

Carters O., Apr. 27 '95.
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My Dear Joe: It is
with pleasure that I
enter upon this duty.
I taught school today
so I am somewhat tired
but I am surely not too
tired to spend a short
time with you.

Oh what a rest it would
be to gaze on that manly
form and look into
those large eyes, piercing
yet tender in their
expression. I believe one
look could express more

than numbered pages
of written thoughts!

I rec'd your letter Wed.
evening, & also a long one
from home at the same
time. They were such an
inspiration to me, I have
felt better ever since.

The folks at home
seem very anxious for
me to get home which
makes me even more
anxious. I will get home
only a few days before
High School commencement.

I have three weeks and
two days of school yet
and expect to teach two
more Sat.s. I am enjoying
my school real well thro.
Better in some ways than
when there are large pupils.

I believe I forgot to
mention about the
song book. I like it
very much and think
it is much better for
beginners than his other
book.

Leonard went to Athens
for a few days but is
back again. He has been
exercising his strength
in the corn-field for
a few days.

Today is quarterly
meeting at Fairview but
not many are going
as it is so far and
everybody is so busy.
Would you believe me?
they say I taked in
my dreams last night
about the Harris's.

I hope I will not make
a practice of it.

I do not wonder it
seems lonely since L. D.
came away. I wish
I might disturb your
meditations some
evening.

Praying, that God will
bless you in all your
undertakings and
guide us in the way
of usefulness and
truth. I remain

Your Loving
Bertha

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