



Antoinette Porter King and
Family Papers.

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GROUP SIX
BACKGROUND INFORMATION
for
LETTERS OF ELIZABETH KING BARNEY
to
ANTOINETTE PORTER & WILLIAM V. KING

This group of six letters were all written by Elizabeth Annes King, sister of William V. King, between the years of 1861 and 1870. Five of them were addressed to her sister-in-law, Antoinette Porter King, and they illuminate the deep affection between the two women. One letter was addressed to William during his army service.

Although she signed all of these letters with her full name, in virtually all other family correspondence and records, Elizabeth was always referred to as "Eliza". We have therefore used that diminutive throughout these letters, as we have used the family nickname, "Nette" or "Nettie" for Antoinette.

Elizabeth Annes King was born on May 27, 1840 in Rome, Oneida County, New York. Her parents had emigrated there six years earlier from Royton, a cotton mill town in Lancashire, England. At the time of her birth, her father was employed as a cotton spinner. She was the sixth child born to them, the fourth to survive. Her brother William was 9 years older than she was.

In the spring of 1841 her family migrated to Wisconsin Territory, settling in La Grange Township, Walworth County. She lived there with her parents until she was old enough to teach school. She taught for several years both in La Grange and in Eastman or Batavia, in Crawford County, where she lived with other family members.

The Porter family lived on a nearby farm. Although Nettie Porter was five years older than Eliza, they were special friends throughout their childhood. That friendship was intensified when Nettie and William King were married in 1856.

The first four letters (#19-20-23-24) were written from the King family home to Nette, who, with her husband and children, was living in Crawford County, Wisconsin, near the Mississippi River. At that time William was farming there. Also farming in Crawford County were Nell (King) and Lib Porter, Eliza's sister and brother-in-law.

Eliza's fifth letter (#43) was written to William while he was in an army hospital in Tennessee. (*see Group Four for exchange of letters between Antoinette & William King at this same time*) This letter brought William much family news, most importantly news of his brothers who were also away from home in army service.

In October 1865 Eliza was married to Mitchell S. Barney. Shortly after that, they began their plans to migrate with other King and Porter family members, settling together in Jackson County, Minnesota, in October 1866.

It was common in this family for the children to be sent "home" to their grandparents in Wisconsin frequently, sometimes for as long as a year. Other family members also made frequent trips from Jackson to Wisconsin. Both in letters and in Antoinette's diary, the old home is perceived as a refuge that is more civilized and comfortable. The last letter of this group (#63) was written to Nettie, back in the home of her husband's parents, probably recovering from the birth of her fourth baby, then just two months old. In her absence, Eliza was tending to Nettie's home in Jackson, and wrote from there.

DRAMATIS PERSONAE

Letter #19: April 29, 1861 Elizabeth King to Antoinette P. King

Albert & Walworth Porter--Nettie's cousins, sons of Samuel Lyman Porter, her father's older brother. (*Walworth was 22; Albert was 19. They lived on a farm near the Porter & King farms in Walworth County.*)

Acors Porter--Nettie's cousin, son of Henry Charles Porter, another of her father's older brothers. (*Acors was 29, living in Palmyra, Wisconsin.*)

Mrs. Nourse--wife of Hiram Nourse, a farmer neighbor and friend of both the King & Porter families. (*After she died, he was married in 1888 to Lucy King, Eliza's sister*)

Aunt Clarissa--relationship unknown

Mother--Hannah (Hilton) King

Lucy--Eliza's sister, age 29.

William--Eliza's brother, Nette's husband

Nellie & Willie--Nette's children, ages 4 & 2.

Irve--Irve Porter, Nette's brother

Lib--Nette's brother, Lebbeus Porter

Nell--Nellie (King) Porter, married to Lib Porter

Nellie Greenwood--another reference to Nette's daughter, whose full name was Ellen Greenwood King.

