Dear Selle,

Your letter came to hand a few days ago, and I have delayed answering it much longer than I ought to have done, but I think I can clear myself of you will only listen to reason. One reason is that I have to study so hard that I don't leave time in the morning and another is that I thought you would like to hear from the baseball match game which came off yesterday (Saturday the 7th last).

I will endeavor to give you a brief account of the game. The game was fought with the "current" club of Raleigh.

Our club (in first-nine) fell in rank with bats on the shoulder and march out to and our opponents where we found them waiting. The then marched out on the field. Side by side, where the captains poised for the runs and our captains got the inns. The first man to the wade and rose who made a very good strike reaching the first base. Next comes to the bat, the very first ball. The picture then I made a worse good strike and also reached the first base. It would occupy too much time and labor to go into every particular. It suffices to say that our boys beat them by a score of 5 runs to 3.

The score total of the University Club was 5 runs, 15 fly catches, 3 home runs, and 27 outs. The sum