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C. W. Griffiths Esq  
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Yours right faithfully  
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Dear Bro. Suffolks

Wednesday Morning

I have my Circular this morning for the  
Picnic at Pull Court

I heartily wish you may have a good  
day in respect of weather and that I  
don't doubt that you will find a pleasant  
and enjoyable time.

For my own part I shall stay at home as  
I was not accustomed to the gratification  
of any strange people especially women and  
I am sure that the origin is not anything  
but agreeable to me. I am sure of my success in  
starting from home by business - My Exact  
recollection that it is a good deal of water  
and you cannot deny that the situation  
is unpleasant for the fish - I hate to be about  
drawing a woman who I don't know how I really  
would see her and when state of mind  
is the same as all that she feels in addition  
an earnest wish that she had never  
seen me at all - This being so and being my  
dear sister-in-law how can any one expect  
me to rush open mouthed at a picnic  
when presented to my dear  
Brother

C. C. W. Suffolks Esq.

Yours affectionately

H. G. G.