Letter #20 September 15, 1862 Elizabeth King to Antoinette P. King

Lib--as above

Irve--as above

Lucy--as above

Vie--Nettie's sister

Nellie--Nettie's daughter, age 3

Nell--as before

Willie--as before, now age 5

Charlie Heath--family friend who migrated to Jackson County, Minnesota, with the Kings & Porters in 1866.

Elisa--Charlie's wife

Robert & George--Eliza's brothers, Robert Hilton King, age 20 & George Henry King, age 18.

Letter #23 October 11, 1863 Elizabeth King to Antoinette P. King

Grandpa's--John King

Lucy--as before

Albert--Eliza's brother, Albert Daniel King, age 17

Lib--as before

George--as before

Grandma--Hannah (Hilton) King

Mr. Porter--Nettie's father, Selah Porter

Robert/ Rob--as before

Irve & Vie--as before

Uncle Ben & Aunt Clarissa--family relationship unknown

Letter # 24 June 27, 1864 Elizabeth King to Antoinette P. King

Nellie--Nette's daughter, age 5

Mother/Grandma--Hannah (Hilton) King

Lucy--as before

Vie--as before

Nell--as before

Mother Kenyon--mother of Elisa (Kenyon) Heath, close family friend

Albert--as before

George--as before

Letter #43 March 27, 1865 Eliza King to William V. King

Nettie--as before

Albert--as before

Robert--as before

George King-- as before

the baby--Nette & William's son, Selah Samuel Porter, age 6 months

Nellie--their daughter, age 6

Lib & Ellen--Lib & Nellie, as before

Lucy--as before

Willie--as before, now age 8

Letter #63 October 20, 1870 Eliza King Barney to Nettie King

Alice & Clara--Eliza (King) & M.S. Barney's daughters, ages 4 & 2

Wm.--Nettie's husband

Lona--Eliza's sister-in-law, Lona (Lewis) King, wife of Albert Daniel King

Lucy & Nell--as before

Zella--Eliza & Nettie's niece, Zella Porter, age 8 (*daughter of Nellie (King) Porter & the now deceased Lib Porter*)

Nora--another niece, Leonora Porter, age 8 months, also Nellie's daughter

Selah--Nettie's son, Selah Samuel King, age 6

the baby/Johnny--Nettie's infant son, John Lebbeus King, two months old

ED. NOTE: Several references in these letters are important to the King family historian. The reference in Letter #43 "we have had two letters from England lately and three papers" indicates that as late as 1865 there was communication between the Kings and one or more family members still living in Lancashire. The reference in Letter #63 to the "letter from Bellport" indicates a letter was received by Nette from her Cousin Louise (Dann) Wilson. There are no letters of comparable dates in the King-Porter letters, so we must assume these letters did not survive. This is further evidence that there more letters were exchanged among the family that what survives today.

Letter #79F

From: Nettie Barney

To: Maud Barney

Jackson Minn

Oct 11 1886

Dear Maud

I want to no(sic) if you did cry when wee(sic) went away
..... How are all of you. You dont think of going to see Ruthie
do you. Florence has too(sic) little chairs and a little rocking
chair and a little Bed and too(sic) little bureaus. One is to
put a pot. Dont let any Body read it will you. and she has a
little table and a little thing to hang clothes and some dishes
and some suits and some shets(sic) and they all look like they
always did but Mrs smith. I wrote another letter to you. But it
was so any Body couldnet(sic) read it so I wrote another letter
to you.

[Two lines illegible]

I have wrote it. Do you I have appels(sic) and peaches
and grapes and Mapel(sic) sugar and nuts and thorn apples. over
in the woods their(sic) is lots of them up there. this is all I
can think of

Nettie Barney

Jackson Minn Oct 11 1886

This for Nellie and I want you to ...ber it will you Maud.
I dont write very good. You tell Daisy Ashley that I saw Jessie
Robbins and Walter and Archie and you ask daisy if she wrote.
Would like to see her and..... will I only Nellie to and dont
forget you tell Maud Barney that I will send her some thorn
apples if I can and you tell Maud Barney that I like to play
with the plugging(?) thing. I cant think of any more to write.
Give my love to all with some *[illegible]* by Nettie Barney.

