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While my excellent and beloved husband was in the jaws of death - Tudor was taken with a tremendous discharge of blood from his lungs which almost suffocated him - I called in two Physicians - They have just pronounced him recoverable with great care My lovely infant rattles by my elbow - and pushes it - but I will never cease to assure you, dearest Sir, of my affectionate remembrance under all circumstances - At unheard of wages we get execrable beings during day about our house - the only servant who sleeps in it, is a notorious Thief Tudor has a man who keeps his horses and brings him water - but - anxiety and fatigue have worn off all my flesh - I cannot bear that so amiable a youth should suffer - it seems to

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me a pity that in such health he should ^{so}
long have ^{been} left under many wounds
to his spirits - such uncertainty
respecting many circumstances
which have sunk him to the lowest
ebb - Dear young creature - never
did I see any one more amiable -
he never complains - on any subject -
His exquisite sensibility is discoverable
only by appearances - and his little
wants found out by my maternal
solicitude for him. had he fallen
in the hands of persons not truly
and extremely tender of his feelings
and convenience, he would probably
be now in his grave. The night
before this last I dreamed that
he was in great distress and awoke

exclaiming - "My Child I will never
forsake you" - God knows he has
need of all the exertion in my power -
my good and amiable husband only
sits up a little - Best love to
M^{rs} T. and Polly
Y^{rs} most tenderly
and gratefully A. Morris

This scrawl is not quite so bad
as the two last because the
paper is not quite so thin