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My dear Mr. Adams - It is so long  
 since I have heard from you and  
 what you I can not help taking  
 up my pen to enquire after  
 you & to hope that science has  
 not been caused by illness -  
 We have had such dreadful  
 bad weather the last fortnight  
 that my only wish has been all  
 you may be sure we have  
 deeply felt the loss of George  
 & his most honoured death  
 I am thankful it did not  
 take place in this House  
 as he was with the  
 Duke as late as of a week

in the boundary by all accounts  
 in a very simple state to be  
 not. And when this monument  
 the same time we has arrived  
 in Iowa was abandoned for  
 & left not a monument in  
 sending to Mr. Oliver the letter  
 to request him in what  
 a state of things must  
negotiations be found less  
 & so far under all the  
peculiarly circumstances it  
 is a consequence to know  
 that any case may take  
 of him & every thing else  
 to prevent the disrupt  
most particular after all

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not take place / & that we  
 are ever reproach themselves  
 that my attendance was  
 not to be seen. I can not but  
 think that the disorder  
 must have been in view of  
 that the Populations  
 made this illness  
 these parts - The  
 was a number of  
 strong & various  
 feelings & could not stand  
 bearing, he was so completely  
 attacked, but if he had been  
 on his right hand I think  
 he would have got about  
interducing what was  
 started in a different  
 manner. I can not tell  
 you how the whole was

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