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Your pen is wanted and it is just  
about I will close by saying Good night

Yours Truly

William D. Prang

Remembered to add to Ogden until I  
see Mandy then to the City

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My dear friend it  
is with much pleasure I take time to  
write you I am at my old friend Mr.  
Cook. Arrived here last Sat. evening  
found all well and happy. Will go  
to Ogden tomorrow. have not  
called on all of my friends yet.  
Sam well accepting a cough which  
is very annoying has been getting  
some yesterday. I have had a good  
time the people were glad to see me it  
seems I want me to teach school this W.  
My friend Mr. F. R. is with me &  
has been since we left Logan City  
He seems to like the folks very much  
& takes well. Will go to S. L. City  
the last of this week

Will Vera I have had many  
temptations since we parted, could not  
resist them all I'm sorry to confess  
but will do better in the future The  
great sin was kissing some girls I did  
it out of curiosity if you will forgive me  
this kind I will try not to do any more  
I wanted to see if there was any difference  
am satisfied now - The girls have been  
making wax flowers the night for a wedding  
next Friday. They are now popping  
corn. They want us to go to the wedding  
We may go I can't tell. Oh! I must  
stop to eat some corn will finish  
soon. All of my corn is gone  
and I write. Francis is having a good time  
staying about his yellow snoods and how  
he pops corn. He has made a ~~big~~ small  
of the girls my chancery's quite slim now  
but I don't care. I have not seen Miss  
Nora I am yet. Her brother has been  
looking for me for some time Will go and  
see him to-morrow eve.

How many times have you been  
to the rink? I was at the Ogden rink on  
Friday night Oh! we had fun you bet  
there was some good skating. There far better  
than in Logan. we spent from seven until  
ten in the rink. then we returned to our room  
in the Chamberlain House. On Fri. we  
my scarf was expressed to Logan I went to  
get it up off but it had gone to the Express but I would be  
but was to late for the train & it was not to Logan  
I am expecting it to-morrow I have had more  
trouble about that scarf than it is worth  
I was to see the old school house Sunday  
it looks the same as it did last winter  
chuckles & cold it has no interesting qualities  
about it but when I stop to think I almost  
wish that I was in the school now again  
but that day has passed I am afraid  
never again to return. Hope you are doing  
well and perfectly satisfied. Will see you soon  
It is getting late and I have to give you  
the principal points since I left both glad &  
sad. You will find me in Ogden - until then best