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Letter from Robert Hanson to Jacob G. Armstrong

Robert Hanson

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Bolivar Temper
Wednesday night
11 o’clock
August 18, 62

Friend Jacob

If you please on
the receipt of this or as soon as
practicable, called at the residence
of Col. W.M. Leggett No. 18 North
Street, Gainesville. There you will find
one Mockingbird. Please take it home
and take care of it for me. Tell
Mary that she must learn it
some music; and if I never
That is more to be looked at now than my care or wealth. Tell him as for me, he has not answered my last letter yet. Q. Winter has just received his.

Every thing is quiet in Norwalk at the present. Writing, Joseph Beier arrived here this eve in good health. The weather is warm. I may say extremely warm. 101 degrees in the shade. What is it in the sun's dust one foot deep and more.

Why did you permit Mr. T to go to school he is going fast too rapidly and he needs more exercise. I think if he was to study at home and walk to Norwich every night or eve. It would benefit his health.

My kindest regards to your Father, Mother, Mary, Abigail, Frank, Gus and TG if you please and keep at reasonable share for your self. Please make on the receipt of this.

Your friend

Robert Hanson
Excuse the shortness of this and believe me ever your friend

Robert Hanson
August 13, 1862

Addressed to Mr. Jacob G. Armstrong

Norwich

Muskingum County

Ohio

Bolivar Tennessee

Wednesday night 11 o'clock

August 13, 62

Friend Jacob

If you please on the receipt of this or as soon after as practicable, call at the residence Of Col M.D. Leggett No. 18 North 6th Street Zanesville. There you will find a mockingbird. Please take it home and take care of it for me. Tell Mary she must learn it some music and if I never return, the bird is hers. I would have done some other things, but I do not wish to impose too much on Mrs. Leggett.

Everything is quiet in Bolivar at the present writing. Joseph Geyer arrived here this eve. in good health. The weather is very warm. I may say extremely warm 101 degrees in the shade. What is it in the ________ dust one foot deep and more.

Why did you permit T S to go to school. He is gaining flesh too rapidly and he needs more exercise. I think if he has to study at home and walk to Norwich every night or eve, it would benefit his health. That is more to be looked at now than learning or health. Tell him so for me. He has not answered my last letter yet. G.W. Porter just received his.

My kindest regards to your Father, Mother, Mary, Flavilla, Frank, Gus and T S. If you please, keep a reasonable share for yourself. Please answer on receipt of this.

Your friend

Robert Hanson

Excuse the shortness of this and believe me ever your friend.

Robert Hanson