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My dear Elias

I have been

thinking of you so
much lately—especially
during this everlasting
rain—that I feel I must
write—that I can
give you one particle
of consolation for that
is impossible now
as all the damage
is done—to your crops

will the latter is sur-
prising very much over
the dam at Brace
ridge and sympa-
thizes deeply with
you - Give our best
regards to Uncle
Tommie with a
big kiss for your
dear good self
Always your de-
voted sister
Matilda

I ~~learnt~~ learnt John's
Crazy three card solitaire
I am worried to death
trying it every night
I wish John had kept
it to him self - that
is the game you found
me working on the
day you came when I
had'nt the patience
to stop - for which I
want to beg your par-
don now if it is not
too late - I wont do
it any more - -
Ma and Button are

You are such a noble philosophical
man. I know you will make the best
of the very worst no matter how it
comes. Just as soon as you can do
come and make us a visit for -
is so beautiful at present (when it is
not raining which it is doing now as
hard as it can but looks as if it
might clear this afternoon). Milton
is in business with his father as
can partner. I expect he has written
you on his new paper of which
he is very proud as he designed
the heading - he looks well and
is deeply in love - I don't believe
Milton is quite as smart as
you thought on the love making
line. he gets very deep so that
he cannot come out peacefully
like you do so often. Since



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