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Remembered

Brother Nichols

with pleasure do I now embrace  
the present moment afforded  
me of writing you a few lines  
to let you know that I am  
well at present and hope when  
this reaches you it will find  
you enjoying the same state of  
health. I would like to go to  
see you but I am getting to old  
to undertake such a long journey  
as that but I would like if you  
would come to see me when  
you answer this write tell me  
where sister Sarah is and if  
you will send me her address  
I will write to her myself  
and let me know about all things

friends are for I would like  
to hear from them so well  
and tell me how the church  
of God is coming on in Altona.  
I send my best wishes to Mr. M<sup>r</sup>.  
tell him I would be very glad  
to get a letter from him.

the friends and relations are all well  
accepting my daughter Mary Baker  
she has been sick for about two years  
she is no better the

we have had a very pleasant  
summer this year and the crops have  
been very good especially the buckwheat  
it has done splendid this year  
there is quite a nice lot of apples  
Peaches grapes pears this year  
answer soon and when you write tell  
me if your sisters are all living  
yet and how they stand the times  
well I guess I will have to bring  
my letter to a close hoping to hear from you.

please answer this soon  
for I would like to hear  
from all of the folks we  
will write soon very soon

from your brother John  
Wareham to  
Nicholas Stephens

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