

Syracuse December ^{the} 15th 1866

Dear Mother

As I have got
a few moments to spare I
will improve them in writing
to you we are all well
and hope that these few
lines will find you the
same we was disappointed
to here that you went home
with out coming this way
I suppose you have heard
that we have got a baby
boy here he was three months
old. Friday Daniel is to Rock^{ter}
to day he he had wanted
me to write to you ever
since you went home but
I have kept putting it of

till now I suppose you had a
good visit to Jefferson County
this summer uncle John
had not gone to the war
yet I heard that John was
married Daniel sends his love
to all of you uncle is well
and sends his love to you all
and says he expects to go
to the war before long if
nothing happens to him
pleas excuse poor writing
and all mistakes and
pleas write soon to me
nomore at present so good by
from Harriet Hill