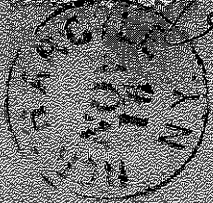


North Argyle Nov 15. 1869

Dear Son & family. I am permitted to
set down once more to write you a
few lines in answer to yours of the 30
of Oct if found as well as you and
we are to night. through the mercis of
god and hoping you may receive
this Anyoung the same Blessings I
Dont think of much news to write you
all though there is Changes constantly
going on though in our Circle of
Connection there is non to speak
of or Importance there has ben sum
Sicknes and sum Deaths accaisned
by typhoid feivours three young men
Died not far from this place and
sum three or four oldish pepole with
the Dropsey Judsons mother and unck^{le}
Died with the same Disease not long
sence but at the present time it seem
to be healthy in this section we have
had quite a singler Season the Season
seamed to backword but on the hole

There seems to be a Bountiful harvest
hay is good & oats is more than usual
Corn is in this section fair as far
as I can judge potatoe crop is good
but sum has rotted since digging
but there is more than an average
crop yet white ones is 30 to 35 and peach
blows is 40 Oats is 65 to 70 pork is \$15 just this
Beef varies from 8 to 10 on foot Lane looks
down sum but not much selling
as to harrit and tur family they are
well as usual D. H. family is well
as usual aneliza is not getting up
verrey smart yet but gaining sum
Provable he has rote you he has taken
our village school this winter at
\$45 per month he is about a half mile
from the school house

We are having considerable prospects of
a Rail Road from white hall to Troy
through the center of the County
Running a little west of Galesville and
so up to the Bald mountain and Stoargyle
and by us hear at north argyle & to Harthor
I learn by Taylors letter that the prospects etc
is good for one from Leben port to maynook
if you hant bought may be you had wait
till you cum dunt here I think you could
suit your self Taylor says if the Lord spares his
life and health & prospers him he shall pay you this
R. Williams ^{you are truly} ^{your} ^{friend} ^{as} ^{of} ^{the} ^{is} ^{going} ^{all} ^{the} ^{time}
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