Dear Maude

Frickson, Minn.

Oct 11 1886

I want to move no if you did
 anywhere we want away together
 because all of you you do. Think
 of going to see mother to you
 because has a ~~little~~ ~~chair~~ too
 little chairs and a little rocking
 chair and a little bed and a little
 bureau you as to furnish for
 you let your body read it
 well you can have a little table
 and a little thing to hang clothes
 if they are in a bureau you will
 have your sheets and have all
 look like they always did But Mrs
 will send another letter to you
 but it was so my body couldn't read it
 and wrote another letter to you

Letter from Antoinette Grace Barney
 Nicholson written at age 7 to sister Maude

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I have wrote it in
a great of Kallaphel and
pebble and grape and seed
Michael and and and Thomas
and the other things is like
of them in their this is also
and think of it to be a very

John and Maria Oct 11 1886
This for the Kallie and I want
you to remember it will you Maria
don't write very good you tell
Daisy that I see Jessie
and John and ^{Walter} George and Archie
and you ask Daisy if she would
would like to see her and her
with only Kallie to and don't
forget you tell Maria Barny
that I will send her some
the principles of and you
tell Maria Barny that I like to play
with the playing things and think
of any more I write you my love
to all your love and to all your love

Letter #79G

From: Nettie Barney

To: Maud Barney

Harrisburg Penna

Oct 28 1886

Dear Maud

I am going to have a baby. I went down to aunt Louisa yesterday and stayed all night and got home this morning. Alice has got a little girl Baby and you are a aunt to it. I am one to and Nellie and Clara and Juna and pa is grandpa and Ma is grandma and Mr Smith Mrs Smith and I went down to visit Louisa and three ways to go down cellar and five rooms in the cellar and to(sic) ways to go up stairs and a brick house painted white and a slate roof and a grate(sic) big house and I have lots of apples. Dont you wish you was here.

Ma is laying on the sofa and Florence is making a cushion of crasy and Mrs Smith is churning. Mr Smith is aploing with his Black horses. Orrin is making a gate. Two men are diging(sic) a well for Mr Smith. It is rainy to day. It makes the grass and winter wheat look green. Hemlock trees look green all winter.

Ma and Mrs Smith and I went out in the woods where they boil sap to make mapel(sic) sugar.

The Baby it looks like Marys baby and the Baby has got black hair.

i have apples down here.

Did you cry when Ma went away. Did Nellie cry to[o].

Orrin said Alice could [not?] come with us. They have got lots of turkeys and to(sic) Big ones.

I am going to write as much as I can this time. I cant [think] of any more to write so good By.

Nettie Barney Harrisburg Penna Oct 28 1886

Winning Penn

Dear Aunt Oct 25 1886

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saturday Florence is making a

embroider of crazy and Sir's Sherry
is chasing Ma Smith is a plowing
with his black horse & there is
making a gate two men are digging
at will for Ma Smith it is rainy to
day it makes the grass and winter
what will be a green but here look
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I can this time ~~hard~~ time I can't
bring more to write to you. By
Katie Barry Mansburg
Oct 25 1886

Maud Barry

Letter #82C

From: Maud Barney (Envelope missing)

To: John L. King

Jackson Minn Feb 2-1898

My Dear coz John-

I will write to you again If you don't get tired of hearing from me. To day is the first time I have come up to A.L.K.s in three weeks. It is five oclock. I went to the Indian show last night. It is a very good show. I like to see the Indians dance war dances. The Indian that wasn't married I got stuck on him. He is a young man. He is my fellow. He is pretty too.

I wrote to Nell Davies. Was the show of uncle tom's cabin good. I wish I had been there.

