

Friday, 14th Dec.

My dear Eliza,

Good morning!
how do you find yourself
this dark dull day, altho'
it may not be so with
you. I spent last night
with Mary & drove over
with "Swick" and Mr & Mrs
Mered (before sunrise), and
I am writing particularly
to ask you, if you approve of
Selden being? The American
Boy & the year I remember
how he devoted its contents

These several years past and although I
had written to the Sprague Co to send it
again I began to think that might not
be best. I remember how he was absorbed
in its plans for Gent. boats & and was so
devoting that I thought it took his attention
from his studies. So I will hold it until I
hear from you, & Eschlin in regard to it.

Many shared in things of different kinds seen
in Chelton she seems to think every thing but
the mud is nice. Mrs Berg's butter milk
included. I suppose you will not do any
thing about pig or anything connected with it.
It is so much work. Jos & Clara concluded
not to bother with a pig this year, altho' it
is nice to have one own own cause & hard. Does it
pay for the labor it costs. It is so dark I am
mostly writing without seeing distinctly.

So good bye a heart full of love and hope
you will be careful not worry me or Mother

Thanks to Estline for the
good birth day letter.

May want to say this morn-
ing. To meet an engagement
& will probably return for a
day or so next Wednesday.

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