

Christmas Day.

Dear Nell, Crit & Walter

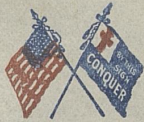
This is to say more
that of you all many times
today and wished you were
with us. We've had a mighty
fine time. Dinner was good,
thanks to all the good things
Mother bot up. Fred has been
so good and everything went
off beautifully.

I wonder how the little
new cousin is. Give him a
dozen kisses for me.

Lovingly

Clarice.

THE SALOON MUST GO.



ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE OF ILLINOIS

THE CHURCH IN ACTION AGAINST THE SALOON--
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My dear Cit, Nell and Grandson. I hope you have had a pleasant and happy day also a good dinner. We have had a nice quiet day and a good plain dinner nicely served. Spent the afternoon reading Walter's letters to the others and munching candy. This is a real Christmas of ye oldest time as it commenced snowing this morning and I think still at it. Papa seems to enjoy taking the rest and is well contented I think. We will go home Tuesday as Prairie State unless I stop over until Wed. in Bloomington but hardly think I will as don't think Papa would want me to. I will not write more but wanted to let you know that we all thought of you. Can tell you particulars when I see you so with love and good night from loving Mother

My poor Son & daughter. I missed you I have had you in mind several times today and hope you enjoyed a pleasant Christmas. We have had quite a blizzard all day but our boys has been out of the house good night. Your affectionate Mother

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Dear Crit,
Wish W. E. P. etc. the younger had
been older, so you could have taken a vacation
from the stock and spent the day. Just
wait till next Christmas and then watch
the Youngster take on. We had a very
pleasant time. Hope you are getting along
well.

Your affectionate brother
William H. Anderson

CHICAGO, ILL.
DEC 26
2-PM
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C. H. C. Andersen & Co

I understand that
you have some schoti Coolies dogs
for sale what kind and price
How bred have you a bitch in pup
for first of March for sale if so what price
if to buy I would most likely want a couple
No relation and old enough to breed
do you live in City

Respectfully
W O Cassman

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CHICAGO.

Dec 23-03

Dear Cut, Tell Grandson

I know
he will enjoy being remembered
when you read him this.

I send you two pairs of socks
& a hushie for his first
Christmas. Hope he will
enjoy them. I was awful
sorry to miss you but Papa
just forced me to go so
early to train. I hope you
got all your things safely
and will enjoy them. I

I forgot to tell you how to
make sauce for pudding
2 cups ^{powdered} sugar & sent 8
3/4 cup butter cream &
flavored with vanilla
steam pudding nearly
an hour if have no steam
use cullender with a lid & set
over a large pan of water.

Found all well & Fred
knew me. Gay & I are
bunning today some.
Love to you all & a
Merry Christmas and
a Happy New Year.
Your loving mother

I shall buy a set
use milk after Christmas they
are so much more.

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Monticello Ill

Oct 13 - 1903

Dear Aunt & Nell

I thought I would write for a line or two to let you know that you were remembered.

My visit here is very different from the one I had hoped to make this fall and a very sad one.

Aunt Bell is certainly very brave but breaks down occasionally, but the way the boys are acting is a great comfort to her for they could not be nicer were they her own sons and trying to do just as their father would want them to do.

We succeeded in getting Bell to go driving yesterday out in the country and

she slept better than usual. we room together
and I find that she puts a good part of the
time awake thinking which is not good for her
at all and when I leave she will be worse.

I expect to go home next Monday I thought
I would wait until Tuesday but papa wrote such
a blue letter I will go a day earlier. Bell begs me
to stay until after Sunday any how. I know
there is so much to be done at home for ^{next} two months
and I have to take time to go and help Mollie get
settled in Chicago as I guess I will be on the go for
some time. I hope Bell is well. Papa said
she was sick so you had to take her mother and
Jan's milk. I see that Clara took 3rd premium on
bread. Hurrah for Clara. I hope she is still in
you. It will do her good to be where she has to work
and take some responsibility.

We are having beautiful weather now would
like to be out more than I can be here. but
then I am thankful that our family are all spend
so right to be content.

