

Clifton Springs  
N. York Tues. A. M.

Dear Mrs. Belden,

I wish  
that Willie might  
have his practicing  
hour wd. immediately  
after the afternoon  
session, before he gets  
tired, & then I want  
him to practice his  
lesson, instead of spending  
the hour in playing over  
& over what he already  
knows by heart.

He evidently has  
not paid much  
attention to the  
lesson <sup>given</sup> I gave him  
last wk. The boy  
is whimsical, & if he  
can be kept to regular  
work, he will get  
along rapidly this  
year. He is letting  
Eric Draper get ahead  
of him, although  
Willie learns more  
easily than Eric.

There is every thing in  
regular practice, at a stated  
hour every day.

Sincerely yours,  
Anna E. Leonard.