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Dear Uncle Allen

although you never answered any  
of my notes I thought I would  
like to write you a few lines  
once more and I hope you will  
write a few lines the next time  
you write to Mother & I go to school  
now but there is no school this  
week for there is no ~~work~~ and the  
men cant get out for it has  
drifted the roads full but there  
has been most beautifull sleighing  
this winter a week ago last  
Saturday night when i was coming  
home from school I froze my  
cheeks and pretty near froze my  
knees and most all the children  
that came our way was more or  
less frozen and we have not gone  
since. Walter reads in the first  
reader he is the best scholar

in school of his size and he leaves off  
almost every night to the head of his  
class and he has the most merits  
Agnes does not go to school this winter  
but she is going next summer and  
she is going to learn verry fast  
little Alice is a great big fat baby  
and she is never off of her feet from  
morning till night and she is real  
pretty i think with her big blue  
eyes and curly head and i wish that  
i could see your little Allen and i would  
like his likeness i have got Aunt

Bernand's likeness and Cousin

Minners i think she is just as hands  
as a picture well i must soon close  
give love to all and take a good  
share to your self i remain affecti

P.S Little Alice Lena & Post

i have just been peacing Wallace  
a quilt and when i get it done i will  
peace your little Allen one seeing  
he has no sister to peace him one  
and it will be pretty big blocks are so small he sure