I hope the apples will not all be gone before
I get a chance to make my butter, very fortunately
I put my boiled cider in the cellar, came near leaving
it until Monday. I see you took a number of
premiums at fair whether as many as you expected
I can't say, hope so. If you have no girl why don't
you write Kate Knutzen and see if you can't get her
for a while at least pay until Antoinette comes back
or until after Nell is sick. Bell had a letter from
Aunt Sallie yesterday. I wish you had written her
for our Louise & Florence have done so. and she seems to
appreciate the remembrance so much. Phew Papa says
he should have had a letter from me last night &
also that I got his last night (well I will close for
I expect it will be hard to read this any how Love to all
from your loving Mother

G. 56.

MONTICELLO
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Mr C. H. C. Anderson
Carlinville
Ill.

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My dear Friend:-

The writer very much regrets that he was not able to attend your third annual sale as it had been his intention to do so.

If you will favor this office with a report of the sale, we will be pleased to give same space on complimentary account in our September issue.

We are very anxious to assist you in every way possible in creating a demand for your superior class of berkshires.

If you still have a surplus, the hope is entertained that you will decide to consign same to the Illinois State Fair Combination Sale. We need about three head to fill up the consignment.

The management have decided to take berkshires of any age and if you haven't any spring pigs, you probably have something else that will do to put in the sale.

The catalogue should go to press the fifth of this month. Will you kindly give the above matters your early attention and let us hear from you by return mail.

Wishing you a busy season, soliciting more of your valuable patronage and awaiting your early reply, we remain,

Yours very truly,

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1. Applications must be made upon blanks furnished by the Secretary, and should be signed by the breeder and owner of the animal.

2. In case the animal offered for entry is owned by other than the owner of the dam at the time of birth, a transfer is required to the present owner from the previous owner; and if the animal has passed through one or more intermediate hands, transfers must be given in their regular order.

3. A certificate of service, signed by the owner of the service boar, must accompany the application for entry, except where said boar is shown on the Record to have been owned at the time of service by the breeder of the animal to be recorded.

4. Animals not the immediate descendants of recorded sires and dams shall not be ad-

mitted to registry, except their ancestors trace to recorded stock, and said ancestors shall also be recorded in the American Berkshire Record.

5. Unsound or unworthy individual animals should not be presented for registry. Such will not be admitted under any circumstances, where facts proving their inferiority are made known to the Executive Committee.

6. The use of duplicate names should be avoided.

7. Each animal known to be dead should be marked by an X preceding the name on the application for entry or transfer blank.

8. The breeder of an animal is the party owning the dam at time of service and dictating the cross.

9. In case of a change in ownership of an animal, the buyer must obtain from the seller a certificate of transfer, for which a blank form will be furnished by the Secretary, which will be recorded when returned.

10. In case of the neglect or refusal of the seller to give a certificate of transfer, the record of the transfer can be made by the Secretary upon written approval of a majority of the Executive Committee on evidence of sale and delivery. Parties purchasing recorded boars and sows should obtain from the seller an abstract of ownership, issued by the Secretary, showing that the sale has been noted on the books of the American Berkshire Association.

11. In all certificates of transfer the full names and postoffice addresses of both the buyer and seller of the animal and the date of sale must be given. If the animal is a female, it must be stated whether or not she has been

served. If served, the date of service must be given, with the name and record number of the boar, certified to by the then recorded owner of the boar or his authorized representative.

12. No application shall be considered until the fees are paid, nor shall any number be assigned by the Secretary until every requirement has been complied with.

13. When entries or transfers are made, the certificate given by the Secretary shall constitute the receipt for the fees, but such certificate shall not be binding upon the Association in case of error.

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Dear Sirs:

Your favor of the 28th inst. received with stated enclosure and 25 cents has been applied as follows:

Trans. 63371 Combination Duchess V \$.25

Kindly accept this letter as receipt (19975) for 25 cents paid on said item.

The abstract of ownership for the animal named above has been sent to Messrs A. J. Lovejoy & Son, as per your request.

We are trying our best to get through today's correspondence so that we can attend your sale tomorrow and hope to be able to do so.

Yours very truly,

Frank S. Springer,

Sec'y.

American Berkshire Association.

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Seneca, Mo., Aug 30 1903

Col Chas F. Mills Clerk
% C.H. Anderson Co
Carlinville, Ill

Dear Sir

Havent had the opportunity to congratulate you on honors you have won since I saw you at the Kas City Sale last Oct. but as we expect to have some in the ring this fall - will have to postpone personal congratulations till then - but I will say that you deserve all and more honors still.

