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made so slight an impression
on my mind, that I had forgotten
all about it, when I received Mr
J. H's letter and I did not know
whether it was a new fact, or
what we are, at present, cognizant
of. I could not divine Mr H's
aim, & thought, perhaps, it was
only with the kind intention
of informing me, I might have
some title to Virginia lands! —
I am very sorry to tell you, dear
Galley & Han, that your dear
father is not so well this week,
has not been down stairs since
I left on Tuesday morning and
has had more pain & some slight
diarrhea to-day. Probably he was
too smart last week, and for several
days, ventured down too often. To
breakfast, or tea, as well as dinner,
that ~~that~~ exhausted him very
much. He desires his best love
to you, but is not able to write
to-day. I do not think there
is much prospect of his, or either
dear Mary H, or myself reach-
ing Lake George, tho' I should
love very much to see you in
your new house, but must
leave it for some future time.
Cheston was here yesterday after-
noon to announce the arrival
of another daughter! Mellie &
babe doing well, born yesterday
at 12. noon. He said she was
"the last rose of summer": being
Aug^st 31st, but I hope she does not
find all her ~~comrades~~ "mates" "withered"
they seemed flourishing greatly
when I last saw them. Mary H
& Polly request their love to you
and Han and thanks for your

SHAW-WALKER