

passage, the first thing that Clitor stumbled on, was the pig trough
and then all hands seized holds of him, and tried to pull him in,
and finally, Judge Buisson took him in his arms, & shook him
out it while Len danced his feet in it. Oh! it was the most
amusing sight I ever witnessed. I wish for you all so much
& Sister was hoping that Mr Sherman & C, would happen in before
the party was over. In conclusion Len sang all the negro songs
he knew and seemed never to have enjoyed himself more. He looks
fat & hearty - and has grown so much that he cant get on the coat
I gave him - he wrote home a few days after I got back -
Tell C, that a great many inquiries have been made after him
as well as yourself Pa, & Saille - and all are anxious to see him
back again - I would write to him, but thinking that he has left
or will leave, before a letter could reach him - I will wait until
I hear something from him, or see him - Tell Saille that Clitor
has gotten to be my handsome, I never saw one improve so much
and I really begin to like him, very much indeed -
I hope you are preparing to come to Texas next fall - I intend to
spend the winter at Harrisburg and board with Mrs Harris until
Sister goes to home keeping - and then we will board with her,
I have taken a room there - and came down a few days ago
for the purpose of moving my ^{new} Piano - & some other furniture for
my room - The Col has rented New Washington out for a year
but we still keep our home here - as Mr Morgan will be here
the greater part of his time attending to his Cattle and I will come
down occasionally to make a visit - Sister would not let me talk
about living on the Bay - she says I must stay with her -
Mr Morgan will come up any Saturday and stay two or three days -
he thinks the ride will improve his health - The Col is very well
but his eye sight is no better, he was very glad to see us back again,
Len was very much pleased with his looks - Tell Pa I hope he wont
get out of the notion to come to Texas - I hope they will be able
to make a tour of Harrisburg a great many persons are now in favor
of it - The Bayou is filling up fast, below Houston the Steam Boats
have been a ground there very recently - Mr M will write to you & Pa & Mds,

Gives our last love to Pa, Grand Pa, & Ma, Uncle Stephen & James Cornelius &
Saille, not forgetting Sally & James - and believe me on your affectionate
(There was no strangers at the) Daughter Caroline M Morgan
Party excepting Mr Alexander New Washington New Jersey, Day, January 1st 1848
who came to Texas with you & John Harris Wife they had been married about 3 weeks
and came (My Dear Mother) down Christmas day - Judge Buisson, family - Clitor,
& Mr M & myself were all. (It is two weeks to day since we reached
Texas - we had a pleasant trip across the Gulf, and was fortunate
enough to meet a boat at the Island with Stearns up ready
to start to Houston - so we did not go ashore, but got onight
you board the Reliance - and in a half an hour after we
left the Steam Ship Palmetto - we were winding our way up
the Bay, Mr Morgan stopped at New Washington, and I went
on to Harrisburg, and arrived there about 3 o'clock in the
morning - Sister heard the Steam Boat when she was
dull, and sent a messenger down to know if Mrs I had
come, but I stepped into her room, in his place - she was
shaking for some time - for she had received C's letter in
which he told her I would leave Kentucky the next day,
she of course was very much delighted to see me, I took
Miss Bell up out of the bed, and a sweet little pig she is
too, and she laughed and looked as though she knew
me, and did not want to go to her Mrs again, she looks
very much like you, and is a real kitchen bird - she sits in the
kitchen with old Janey. I am sure Mr Sherman wont care
for, for she is as dirty as a little pig all the time,
Next comes her - she was ready to eat me up, and says she
must be Aunt Rees baby now, she comes to me a dozen
times a day, and says Aunt Rees wont you take your little
baby, so sometimes I have all three of them, in my lap some,

from & return Uncle of the 2 & dollars - you must keep up your spirits and write often & tell Pa too - if C, has
not left the line to any long where all are well at best place