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Mr Edward C. Mitchell

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Dear Edward

We wrote you nearly a month since informing you that we had engaged a school for you here, to commence on the last day of this month - since ^{then} we have heard nothing from ^{you}, and do not now know whether or not you have received our letter or when you are coming.

Thanksgiving here will be on the 26th of this month - and we have thought you would be here at that time - you must write and let us know what your plans are. We have had letters this week from Helen and Grandma Whitman - the babe is quite sick of pube and will not probably live long - Victor Nuttall is dead - he died in the hospital in N. York was taken with a fever on his passage home from Savanna with his brother Josiah - His remains were carried to Freeport and buried last Sunday - Josiah came on with them and went back to N. York on Monday - Ezekiel has also gone on to New York to take passage out to Portoven with his brother for the benefit of his health.

Your Grandpa Mitchell is now at Springfield
and has been there ever since I wrote you
last - your Aunt Davis continues quite
sick - Uncle Cushing and wife are going
to Boston to spend the winter and will
leave here next week.

I can think of nothing more
to say to night - let us hear from you soon
and give our love to all enquiring friends -

Your affectionate

Father
