Moneta VA
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My dear Libian,

Are you surprised or not?

I have been around here all day and not feeling the best besides are so lonesome that thought would write to you for know you always understand things that others can not solve and all that helps me so much.

Have not had any cold but my stomach has been disorderd all the week and don't seem like I improve one bit any way have been trying to work all the time although some times it has been all could do to go.

Did you look for me tonight?

It was hard for me to be contented with the idea of me not talking some tonight but not feeling any better than am and the weather not the best thought
it might be best for all concerned to stay at home. I am sorry that you have not gotten over your cold but trust you are lots better and will soon be yourself again.

I am so thankful that the flu has not gotten in the neighborhood and will not. From all reports it must be pretty bad in parts of the country and so much pneumonia with it.

Here a load of wool and other wares on the wagon but let's hurry to take it to the market feeling like I am for which if was real well would not be so apt to contract the flu.

Believe will wait a few days for there seems to be so much going about first of the week that it will be impossible to handle it fast as it comes in, and I don't care to spend the week out there if can do any better. Well did not get my paper so will send you a sample if that is not Xmas.
and expect it will do just as good, for
if you are like me you don't examine
the paper as much as what is written
on it.

Your letter is all the mail I have
gotten this week and it surely has
been a drop off from times week
the way I mail and good time.

Want you to take good care of yourself
and get well real soon because you always
so worried when you are sick and
had lots rather it was me instead if it
could be possible.

Tell Joe she must take be careful
and not bring the flu over here and
do hope she will not have it again
for am like you about her.

Have beenSame dropping a good hit
today and have heard you talking
several times as have heard how
you are getting along,
surely would have to have a good
light if was traveling tonight for believe
it is one of the darkest nights that has
been for some time.

Guess Jack is on hand to see you about
now and no one to bother and you know
that will never do to have so much time
and not be disturbed for it is sure to
bring joy or sorrow to some one. (And I right)

Hope your are feeling well enough to
write to me tonight that is if you have
thought about doing such a thing. know
I would appreciate even a few lines from
you.

O! I hear it raining and it reminds me so
much I last seen. might.
Saw cousin Me this evening so thought would show him my ring and he thought it so nice and wanted to know if I'd brought it. Said yes of course then he commenced. Said it took a lot of eggs to pay for that but did not ask me what I gave you so did not say a word.

Mama had a card from Stollie and she spent the latter part of Christmas with Sister Leery and she said for me to stop there when went to town as she had something for me so I will have quite a lot of things after all.

Mama said for me to give Stollie the basket that Ruth sent me
I believe that will be a pretty good trick.

What do you suppose Ruth would think if she knew about it.

Think if I write to Booker some time this week if can and find out how he is getting along.

See it seems like a long time since last Sunday and now to think about another week it almost gets the best of me. It may be best for us to be separated for some time but I will have to be further away than one or as sick one if there is more than two weeks for it is awful to just think of such a thing much less the truth.

Now how do you think along that line?
Don't sit great to have some one visit you even alone and to know you have to return and not rejected.

Guess Uncle Nappy is away to stay for a while unless he rides a mile or so. Then pretty Sunday nights like tonight.

You must enjoy those records while you are not able to work and just have a pleasant thought gone when playing them. I have tried to do better this time than before in return for your long sweet letter of last week.

Guess had better stop for this time, hoping to hear you and are better next time. That hear from you.
Hope will not be so busy this week
and if am not will try to write again
if you do not improve.
I am feeling better tonight than for a
week only lonesome for you that's all
hopes hoping that this may find you lots better.

Yours, Rob.
Miss Lilian Nance

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