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Holladays Point May th 1775

Dear Brother this comes to Acquaint you that
I am in good health at Present hopping this few
lines will find you in the same we have been
in the Country this Eight days but could not
have the Opportunity of sending you word sooner
which I was verrey sorry for the letter you get
with this from your Mother will tell you how
she has been Your Ant Gerrret is Marred
to a Mannefactor of ~~the~~ this which is in a very
good way he gave me ~~the~~ piece of cloth for a
Venture to my self which is about 56 yards
the one half Check and the Other Stript I could get
it could heire if I pleased but I wold rather heire from
your first I would be verrey glad to see you if you
thought it fit and had the Opportunity or if not
to send me word as soon as Possible Exquise my
bad write for the bearrer was in a great hast
no more at Present but remains your loving
Brother Alexander Martin

To
Mr John Martin
Merchant in North
Poky

Virginia