Mr. Jonathan Lowe
Dennis

[Signature]
Boston Novr. 23, 1820

Honored Parent,

I left my family in Cayson and left them well. Peter is well. A remarkable share of contentment and kindness has sent her. Almost excellent Neighbour this few months past that has more in only opposite the Street she seems like a sister to her. Almost worthy and excellent woman and a constant Visitor, and dear mother what is most to be valued is her discourse is not confined to the mere battle of the Town but to that tends to the saving of our souls such a warm and affectionate friend is such a one as we need to aid and instruct us in our duty, for it must be allowed that we all have a duty to do and if we neglect that, if finally come short of happiness we have come short by our own slothfulness, for it will be our own will and not God's will—most true it is in will the not the death of one person, but that he would repent and live. She says that she does not want come in without some thing to say or have said about the great work of salvation.
Now dear parents, what is there of more consequence in this life than to prepare for the next, which exceeds this in length of time and magnitude if the world eternally means but a few days or weeks, let immortality be in no compatibility speaking, but it means for ever.

Father Willis told me you talked of selling your salt works. I suppose salt works is good property if a person is clear of debt. But as Judah will probably live you soon, you will have more than you will be able to do if you should want my opinion when I don't know as you do, but Father I must give it to you. I think it very good when to sell them if you can get the worth of them. Judah what are you going to do with your self if you are going through this world if you live on what trade you should like you now go to come one. I want you should write to me a letter. I want to see your performed it is your duty. Susana I don't think it very well in you that you can't write a line to your aunt Rissie Alex Hooe
Sail to day Nov 14
Boston  Novr 23, 1820
Honerd Parrents

I left my family 14 days sinc and left them well, Persis injoys herself well with A Remarkable share of contentment, and Kind providence has sent her A most excelent Neighbour this few months past that has mov’d in only opposite the Street, who sems like A sister to her, A most worthy and excelent woman, and A constant Visitor, and dear mother what is most to be valued is her discourse, is not confind to the mere tattle of the Town, but to that that tends to the saving of our Souls, such A warm and affectionate friend is such A one as we need to aid and instruct us in our duty, for it must be allow’d that we all have A duty to do, and if we neglect that, if finally come shore of hapineüs we have come short by our own Slothfulneüs, for it will be our own wills and not Gods will, -- most true it is he willeth not the death of one sinner, but that he would Repent and live, she says that she does not want to come in without haveing some thing to say or hear said About the great work of salvation [page]

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Alexr Howes

[Note on outside:] I sail to day  Nov 14