

Winthrop Nov^r 4th 1841

Dear Brother & Sister we received your letter dated October 24. we were rejoiced to hear that so many of you were a live. we are alive I am in a poor state of health. I have been sick this fall am troubled with the gravel which distressed me very much. at times I have had my water drawn of nine times but three or four weeks past am very free from pain and much better a good appetite my wife is comfortable except ~~numbness~~ rheumatism we are grown old and feeble can do but little I am able to walk about but can do nothing Nathan is very good to us we had not heard of Brother Daniels wives death until we received your letter we are all grown old and cannot expect to be here long if we are prepared to die we may as well depart we are but strangers here there are but two men in this town older than I am. ——— it has been a dry summer here hay very good corn and wheat good potatoes rather light apples plenty it is now very dry no rain for a long time it is now very warm no snow and but few frosts I can write but little my hand shakes so I dont know that you can read what I have wrote please to write to us often while we live give our respects to your family and all friends if we have any with Esteem I am your old brother til death

Nathan Kimball
to
our Nathan Andrews