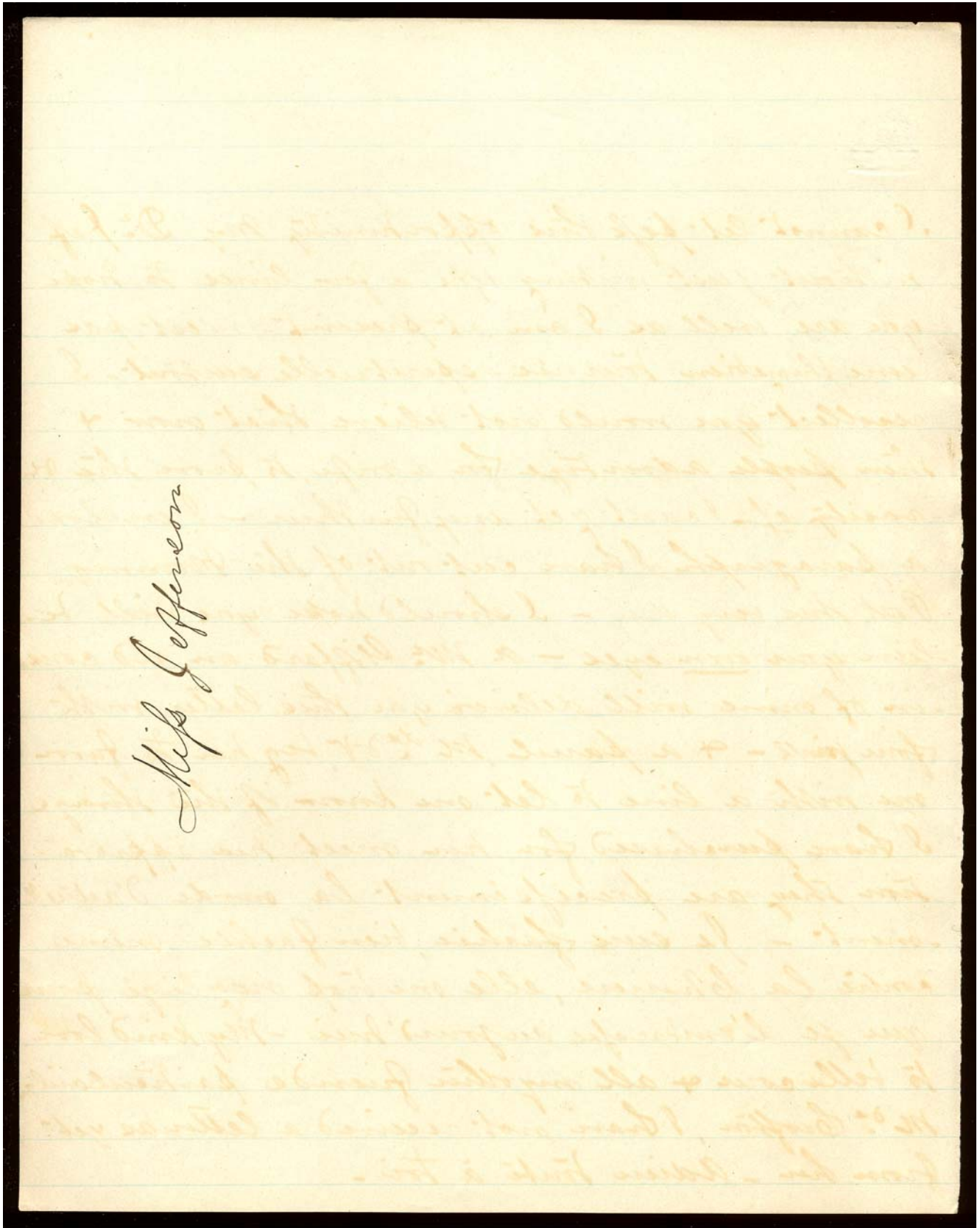


I cannot let pass this opportunity my D<sup>r</sup> Jef  
without just writing you a few lines to hope  
you are well as I am at present - n'est pas  
une phrase bien tournée - spirituelle surtout - I  
recollect you would not believe that now &  
then people advertise for a wife, to prove the ve-  
-racity of - I can't get any further - I enclose  
a paragraph I have cut out of the Morning  
Post this very day - I should hope you will be-  
-lieve your own eyes - a M<sup>r</sup> Giffard an old coun-  
-in of mine will deliver you this letter with-  
-four parts - & a parcel M<sup>de</sup> D-V, beg her to favor  
one with a line to let me know of the things  
I have purchased for her meet her approba-  
-tion, they are précisément la mode d'actuelle-  
-ment - Je suis fâché, bien fâché même  
contre la Chariere, elle me trop negligé pour  
que je l'embarasse au jour d'hui - My kind love  
to belle cour & all my other friends particularly  
M<sup>de</sup> Crofton, I have not received a letter as yet  
from her - Adieu toute à toi -



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