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My dear Friends,

It seems a long time, since we have heard from or seen you at least one of you. The very short time we saw you, and the many you had to see, did not give us time, we people of slow thought, to thank you for coming to us, to ^{our} church, and giving us the interesting talk you did. Mr Everett was right when he said, that your coming would stir the spirit of missions more than anything he knew. My husband was just remarking the other day

how well suited to
the occasion, your
talk was. We want to thank
you in this, for your coming
to us, and also for the
pamphlet & tract, you sent
us, we enjoyed reading them.
Mr Fayol is not well at all
he was not able to hold
meetings, the week of prayer
he has taken a hard cold.
There were some added
to our church the last
communion. Mrs Gustin
Annie's mother has been
brought to our cemetery to
bury this winter. I suppose
you know Annie is dead.
We hear there has been
quite stirring meetings
in Newton, held by two
evangelists, I think they

have closed now.

I suppose you are
very very busy in the
great cause, to which,
you have given, your
lives. May God abundantly
bless you in it. My
husband and I feel quite
alone, this winter, we have
only Carrie with us, Grant
is still in New York, Eddie
or Leonard Irving, is at a
normal school, in Mansfield
Pa, he is doing very nicely
we think, studying hard,
and bearing the great
inconvenience, of his lost
arm, so bravely and he
seems so manly, in every
thing, that we feel we
should thank ^{God} for the
blessing of such a son.

May the Lord who has spared his life through so many dangers, make him truly a blessing to the age, in which he lives. We have quite a great deal of snow here now, and it is very cold.

We are always glad to hear from, or see you dear Friends. Accept ^{again} our many thanks to you, for your kindly and encouraging words to us, and our dear one, in our time of need. May the Lord bless you and all your dear ones.

Mrs & Mrs
Wm Belden

Yours truly
Mrs J. E. Keel.