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who have fine places in the
Country, still long for mountain
air. I wish you had gone
to Saratoga, for a week.

The waters would have done
you good, and I might there
perhaps, have met with some
one, as you say, to fill my
eye. Indeed Uncle Davy,
I am very much obliged to
you, for your kind interest
in my welfare, but I do not
find myself, so seriously ~~un~~
unhappy, as I am. Why will
you not be contented with
me? But I must go and join
my good friend Mr. Wayne,
who has been resting after
his morning's shopping.

I will write to you as soon
as I reach Long Branch, and
tell you all the news. Give
my best love to dear Louie,

Uncle Abby, Aunt
Prudence, and all
my friends.
I'll be home again
in a week, and
I'll see you
ever grateful
and affectionate,
Mary S. Hall,



of the 31st ultimo has just reached
me, with one from Louie to
his sister. I am glad to hear,
you had such a pleasant trip
home. Louie seems to be happy
in seeing so many relations
and friends, and driving over
your beautiful country.

He writes in good spirits,
and I am sure, the visit will
be of great service to him.

Mr. Kingsland, of Gackett
memory, came to see us, on
Monday, to invite you and

Lewis, to join him in a sail, around Long Island.

He was much disappointed, to find, you had your home.

Why did you not feel contented, to stay a little longer?

It was a very poor compliment, to Siggie's attractions, and mine also. But we will not

find fault, with your love of home, only you will not believe,

I too, like my home very much. I am glad Louis is going to Louisville, and I hope he will also accomplish, the proposed visit to Cousin Emilius, in Missouri.

Lewis with Siggie, Minnie and Reginald, went to Long Branch, on Wednesday. We were not pleased with Charlie's situation, at Glen Cove, so Siggie brought him home, and he is very diligent at his studies, with Mr. Marshall, a young scotch man, who seems

well qualified for the task.

I, in the mean time keep house for him and Doctor Dora.

We will go to Long Branch, together next week. Siggie is

looking for board for Charlie

his teacher, at some plain farm house, near Squam beach.

I send you today's "Herald", in which you will see Mr. Woolly,

name mentioned, at an entertainment, given to Admiral

Farragut, at Rye beach. Lewis will join Mr. Kingsland

on Monday, for an excursion around Long Island. I wish

you and Mr. Johnson were here, to join the party.

Mrs. Wayne has just come in, to take dinner with me.

She tells ^{me} Mr. & Mrs. Morris, her nephew and niece, with whom

she is staying, are at Shear on

Springs. So you see, persons