

Dec 28 your birthday

Dear Nora and I thought
that I would let you
know that I have been
waiting for Willie to write
and he has not so I will
send it any way with
love to you all and
kisses to babe I am
your loving mother
M J C

I must wait &
God grant that I
do. If cattle was
any price at all I
would sell all but
yours & the hay to
which I may do
yet I will see you
I have not more
wile & no paper
I have I request
to make they are then
be good to yourself
the boys & don't teach
Give me your
sincere prayers
& my mind will be
content & the debts
shall vanish I believe
it in fact I know it
You have but to
trust & wait but
a little while not doing
& all will be as I say
I must get to bed as
it is very late to

before he is
engaged

Will do it let
her father disengage
you! Brim will
have notice if
you are not a dandy
how true to all words
or is she a very
fine lass girl
& a polyanthus

Does he want
you to have more
than ~~one~~
his daughter?
Does she want
you to have more
than one wife?

Beverlyton Oct 18th 1888

Dear sister - How I will try and write you a few lines today as I am not in school I dismissed for the week this morning on account of the cold.

There is section furus of glass broken in the windows and the glass would just pour in.

Well this leaves me well and I hope that it will find you the same.

I commenced school on the first of October with only twenty pupils so you see that I have a nice time I let school out at three in the afternoon.

I say who is Will I enquired and found that he was not at home.

Well I haven't any thing to write about that would interest you so I will have to quit.

Give my love to Lydia and the

folks Write soon to your loving
brother Will

Address at Montpelier

Sunday evening
Daisy

Enclose
a bill or an order for books
which I wish you to put
the money in & send to
the publishing house if
possible send it so I can get
the books by the 15 of
Nov. & then I will get
through & down between
that & the \$5 I hope you
have not sent the money
up here before getting this
letter & I also hope you
can get it & have it
off by Friday you had
better not teach anyone
at present I think it best
Hoping all will turn out
well I am Ever Yours
Love & kisses for you
& Babes
Wm.