The boys are having great times this morning at rat hunting. Rabbits are located in a place where there is a plenty of grass, so the rabbits are plentiful.

Some short of news to write at this time. I wish you would tell all the boys to write for it. Please me very much to hear from you. I wish you would send me some snuff. I shall tell what you have in a letter. If you would send me some compound a little pepper or ginger, it would come very handy.

Write often and direct to Washington as usual. And please oblige your best friend.

Royal T. Potter.