

Palmer Three Rivers Mass  
Friend Sears  
Jan<sup>y</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 1839

Dear Sir

I rec<sup>d</sup> 3 letters last Saturday  
all in one which I was very glad. I had  
been expecting to hear from Richford But had  
given up all hopes & at last one came  
good for Buteshire Go it please stick to it  
Boys You will rule the roost. I wish I had  
been there. at B Round who teaches your  
Singing School I wrote to Hather last Sat<sup>y</sup>  
& sent the letter (via Ware) this will go via  
Springfield to night it is now 5 o'clock  
at Hartford Bridge has 1/2 of it gone off  
at Ruined here last Saturday all day right  
down the River all raised up high to day is  
very cold High winds Think of selling our  
big house for \$85. My father was mad  
because Loun would not let him read his letter  
I now am in Atwood & Shumway Store  
went to day up to Shourdike & saw Eliza  
Judd. Think sorry of going to Prooster to  
morrow if I had more clothes I would  
go to Indian & see Wright Goff before I  
come home think of swapping my  
Watch for a Patent Lever fast watch  
can swap for 15. Worth 45

I have found 16 De<sup>r</sup> handsome  
Girls for You & m<sup>r</sup> Come & see  
how well Steve Gorn to M<sup>r</sup>  
how does he & John Royce make it  
My respects to Mary Carpenter

I am in such a hurry that I cannot  
think of nothing But me some Grey Cloth  
& shall have some new fashion pantaloons  
Button up before — You must  
write after as you get time  
I do not know when I shall come  
home Cant come not till it comes  
I am now no know her I went home  
last night with D<sup>r</sup> Gress what a lot  
tell Mary I not to say tell Miss  
Seas I think of fetching horn fan  
accordance a musical instrument  
like a bellows

You may give my  
earnest — to all my friends tell  
C. & B. Blaisdell not to get this Child  
is got scared where is my sister write  
to her if she has not come home for  
me & —

Now when I get time  
M<sup>r</sup> — Est  
Yours friend  
B. B. Goff