In case C.H. Anderson Co. care to accept my note, and you see any bargains in the ring I am willing to risk about \$150⁰⁰ or thereabouts on sows - provided you are not overworked and are in a position to give me the benefit of your good judgment.

I have in mind nos. 4 and 5.

I dont think so favorably of nos. 6 to 11 although they may be all right on 1st or 2nd choice.

Nos. 12 to 17 seem to be bred all right, and if the class of 6 holds out you can bid on them as individuals or as a class.

I dont know much about the young stock nos 22 to 29 Inclusive as we would have to see them, so you will have to be the Doctor.

I dont want to bid on any boars or no 30. Keep reasonably close to shorts on prices.

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Seneca, Mo.,

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In case any are knocked down to me please ship by Wells Fargo Express from St. Louis. (Don't know what Express operates out of Carlinville.)

What delivery do C & C Anderson & Co make-?

F. O. B. Cars Carlinville - if not what expense - will be incurred getting them to Express office.

In shipping, mark and consign to

Geo. W. Calk

Seneca

Mo

You can send me necessary papers to sign - giving list of stock bought and prices paid, which I will return by next mail.

I think you can keep the average price all right so will depend entirely on your judgment as to what you shall bid.

Yours

J. R. Hickman

Am cutting hay and building 700 Ton hay barn. so it takes considerable cash here just now. so if I buy would want about a 6 mo. note

From

*J. R. Hickman
Seneca Mo*



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July 20 - 03

Dear Aunt Nell

We have just returned this morning from a most delightful visit with the boys at Benton Harbor. Shop this morning & go to the Sheds this afternoon & to the Mrs. Coles after supper.

To Milwaukee tomorrow & leave Wed at 9 A. M.

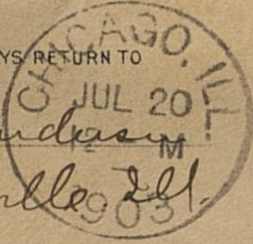
No letters from Walter yet.

Saw Annie & Grace Hughes & also Mr. McLean in the store here. All want to be remembered to you as do the boys also.

Must stop shop a little. Papa

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Mrs W. E. P. Anderson
Carlinville Ill.



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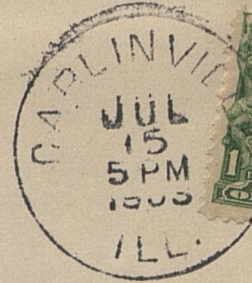
My address will be Thompson's European Hotel, #153 Dearborn St.,
Chicago, Ill. and I expect to be back Wednesday the 22nd inst.
But do not overlook the fact that that Road case comes up before Napman
on the 23d. and also stay right with Mr. Hogan about the tiling.
Trusting that you will get along all right, I am,

Your affectionate father,

W. E. P. Anderson

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ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CARLINVILLE, ILL.



1903

Q. 37.

C.H.C. Anderson,

Fairview Farm,

City.

Monticello Ill

June 1st - 08

My dear Son and Family

You see that I am away from home again. Papa and I came here last Friday, started at 10.20 A.M. & arrived here 3.47 P.M. as Papa had written that we would arrive at 5 - no one met us. I had suggested bringing our lunch as we would not have to stop at Springfield.

We went to bank and as Bell was at P.O. she soon found we were here. We have had a very pleasant visit. Sat. morning Almglet got a carriage and we first met ^{about 9 A.M.} to decorate the Moore graves as it was decorative day then we went driving ^{day} until nearly dinner time. Yesterday Bell

invited Mr & Mrs Dilatash & Annie here for dinner. She had not been able to secure young chickens as Papa did not have accustomed birthday dinner but she had a good one of stewed chickens and dumplings, asparagus, tomato & lettuce salad, peach pickles, jelly & salted peanuts, coffee, ice cream, strawberry cake & all was fine. Almglet & Mr H. went with

Papa to take 3.35 train on Wabash as Mr Hill had written that ^{Mr Edwards} he would be in C. Monday morning & he wanted to be there too. I do hope that they will really be there & make the settlement as they promised.

