

April 20th

I flatter myself Dearest Becky will with
pleasure receive intelligence of my recovery from indispos-
-ition - a few days after writing to dear Sally C. I have been
confined to my room until two days ago - thank god I can
again walk about my house - ~~pro-~~ with stand my ghost
like appearance - the satisfaction I enjoy induces me to wish
you with my beloved family to partake of - or should not
give to ~~be~~ food for ridicule - god grant you are all in
possession of health that greatest of blessings - its long since
I have heard from you - a letter would be truly reviving
you must conceive my husband the most negligent
of things about writing - I repeatedly have urged him - he has
-itively declined - saying he could not unless he could make
up the debt he owed your Brothers - the delicacy of his feelings
of that score would not permit him to write - the latter end
of next week or the ensuing one he proposes to pay a visit
and discharge ~~his~~ many obligations - should I continue well
enough - by this time I suppose you are removed from the
old stand to a more pleasant situation - may every happy
attend you in the change - from some hints in S. C. letter I fear
my dear sister's circumstances are not prosperous - she has
endured many troubles - ~~her~~ situation gives one many anx-
-ious moments - Abraham I fear is little calculated to render
that support she deserves - a young man with the support

he had with management and industry could not fail to make money sufficient to support a family in the line of business he was in ~~at~~ those times he commenced - at present its difficult to say what can be done the unfortunate affairs of our country cast a gloom and pervades every condition - its truly melancholy ~~our~~ state will more particular feel ^{the} from the vast quantity of produce stored without a prospect of disposing it ~~far~~ abroad - ruin will be the consequence to many - this is the last day of election - every thing proves fair to Federalism and the presumption is throughout the state the Federal Ticket will prevail so says the Doctor - and the consideration of its pleasing him makes me mention it - let me soon hear from you dearest girl its necessary for my happiness to be acquainted with the welfare of my beloved family - its eight months sickness has worn my constitution almost out - and requires comfort - from the exhilarating effusions of your heart mine still beats - and will whilst I exist for my dearest relatives with the warmest affection - to each individual give my tenderest love - my husband joins with me - accept my prayers for every blessing you so well deserve and believe your affectionate aunt

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