

Brookings  
I am sorry that - she is dead.  
I have no news  
and where you come  
please write of the picture  
of Bellitt and his baby  
has been  
promised it.

CARR & SON

I am truly sorry that - any objectionables  
should have seemed on your last visit.

Allow me to try and explain to you  
you know we had a home full of company  
and on Monday three came up from  
Greenville after leaving they couldn't come  
so Eleanor invited others. Then they drove  
up & it was pouring down rain and our  
horses just about scarcely. I then had to  
order another chicken, up set the table  
and make it as long as I could all  
to fit over a gas. John. Boner and I  
waited at several meals, Eleanor letting  
the head of the table. You ordered  
the horse and went to Dr Pitts. I had

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some time ago  
and don't expect  
to receive or get  
any more  
from me.

We expect you  
will be here.

With kind regards  
to your female friends

No idea you had not been to Oliver  
when you returned John said he  
said to you that <sup>right</sup> you and he might  
have to wait at supper and you  
said to him if I have to wait I will  
go to Barbado. He told Bonner what you  
said and she put in another seat  
thinking all would understand the  
circumstances. I was busy and knew  
nothing about your returning the  
horse. John said if you had to wait  
you needed go to Barbado. And when  
Bonner went to the office she said  
don't let brother Elias go off in this  
seam, we have fixed a seat for him.  
John says he thought if you could  
get a seat you would not want the  
buggy and countermanded the order.  
I really knew nothing about the buggy  
and when Herbert heard you had

Tuesday night

ELIAS CARR

Say three  
2 of Birds to  
say. Mass 9

water dinner  
White & Mattie  
and Boston out  
you expect  
to visit st.

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gone. he said to me. And Elie I have  
so much rather have waited and  
taken my supper with you Bonner  
and John, and Elias could have  
fixed my seat so much better.  
Bonner had fixed for you at the  
foot of the ladder, and Herbert  
w<sup>t</sup>. to you. as you were not sure  
Herbert had to take it, since there was  
a vacant seat. I am sorry you did  
not look at it differently, and had  
come right around and helped us;  
You are such good help at such a  
time and you, Bonner, and I could  
have had a good time in the parlor  
eating and flying at the same time  
really I had been on the go for a  
month trying to get things to eat late

in the season on vegetables, or chickens  
scarcely, when I think of it. I hardly  
know how I did make out. So you must  
come and spend some with us. You did  
not say but I hope Mrs Casper is her  
self again. Thanks for your kind invitation  
<sup>to have</sup> to Staunton and Madise <sup>so</sup> a visit but  
I surely get from home, unless I am  
obliged to. You are younger so you  
must come to see me. I went to see  
my old school mate Anna Williams  
that was, now Mrs De Pierre, progressive  
people in Weldon, her son later one  
they moved like & have an ice factory  
in Weldon and the foundation for  
one was already laid there. We are  
finishing up the last cotton, and  
getting up the last corn. I think  
Sam Blatt will leave ~~this~~ next  
year as he wants to rent land and  
of course wants some of the best.  
We can't tell yet who will stay over