

Thank you sincerely for
the notice of my year here
sent in "Nature", in three
a curious sized amount
of paper to him. I the Cut:
try for a Liverpool paper.
I am sorry to hear
had with myself that
sent the letter. I had
like to make a little
use of that & but
will a paper to
Secretary. With all
love from - Mother

2.

I have been doing this & many
questioning have arisen in my mind
there I am not able, wisely, to balance
alone. When A. told me there she
wanted to go to St. Jerome to satisfy
herself as to Bannock's health. I
proposed there I too sh^d go & take
some of the papers & take the opportunity
of the quiet there to read & discuss
some probable changes. This might
be a useful first step, as she sees
more clearly than I do the probable
results that accrue, or might accrue.
Altho' it seems me to ask you to
give time to think over & advise me
about these matters I wd^l greatly

3.

prefer to have your guidance
peruse the entire step & certainly
I will not take any action before
you have an opportunity of giving
your opinion. There is ^{no} the wisdom
of delay it will be better for myself -
probably, to make the two or three
days at Dr. Jerome days of charge &
rest as I have been somewhat
troubled lately about various small
matters. Would you let me know
if when you come here with
the least sacrifice to your own interests,
the talk of going to Dr. Jerome tomorrow,
has weather & other considerations
will determine the length of our stay -
do you keep to Saturday - March 2 -

C/2
 not be the earliest date. There
 not be the first trial day of a new
 Cook. I expect them!

I am conscious that I am writing
 in a mysterious way & hope that
 it may not alarm you. There is
 really no need to. I do not go into
 particulars any because I feel it
 hapless to give the pros & cons unless
 prepared to write at great length.

Is not the weather glorious! - have
 long mile in lust! I see with
 regret the long list of game preserving
 men who have been misled away to
 other work & better pay, & yet I wish I
 had a chance. It is discouraging to
 struggle with comparative poverty all ones life.

5.

Another small incident may be
told as a warning. Being troubled
by the stiffness of the three fingers of my
left hand, I proposed to rub
in a liniment I had found use-
ful in small aches, but instead
took Carbolic acid & gave it a
vigorous rubbing. The pain passed
quickly, but the it has been troublesome
to wash & dress ones hair, now
the new skin is formed & I hope
soon to dispense with my fingers
stool. Anna has been additionally
busy during the no school days &
has ^{been} had to look over the family ward-
robe in order to take advantage of re-
duced prices at the stores to purchase

outfits for the coming summer
 class, as you know, has her laid
 aside & requiring instead of giving
 help. She is better yet must move
 with slowness & Caution. Eue, I
 am glad to say, has passed some
 happily & with her husband
 & children in good health. She
 hints the possibility of visiting us
 next summer - a great undertaking
 with three such active children.

I still want to know about your
 address at Albany, you did not
 send me a newspaper account
 of it. David pay it me when it
 appears, as I suppose it will, in
 pamphlet form. Eue with much affection
 Mother.