

Feb 3, 1916
Genesee
Idaho

Dear Henry,

The snows is thawing fast here darn it anyhow, it makes such poor roads.

My pen scratches so I will get the fountain pen.

Now this is a little better. It writes to heavy, and the other one don't write heavy enough

We are having diseases here by the whole sale, Measles, Mumps, Small pox, Pneumonia, La Grippe, and Grippe that is what you had summer before last.

The Public school is closed for two whole weeks on account of it. Hope I don't get it.

Thanks ever so much for the money you send me for it comes mighty handy now and then, I or Dady put the dollar you gave me in the bank.

I didn't last Friday and nor did the girls because the roads were drifted something awful,

P.S. Danger of war with Germany all parts blockaded sounds bad, P.S.

The altar society is going to have some doing next Wednesday, and that is one reason I didn't go last Friday. Card playing Then dancing which will be free. Only 25 cents to get in. But darn the card playing.

Don't think I would take Teresia around the neck, because I don't care for her no more than a crooked stick. I don't talk to her anymore.

How do you like school, Do you take short-hand and type writing.

Well as you can't help but notice it I'll remark it any-way do you notice shorthorn cattle and mule foot pigs on here.

The paper is getting pretty slim and I am tired. It is twenty too nine so good evening. Send best garters to all!

Your loving brother

Charles Lorang

Turn Over

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Rost. Script: I didn't know it till I had the letter written. The girls are going to have a dance her at our place on Friday 9. Then there is an Alter Society doing Wednesday and a dance Friday Feb. 16.

Charles

I will pull my pen out of my hand and think I will quit writing.

C.L

V.L. (*Viola*)

M.L. (*Martha*)

B.L. (*Bertha*)