You must write to me as often as you get time. Mary has had the Lagrippe & the earache. She is watching Nettie write to you.

The girls of my size have got up a club, the sewing society. There are Mabel Albertus, Msabel Eddy, Daisy Ashley, Gertie Ashley, Annie Malone, Rhoda Palmer, Hattie Hughes, Minnie Wiley, Allie Cowing & I. Minnie Wiley is President, Allie Cowing Vice-President, Mabel Albertus Treasurer, Mabel Eddy Sec., M. Albertus & I are committee for sewing, Hattie Hughes & Gertie Ashley for Programmes. It meets next sat at two oclock & lasts until 5. Meets with Miss Mabel Albertus.

I can't think of any more to write so will close with love to all.

My room had their picture taken together Sat. My teachers name is Grace Cousins. I like her awful well. I will close this time and say love to all again. Write soon to your Loving cousin

Maud Barney

P.S. Aunt Nette looks funny with teeth.

Jackson Mich

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Rhoda Palmer, Hattie Hughes Minnie
Wiley, Allie Coving & I. I. K. in the kitchen
president Allie Coving Vice president
Mabel Albertus Treasurer Mabel Eddy & I
M. Albertus & I are committee for singing
Hattie Hughes & Gerie Ashley for program
at next meet sat at 2 o'clock & last
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- I am together with out - my dear
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soon to your loving cousin
Maud De Barney

P.S.

Aunt Nettie looks funny with teeth

Letter #85B

From: Eliza King Barney

To: Maud Barney [No envelope]

Jackson Minn. June 2 1891

My dear Rosy Frances Eastman Mary,

I received Nells letter a few minutes ago and was quite relieved to hear that you got there all safe and sound. I was afraid I should hear you had pulled up in St Paul or Mankato.

Miss Satterlee did not say anything about seeing you. She gave Nettie a long lesson for she is not coming for two weeks. She says Nettie cannot play on that piano in the opera hall so I will have to try some where else.

We had a thunder storm in the night and caught the other barrel full of water again.

It was ten minutes to eight when we got up this morning. I hope you will have a nice time & act like a little lady all of the time so they wont get tired of you. I am looking for a long letter from you in a day or two, but I suppose Allie claims the first place in your affections. Some girl always steps in & crowds me out.

I have taken Nettie out of school and Kittie and Brownie are not going any more nor I do not think the Strong girls. They have the diphtheria at Millard Jacksons and the Dr has quarantined all the family near them, Trumbulls among the rest. That is the reason I took Nettie out of school. She said Miss McDonough almost cried when she told her she could not come any more. She said she wished the diphtheria would leave so she could come back again. She wants her to take part in the last day exercises anyway.

Your Uncle Wm says there are two tramps up near his house. They laid in the grass & one came there & Nette gave him his breakfast. He is going up now to see if they have left. Nettie would be ready to fly if she knew it. She is baking bread. We had to get some at Cleveland for supper.

Good bye with love

Momma

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OFFICE OF THE
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Letter 85D

From: Eliza King Barney

To: Her daughters [No envelope]

Jackson, Minn. June 16 1891

My dear girls

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I am glad you are going to have a scholar. Perhaps if you do pretty well you will get more.

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From: Eliza King Barney

To: Maud Barney [No envelope]

Jackson, Minn. Oct 1 1892

My dear Maud

I was so glad to get your letter. I had been expecting one for two days & I was getting so worried about you. I rec'd a postal you wrote at North Platte on Monday morning & your letter Wed night. Nettie went down every night expecting a letter. I am glad you got through all right, but you never wrote anything about your journey.

Where do you mail your letters? Tell Clara I had just sent those baby nighties to Alice. If she has not any made yet tell her to send me a pattern & I will make some cotton flannel ones & send them. I will sew the seams on the machine & hem them & she can finish them off. Send the pattern just as she wants it, don't forget. Tell me what clothes she has made or tell her to write. I would like to know.

