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Winnebago Illinois Box 203

Mrs. E. K. Tourgee.

Dear Madam.

Mrs Burnette requests me to write to you as she is unable to do so owing to her sickness, as we have had extremely warm weather here and now it is cold it has affected her lungs so. she was anxious that you recieve your receipt. Was glad to hear that you have had such pleasant weather in France. Mrs Burnette or "Aunt Elsie." as most every one calls her has a nice garden of flowrs. her birds and flowrs are her comfort. at her west window she has a lattice covred with flowrs and as she puts out plenty of feed and water it is no unconmon sight to see birds of all kinds on top of the lattice turning their little heads looking in the window at us and her flowrs looks the nicest of any in town. She has often remarked that birds and flowrs were true friends. She never keeps cag

birds. I have often heard her speak of you as one of her friends, as she says she has out-lived most of her co-labores such as Mrs Haviland and Mrs Comstock She sends her kindest regards to you and family.

Respectfully Yours,
Adella M. Barnes

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