

My dear Sir

I thank you  
for the communication you  
gave me concerning your  
health; I have since re-  
ceived a valuable literary  
periodical from your son  
whom I beg to thank for  
past and present favours.

Deaths have occurred here  
since you left. James  
Yuston and Neil McKay

of the Minnie's have been re-  
moved; and old Mr. Crichton  
struck for the third time  
with paralysis. He still  
is very precarious.

These things are fitted to  
remind us here of our  
shortness and decay.

The Book store is doing  
well so far as I know,  
and the Youth lately got,  
Mr. Donald, will prove an  
acquisition.

I hope you will like New-  
tuel. My family are well  
but most times have had  
a bad cold. Pray, re-

member us to Mr Dawson  
as well as to your son -  
in whom rising honors we  
prize, and to Mr Sud.  
Glad should you at any  
time meet him and

Believe me, Dear Sir

Yours sincerely

A. B. Newman

Mamie Dickson

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Mr Dawson

Letter

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