Nettie went to a sociable last night at Emma Hill's. The boys trimmed bonnets & the girls made neckties.

It is very warm here. How is it there? Your uncle Wm has his barn up & cellar & foundation done for the house & a well-board 40 ft deep. He expects to commence on the house next week.

I am very glad Clara is coming with you next summer.

You will be sorry to hear that our kitten has left us. It disappeared two days ago. We are all so sorry. I keep looking for it and inquiring about it.

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Yesterday was the Fair. We did not go because I did not have any cool dress. If they don't wear felt hats yet you might get you something I suppose & have Clara trim it. I sent you four Youths Companions.

I must close & go to work. I hope you will write regularly. Your father is well & Uncle Wm has been sick but is better. Take good care of yourself. Kiss dear little Royal for both grandpa & grandma.

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Letter #93

From: Nettie Barney

To: Maud Barney [No envelope]

Jackson Minn
Jan 16, 1897

My dear Maud

Well I am 18 now and can elope if I want to but if I don't want to I don't have to. You know it is so dreary out of doors and I must go down town tonight and take my book back.

I went to hear Mr Cressy last night. You have probably seen about him in the papers. He is a cousin of W W Cressy.

Tell Nelly I wish I could see you all. I am rather lonesome. Ma sent to

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...end of fun. You take up Chemistry and Geology after Examinations. It is getting so dark that I will finish when the lamp is lit.

Now it is Sunday A.M. and I have just washed the dishes and swept. We didn't have breakfast until ten. I washed yesterday & mopped & swept & goodness knows what else.

I read Adam Bean during vacation and wrote a book review of it. Every one in the High Room had to read a book and write a review of it.

Ma had a letter from Alice yesterday or day before. She said L___ saw a girl go by in a wagon and said there's Nettie. Alice says she thought Lillian remembers you as she always knew your picture.

Say I wouldn't advise you to take Clara Currier's fellow away from her. How do you like Clara any way? I think Anna Getsch is very nice.

I have a letter from Bert and she said she bought a musk.

Miss you as you appeared to be so nice but you know "appearances are often deceitful".

Tell Blanche to hurry & answer my letter.

Nell, I must close. Love to all. Give baby Mertice & Nell a kiss for me.

Tome!

Letter #93

Jackson Nunn

Jan. 10, 84

My dear Wendell,

Well I am I'm not

and can take it I want to look if
don't want to - I don't have to you

now. It is a dream out of choice.

and I have no dinner time is

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10. The following table shows the number of people who have been convicted of a crime in the United States since 1970. The data is presented in millions of people.

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him sitting so long that I will
leave when he knows is not

Look it up Sunday A. M. and!

I have just crashed the dishes on

check. You don't have time to

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Musk River at Plover

The Gulf Stream is a warm

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and Vienna, 1848

1. The first part of the document is a letter from the President of the United States to the Congress, dated January 1, 1861. It is a formal address, and it begins with the words "I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration." The letter then goes on to discuss the state of the Union and the President's policies.

thought it was a surprise, even as
she came to the door. I thought
you, I wouldn't think you to
take a surprise like away
from me. I thought you like to
come out. I thought you like to
is now nice. I had a letter from
Curt and she said she thought I
must miss you as you appeared
to be so nice and you know
absences are often delightful.
The picture is beautiful. I hope
my letter
will come close. Love to all
Gustav, Maria & Val & Sister
and me. Love!

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Letter #94

From: Eliza King Barney

To: Maud Barney & Nellie Barney St. Clair [No envelope]

Jackson Minn
Sept 29th 1897

My dear girls

I am sitting on the N.E. porch. It is so nice and shady. Mrs St C is sitting on the lawn and Leona is sitting on a quilt. Mertice has gone over to Eastmans with Josie & Nell has gone down to the dentist to see about getting a tooth filled tomorrow.

