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1866

ELSINAES

MANCHESTER-BY-THE-SEA

Dear Harry
You will be over-
whelmed with con-
gratulations galore
but I can resist
a few words else so.
Your prize will show
you that for so long
the tribute that has
been universal -
to have triumphed
in that most difficult
labor of Love will for
the remaining years
be your greatest
satisfaction & support

Did you see countess & countess of the West?

you are indeed the
conspicuous one

I have had a
tremendous time
Closing '22' I finished
last week I finished
Weyfield at
Westwood House
I am at pasture

This tragic year
has been a sharp
all my other go -
+ So I am now
content & drift -

I read nothing
thought nothing
but felt miserable
things.

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Time goes it much
faster to both the
widely & narrow
comparisons the
day?

Are you Kate will
solid that sweet looking
Mary enjoy her
time in the world -
for all of yourselves
dear love

Oh we need to see
our dear people
here again
Does not the Lord
ever beckon to you -
I wish Tim would!

Will find you
morning noon or
night -

Did you encounter
William Schultz on the
Contractor's Clerk of the
Atlantic a month
ago? If you
did I congratulate
you again so this
letter will be the
proof of the
proverbial Hoe -
will be full of con-
gratulations - I have
decided for accepting
but 'Pasture' the
building of walls -
I am affected
I see the fore - I am
congratulations