Relay House
March 27, 1865.

My dear Doctor,

I received your letter in due time and was glad every time.

Poor fools, they are too insignificant to excite contempt.

Tyler proposes to try his hand again. Let him try it. I am prepared to meet him.

My compliments to my friends.

Write often.

Truly,

A. B. Knight

P.S. Send enclosed letter to Reedy.
Open now, note points and dates.
I propose in the coming Campaign to annihilate.

Their day of rashness will soon close. I am master of the situation
so trust me and never despair but
when I would have retired earlier we
had to go to war on business.

I think the meeting
referred to was for the purpose of adding
another chapter to Sykes's Charges.
I think they ought to have learned by this
time that such charges originating with
all such nocturnal gatherings eventually
receive upon the conspirators.

Sykes of course will keep me from the Reef,
as long as he can and will approve this
work of villany. But let me tell you
some one will be broken this time.
They have struck me their hardest blow
they cannot hurt me in the future.
I command my own station, and live a
living and even present object of their
infamy. Keep your ears and eyes wide