I feel quite rested today. I had such a good sleep last night. I have Mauds room & Nell and Will have the front bed room. The rooms are so pleasant. She has matting in both rooms and hall & a nice stai carpet.

I did not drink the tea you gave me but I was glad I took it. There was a poor woman on the train with two little children. She wanted a cup of coffee at Austin but could not afford to give 10 cts for it, so I gave her my tea and she seemed so glad of it & I gave my last cooky to the little girl.

I was so tired out when I got to Austin I certainly thought I should collapse before every body & disgrace my family but I got a sandwich and a cup of tea and in consequence felt like a "new man". The sandwich was two thick slices of bread & butter and a thick slice of tough ham. Just like the sandwich for a thresher but I worried the most of it down & drank the tea & then feeling sort o' reckless like Josiah Allen when he said "Darn the expense anyhow", I fished up 20 cts out of my pocketbook and paid it over with a flourish just as if I was a millionaire and had almost a dollar in my pocket. But I did not begrutch it a mite for I stood the balance of the journey splendidly.

Josie Laird is here holding the baby. He is a regular girl isn't he.

Nell was intending to have Net down here this winter if she did not get a school. I am anxious to hear if she got it.

Dr Becker told me that Blanche had gone to Winona to teach kindergarten & that her folks could not afford to send her to school. Is it so? I could hardly believe it as she had not had any training, but she said there was no mistake about it.

Tell me how Aunt Nell is and how she is enjoying herself.

Now I will tell you what I want you to do. Ask Nora if I can take your graduating skirt pattern and the sleeve pattern of

the waist she made for Bessie Rovang. I will bring them back with me. Tell her I will remember her sometime when she thinks I have forgotten it. Send them right away. I want to fix Nells blue dress sleeves & cut her skirt out.

It is just about as dusty here as it is there.

Tell me all the news. I shall be interested in everything you write. Nellie says tell you the dust is coming up the street in clouds.

I suppose your father is at the sale today & it has not rained.

Bye bye for this time

Your loving mother

I want you to send me that pattern of the waist I made for Net last winter, the red one with jacket front. You will find it in the pattern bag.

Jackson Maine
Sept 29th 1897

My dear girls

I am sitting
on the N. E. porch. It is so
nice and shady Mrs H-C-
is sitting on the lawn and
Leona is sitting on a quilt.
Mistie has gone over to
Eastmans with Josie &
Bill has gone down to
the dentist to see about
getting a tooth filled
tomorrow.

I feel quite rested today
I had such a good sleep
last night. I have Maude's
room & Bill and Bill's

a cup of tea and in consequence
felt like a "new man". The sandwich
was two thick slices of bread &
butter and a thick slice of tough
ham. just the sandwich for
a thresher but I worried the
most of it down & drank the
tea & then feeling sort-o'-reckless
like Josiah Allen when he said
"damn the expense anyhow" I
fished up 20 cts out of my
pocket book and paid it over
with a flourish as if I was a millionaire
and had almost a dollar
in my pocket. But I didn't
begin with it a mile for I
stowed the balance of the
journey splendidly.

have the front bed room.

The rooms are so pleasant. She has matting in both rooms and hall & a nice stair carpet.

I did not drink the tea you gave me but I was glad I took it. There was a poor woman on the train with two little children, she wanted a cup of coffee at Austin but could not afford to give 10 cts for it, so I gave her my tea and she seemed so glad of it & I gave my last cookie to the little girl - I was so tired out when I got to Austin I certainly thought I should collapse before every body & disgrace my family but I got a sandwich and

Josie Lubed is here holding the baby. He is a regular glib isn't he.

Nell was intending to have Net down here this winter if she did not get a school. I am anxious to hear if she got it.

Dr. Becker told me that Blanche had gone to Winona to teach Kindergarten & that her folks could not afford to send her to school.

Is it so? I could hardly believe it as she has not had any training, but she said there was no mistake about it.

Tell me how Aunt Nell is and how she is enjoying herself.

