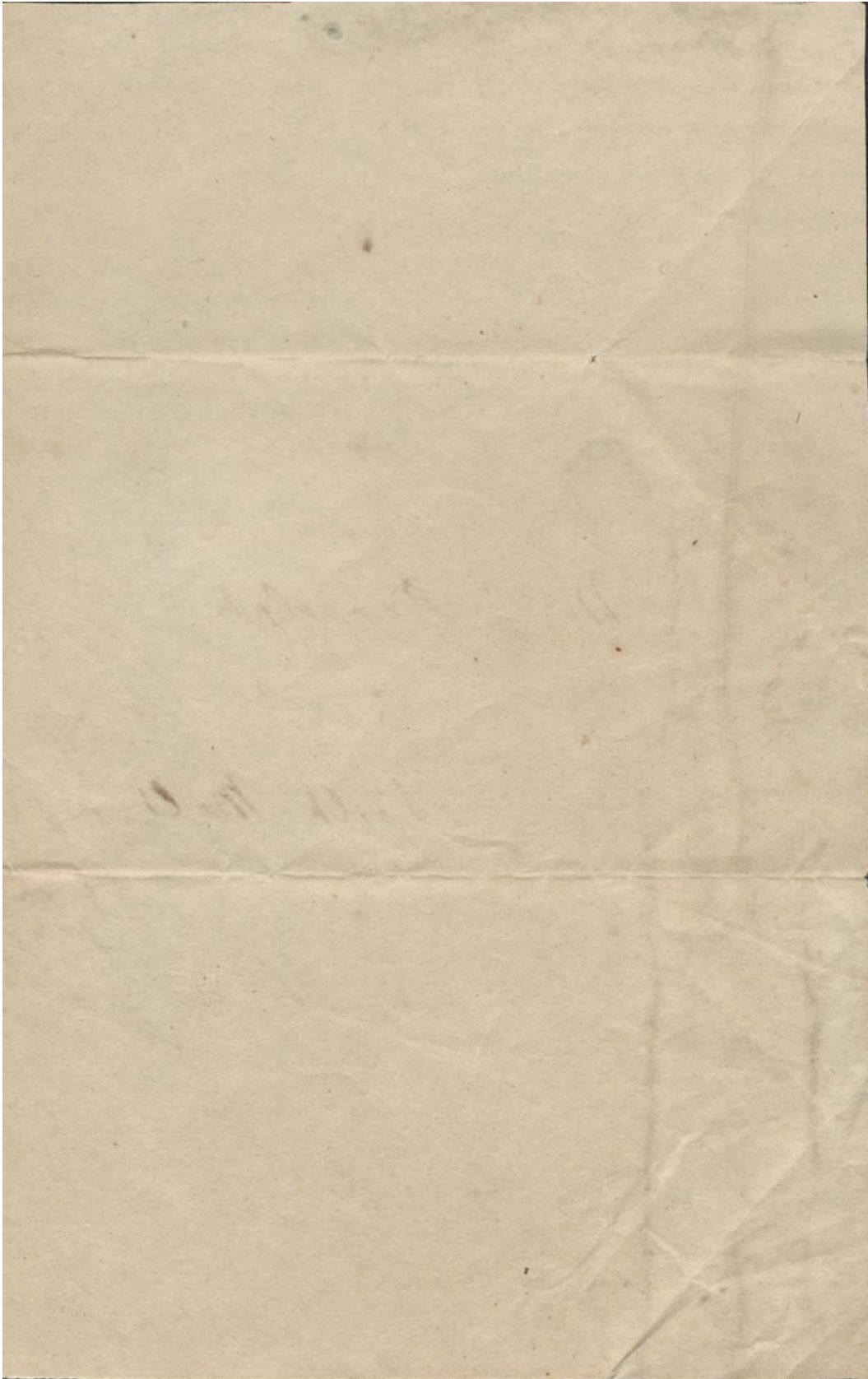


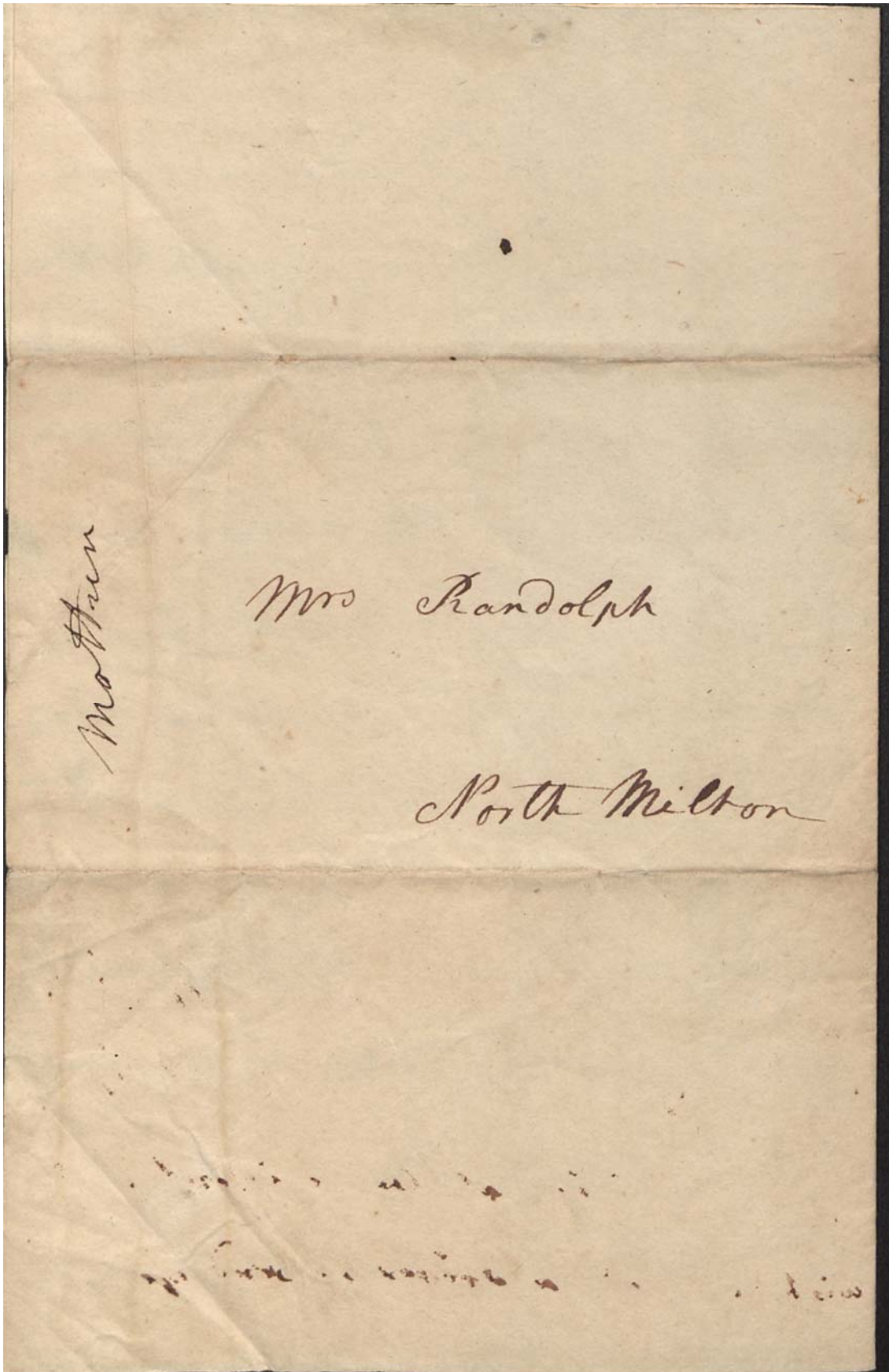
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I detained Jem My Dear
Jane in hopes Wormley would arrive
in time for him to have some of a Lamb
I sent to Edgehill for this morning as
he has not arrived I have had a quarter
that was larded to braise wrapped up
and such vegetables as our garden affords
with orders to try and meet Wormley and
get more and another quarter of Lamb
as you may not like it larded. I am
much mortified at the accident and
wish we had a driver to send you. but

Phill has not returned. by the bye if you
have not seen Meade lately you must pre-
pare your mind for something truly ^{monstrous} ~~strange~~
so as not to be too much shocked when
you do. I should be loth to have so much
good and handsome blood on both sides
^{with} by an accident. God bless you we beg
to be affectionately presented to your mutual
friends and hope to see them all tomorrow
yours most affectionately—
Randolph
Monticello Aug. 13, 1818



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