

[Letter to Rush Rector from his aunt]

Austin Nov 11th 1892

Dear Rush

I will spend a few minutes in answering your letter. Your Uncle went to the ranch yesterday will return today. I am very miserable. Hog is elected & most of all Cleveland & [unclear] long Jno [John] loses a good place. "Whom the Gods wish to destroy they first make mad" & truly it is so

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First the nation has gone mad & elected Cleveland – then the State & elected Hog. Ah me I feel so blue. If Cleveland had have died I could have been resigned but I cannot feel resigned to his election. Oh I was so happy four years ago when Harrison won. I have not seen Jno [John] – He went to Manor Sat & spent

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several days – Spent one night at your Cousin [unclear] but he was at Manor counting votes – they were all for Clark Will your Pa be happy when his son loses his place? I had a letter from Morris he is going to school. I miss him sorely he will return to us after Xmas [Christmas]

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Cousin Clara feels [unclear] defeat sorely wants to leave Austin that I might go to see her after dinner if I dont [don't] go some where else – We go to [unclear] next week Spend tomorrow at Thad's

From Aunt

LR

I am out with you because you were for Hog -