



Corinth
Thursday ^{Miss}
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Dear Brother
I have just
Received
a letter from you as I
came of from guard I have
about one hours leisure
time now so I will in
prove it by answering ^{me} your
letter you need not be
afraid I will be caught
in any other trap if I
can help it as regards
my things let them be at
your house for I have no
place to put them I
dont want Josephine and
Elba to have any of my

things at present as for
the black dress if Mrs
Harper make use of it for
Josephine I dont care she
must go to school or I
wont pay any board Bill
I wish you would let me
know if she does not go to
school I will write a few
lines to Josephine and put in
the same envelope with
yours with you can
give to her I have all
redy sent Josephine five
dollars to get some cloth
es with for school I am
allmost strapt now
but I will send Joseph
nine a dollar to buy
paper pens and ink and a pair
of gloves to keep them in and
mittens and Books &c
so that there will be ~~no~~
no excuse for not
going to school I have
let Charles have most two
dollars towards Eldas cho
thes have you sent that min
iature to Em yet how wood
you like me to send you
some cotton seeds to plant
anougher year I think
you might lot of mone
yr now it is so scarc
I will send you a piece
of newspaper but it did
not fight half as well
as our Fevigion nor had
as many killed as the
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