

I would not burden you
with mine if I knew what
she to do. About the tobacco
&c of course he has never
said one word to me,
because, as I tell you, I
have not had the scratch
of a pen from him since
Feb. I even wrote to Bella
and told her about it
and asked her to speak to
Will, but it did no good except
that he did mail me a check
back, that I asked him to
send me as my checks were
all out and had been
for about two weeks. Bella
answered the letter the

read this to
yourself

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Wednes April 27th

Dear Alice

It seems to me

I wrote you last week, but here
you again. I want you to
find out why Will won't write
to me. He wrote me a few lines
26 of Feb to which I replied
immediately, and then in a
day or so after that, Mr. Toonhis
wrote me that a note for
\$5,000 with my name to it
with Will's, had fallen due
in January, that he had