

Pictou November 1856

My Dear George

I received
your kind letter last
week and was very glad
indeed to hear from you
in answer to your
question about when I
am coming to see you
I can scarcely tell what
to say but at all events
I thank you for your
kind invitation and
if I can be spared
from Grandpa and
every thing else agreeable
either you must come

to Pictou to see me
as I will go to see
you. But not untill
our long Cold Winter is
past. But many a
large Snow Bank will
fall for you to clear
away before that comes
to pass but you know
time passes quickly away
also for it is now
one whole Year or
rather better since you
went far, far away from
us and left Poor
Old Grandpa and I all
alone.

but you know this is
a world of meetings
and Partings but
in the words of your
old song " In Heaven
we meet to part no
more " Would it not
be pleasant to look
forward to such a
meeting whereamma
Papa, Georgie Willie
amma and all our
departed friends will
" meet to part no
more " I suppose you
are getting on well with

Your studies I think
from the specimens
we have of your writing
you are improving very
much you are blessed
with a kind Mama & Papa
and others to help so
I would say in the words
of Franklin's old Proverb
"Make Hay while the Sun
shines" Wishing you
may have a very happy
pleasant time this
winter and continue
to remember all your
Old Friends

Yours very truly
Agnes