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Dear Lillie -

tonight I will endeavor to ans. your most welcome letter recd. some time ago. I know you will think hard of me for waiting so long to write but dear you must forgive me this time and I will promise to do better in the future. I have been so busy with my studies and every thing else that I have not had time to write to any one. O yes dear you should have been here Friday to go to the Ice cream supper with me we sure had a fine time. say have you got your winter dress and hat yet? I have got my dress but have not got my hat yet don't know what I want. I don't care

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much for winter doings any
how do you? O yes Lillie. I
my niece Miss Russel Hendry
got married today. she was
only six-teen now I think it
is a shame all the children
are getting married and leaving
us don't you? Ho Ho, and
just listen next Wednesday
is my 19th birth-day I will
soon be on the old Maid list-
want I? are you having a fine
time at School? sure wish
I could come up to see you
some time but don't know when
I can come.

well I hear you must pardon
this short sorry letter for
I must close and study some
so will say good bye for this
time. Love by yours Bessie