Now I will tell you what I want you to do. Ask Vera if I can take your graduating skirt-pattern and the sleeve pattern of the waist she made for Bessie Kovary. I will bring them back with me. Tell her I will remember her sometime when she thinks I have forgotten it.

Send them right away - I want to fix Kille's dress sleeves & cut her shirt-out.

It is just about as dusty here as it is there -

Tell me all the news I shall be interested in every thing you write. Ellie says

tell you the dust is coming up
the streets in clouds.

I suppose your father is at
the sale today & it has
not arrived.

By bye for this time
your loving mother

I want you to send me
that pattern of the waist
I made for Net last winter
the red one with jacket
front - you will find it in the
pattern bag.

have the first bed room -
The rooms are so pleasant
she has mother's - hall -
rooms and hall & a nice
chair cabinet -

I did not drink the tea
you gave me, but I was glad
to get it. There was a poor
woman with the little child -
two little children. She wanted
a cup of coffee at dinner but
could not afford to give 10
cts for it, so I gave her some
tea and she seemed so glad
of it. I gave my last cookie
to the little girl - I was so
tired out when I got to Boston
I certainly thought I should
collapse before every body &
disgrace my family but
I got a sandwich and

Josie Lusk is here too, with
the baby. He is a regular girl
isn't he.

He was intending to have
Nat down here this morning
if she did not get a
school. I am anxious
to hear if she got it.

Dr. Beebe told me that
Blanche had gone to Wrentham
to teach - kindergartens. I
thought her father could not
afford to send her to school.

So she is I wrote her
letter - but she has no
training. but she
said there was no mistake
about it.

Tell me how Aunt Nell is and
how she is enjoying herself.

Now I will tell you what I
want you to do. Ask Vera if
I can take your graduation
skirt-halter and the blouse
halter of the waist-she
made for Jessie Rowan.
I will bring them back with
me. Tell her I will remember
her sometime when she
thinks I have forgotten it.

And then right away - I want
to see Alice & dress her as
it suits her - it is out.

It is just about as close
here as it is there -

Tell me all the news. I
shall be interested in every
thing you write. Tell me say,
R. V.

tell you the dust is coming up
the street in clouds.

I hope your father is at
the sale today or it has
not arrived.

Bye. For the love
your loving mother

I want you to send me
that pattern of the waist
I made for M. last winter
the red one with pocket
front - you will find it in the
pattern bag.

There is no original manuscript
included - owner sent me this
typed copy

From: Eliza King Barney

To: Kate Cowing

Estimated date 1899

*[Poem was written to Kate, a close friend of Nettie Barney,
Eliza's daughter, evoking memories of their childhood in Jackson]*

I've wandered round the village, Kate
I've tried to make it seem
That all these twenty years thats gone
Are only "just a dream"

I long have felt a yearning, Kate
To see the dear old place
To walk the street, perchance to meet
Some old familiar face.

But never once I've chanced to see
Of all I used to know
How very great has been the change
Since twenty years ago.

The old schoolhouse has vanished, Kate
The dear old house is gone,
While in it's place a stately dome
With sweeping velvet lawn

Stands tall and grand the citie's pride
While marching to and fro
Are children just as we were then
Some twenty years ago.

How we wandered through the woodlands, Kate
And fashioned many a wreath
The happiest, jolliest school girls
The sunny skies beneath
The bridge that spanned the river, Kate
Where dancing waters flow
And we carved our names in the railing
Just twenty years ago.

Ah, many a tale that old bridge could tell
Of lovers by the score
Pledging love vows o'er and o'er
And lovers quarrels all made smoothe
With a little kiss or so.
The old bridge keeps its secret well
Of twenty years ago.

Now to the head of this great state
We all our hats will doff
The man who fills the Governor's chair
Is our most respected prof
While on the shining ladder of fame
One little step below
Stands dear Miss Hill who taught our room
Just twenty years ago.