

Princeton
Jan 4th

My very dear little Selden:

I was so glad to
receive the pretty
Christmas stocking and
the merry Christmas card
which you made for me
and they are both in
the very middle of my
plans to show to all my
friends when they come
to see my Christmas presents,
I think you have learned

if you lived in Bristol now. for they go
right by my house. and we like to see
them flying by all lighted so prettily.
I suppose you have been in bed and
asleep for a long time now as it is very
late at night and I must go myself -
but just hug your dear little self for me
or ask Mamma to do it. and try not to
forget all about Aunt Clara who loves
you very much and hopes sometime
to see you again before you are too large
for her to know you.

I hope you will have a happy New Year
Dear boy -

Lovingly yours

Aunt Clara.

to do these things very
nicely and can hardly
think of you as being
so big a boy that you
go to school.

I have looked at your
picture in the pretty
frame you sent me
last year - almost every
day since it came and
wished I could go up the
hill to see you as I used
to do when you were a baby.
You could come to see
me in the trolley cars

From about Col. a. Brown.

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