me to them, and do I think you would say were you to spend a year in them. I wish we were all rich so that we could go wherever we chose. All boys wish you would say, call it so if you choose, it is mine. I have heard nothing from Walt for a good while suppose he is taking up the as yet some where along the Missouri river for he never will enlist I am sure of that. All I said to say for Tom Wetherly is, he would have been under ground long ago had he been in this country. You must have quite an array of beauty in your school would that I were there to see. Sylvia Wetherly always had more manliness than Tom he died in the cause of his country let that atone for all his faults. Young Watkins I knew as a fine fellow and keen to try to hear of his death. Did any of the Ferris boys enlist I should scarcely suspect them of such an act from their way of talking when I left or did you ever marry Bertha Croft. Jones thought such a thing likely to happen. As for your little girl whom you gave me the privilege of naming I thank you for the honor which you would confer upon me but I am afraid I am scarcely competent to choose a name handsome enough for her and will trust to your better taste and judgment. Either you wanted me to send you my library.