

enquiries about-  
you and sends  
her love.

From your  
Mother

Edw. Maher

Stockton Oct-30-1890

Dear Alice

Your father and  
Aunt arrived home safely  
last-night. I was very sorry  
to hear that you had missed  
a visit with your father. He  
tried to plan things so that  
he could be with you Wednesday  
afternoon, as he knew you  
would be out of school then.  
Well you must make the best  
of it and wait till the next  
time. He will probably be  
down again soon if he can  
get hold of any boys to take  
down. I suppose Aunt has

told you every thing about  
every body so there is very little  
for me to write this time.  
Mr Waterman called Sunday  
morning, we were pleased  
to see him. I got your class  
picture, and Monaco gave me  
my choice of those pictures  
with the hair down. Your  
father thinks ~~they are~~ <sup>that is</sup> the  
best you ever had taken  
and says that picture is his  
and we can do what we  
like with the rest of them  
he says he is going to frame  
it. I told him he had  
better wait till you came  
and let you select the frame  
Mr Monaco gave me also two  
more panel pictures, making

altogether twenty five.

Emma Neumiller called for a picture and wanted one for May Baker; I could not find any of the first ones, all there was left were two of the second, and I gave her those. I told her if you knew where there were any you would exchange them when you came home.

Mr Waterman did not think it worth while to send your class picture to you, he said he was going to take his down and you could see that. I think if you come home Thanksgiving you had

Let me ask Mrs Spoke and Allie  
to come with you. If they  
will come we will have  
Mr S - come and stay with  
them while they are there.  
If they do not think best to  
come ask Bobbie and perhaps  
Lucius would get off for  
Thanksgiving day. Ben  
expects every day to go away  
and be gone a week and  
Emma G. is coming home  
to stay. Gorn father is hitching  
the horse for me to go out  
so I will stop, and go round  
and see if E. G. wants to go  
with me. Mrs Sherman gets  
more rides than she did. I have  
taken her out three times. She  
is not very well she always

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