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My dear George

I reproach myself as
(appearing to be) a most negligent
maths - good intentions are
not lacking, but here to gain
victory over circumstances, these
tangle are in a hundred small
Gullies threads, I have not become.
Yesterday I had many little jobs
wh kept me writing notes, toky
a good many visitors. These
added to the routine duties here

Preventive ~~me~~ telegraphing or
 telephoning to Carney are the most
 good wishes to you, Florence &
 Will, at the beginning of this new
 well-marked division of time.
 At all times my heart is full of
 love to you, but the expression of
 it rarely made, so that this conven-
 tional time serves a good end
 in making it easier for the
 part. I want, just why, I cannot
 nature to give vent to the buried
 feelings so carefully concealed.
 May thank you note from

Albany. also a newspaper with
 short notices of meeting. Dauterive's
 gave address while he travelled,
 I shall much like to see it. When
 you get a paper with it. You
 are announced, in the Gazette here
 this morning, as "Mr. Dauterive
 Director of the Survey & Queen's Printer
 passed through the City, en route
 for Attawapiskat. A very humorous &
 well. for it is hard to see you should
 have been so near & then we did
 not see you. - I hope this threatened
 capture did not hinder. I shall

not venture to say how surely
 the dread of possible evil effects
 me - do try to "seek peace & then
 to pursue it", as the scriptures say,
 in the sense of running after peace
 to catch it - so zealous ought we
 to be to maintain it for "a brother
 offended is harder to win than
 a walled city". I am again
 accept loving, and wishes from

Mather

P.S. Please telephone heartiest good
 wishes to Will & Florence.

January 1st 1901. In