I guess I have not written since the telegram of great event came. You certainly will know that I am appreciative of your getting notes. I do hope that it

promises good and am so glad for your papers that

you have at last found it - "If we only get winter"
is a thing of the past. I did not send vines before
leaving as you could not get them on account of floods
so will send when I go home. We are having awful
cold weather since we left home, nearly frozen. If I
were home would have fire. I had two white dress shirts
made so I would have plenty while here but it makes
me shiver to think of them. I did not write at all
yesterday as folks staid until nearly seven and
then we talked & had lunch & went to bed. We had
a nice letter from you last week early & I think Walter
is getting to be quite a man to drive so well. My way I guess
that letter was last week before as we got no mail last
week from you. I just read a nice letter from father
written after he left B. He was at Alice's in Mo. & Lizzie
had gone to Council Bluffs to see Mary & Elizabeth
and my dears I have no news to write - so will close and
write Walter a few lines before lunch, so good day
with love and best wishes from your loving Mother

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doctors have a team
that we jokingly
call the "All-Americans."
We took the Academy
team into camp
a few days ago—
it is really next
years Academy
team, as we five
graduates were of
course not on it.
I have been playing
some tennis lately.

U. S. Naval Academy,
Annapolis, Maryland,
May 28, 1903.

My Dear Brother Crit,

Will

old fellow I have not
written to you for
a long time, nor
you to me, but
here goes. I expect
to see you before
long, I cant tell

just now, either about June
8th or July 1st, I think.

Well, my last baseball sea-
son is over, and our per-
centage was 50% with
as hard a schedule as you
will find. I felt after

the last game was over
that a white elephant
was off my hands. Of
course I will play in the
future on ships' teams.

If I get home in time
would like to get in the
alumni-varsity Black-
burn game.

Since our
season is over we five
graduates, Doc. Dashiell
and Bill Tarned, and a
couple of young Navy

What do you think?
Old Bill Larned con-
descends to play
with me — handi-
cap, 30-love. It's
great training.

Next week I am
an aide for the
Board of Visitors,
who see a week
of exhibition drills
and look over the
place once a year.

I have just finished marking a lot of final exams, and tomorrow will have to figure up a lot of yearly standings.

Well Brit, I must stop for tonight. I will see you before long I hope.
Love to Nell.

Your affectionate brother,
Walter.

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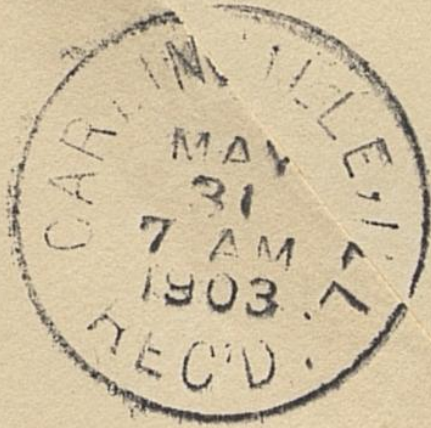
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Carlinville,
Illinois.

Fairview Farm.

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Hornsby, Ill., May 11th, 1903.

Mr. C.H.C. Anderson & Co.

Carlinville, Ill.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 7th inst. received and contents noted, I would like to buy the bull if your price on him is right. What do you ask for him?

I possibly might buy both if I could get away from the farm work to come and see them. We are so busy trying to get our corn planted, that I hardly know just when I can come..

Be kind enough please to write me your lowest price on the cow and bull together.

Yours Respectfully,

A. J. Stice.

a. J. Hines
Honolulu, HI.



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C. H. C. Anderson & Co.,
Carlinville,
Illinois.



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Edwardsville

My darling Fubie,

I've that if you
long and then more I
expect than Fubie has
of his life.

I have had a very nice
time so far the Sebastian
family are a very nice
one, Frank the farmer
he and Olive went with
so long I admire most.
He is smart and a
fine musician, altho
not 1 as handsome as
my ³ farmer boy.

He drove out to Olive's
yesterday P. M. and
in the P. M. and evening
she was here.

May and Mutt are
fixing a box of goodies
to send Louise and
Mutt said to tell you,
"hur-die."

Tonight we are going
to stay at Olive's and
Mutt will get to see her
Sungu Burro or expect
to. He went to Church this

Morning.

We have decided to wait
until Tuesday to go to
St. Louis as the crowd
will leave the city tomorrow.

A dashing goodbye
I hope you get this soon.
Your crowd wife is
home sick kinda new
to see you.

With lots of love

Jim Jones.

May 3, 1953.



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