

[TO: MASTER
W. K. CARR,
SPARTA, N. C.]

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Dear William

I received your letter
and was gratified to think you
thought of me some time. I am
you I think of you all often
and would be so glad to see
you and be with you your
Uncle Whit has suffered a
good deal with his arm
I guess you heard of his falling
and hurting his arm. But
William^{and Caro} come up and staid
some time and was very kind
attending to his arm. Lena comes
from school and stays all
night with me she attends to
dressing his arm and does
it as well as any one I find her
very usefull she is willing to
do any thing for me I shall

often I am so much by myself
that I appreciate her letters
very much give my best love
to your mama Papa & the
children & love sweetly and
a good portion for yourself
may the good Lord bless you
all is the prayer of your
affectionate Grand Mother

Because the lady writes better
my writing days will soon be over
Love up
after reading

Dear Ed

I have been trying
to write William a few
lines to day and before sending
it of I received your letter
it is so gratifying in my
conscience how to receive
your affectional letters
I appreciate them very much
Lena comes from school
and stays all night
with me she makes her
self very pleasant and
waits on me and does every
thing as well as if she
was a grown Lady I
appreciate her kindness
very much dont give you
self any uneasiness on my
account if I get more unwell
than usual I will certainly
let you hear from me

M. A. K.

I dont know how I could
get along but for Lena we here
had a cold winter it seems that
the farmers hardly know
what to do so much wet weather
how does Lias like going to
school Kearny got in the notion
and started of to school of his
own accord and has been going
ever since I heard of the death
of Cousin Tempy Jones Cousin
Tempy Albrook & Mrs Mac
Ray how soon shall we all
pass away my health has impr-
oved but very feeble yet give my
love to Johnny and tell him I
would like to receive a letter
from him the weather and
roads have been so bad that
I have not seen much of the
girls they come when they
can tell you Mac to write