[Letter from Allie (Dyer) Smith to her Aunt Olive Knight; Allie is the daughter of Emma Drinkwater Dyer]

15 Belmont St. May 29th

Dear Aunt Olive,

We are all sorry to hear you are sick and do hope by this time that you are feeling much better. I have put off writing thinking I might be able to get down there and see you and still think I can, either the last of this week or the first of the next. Uncle Ned is coming down Thursday to stay a week he says and we shall try and get down there. He has changed his plans once or twice and so that made a difference in mine and I am not feeling any too well myself these days. We have had a few nice days. Today is pleasant but very cool. One needs a fire in the house.

Am so sorry not to have something in the way of flowers at the cemetery for Memorial Day but it would be of no use to send any for they are so long on the way that they are not any good.

I wish I might hear that you were a whole [lot?] better. Keep your courage up for that helps out wonderfully. Lots of love from Allie.