My dear Mr. Deane:

A letter from Mr. Rose yesterday brings me enclosed for you. He is still sending Joseph stamps. This accounts for the roundabout journey your letter has taken.

We are all pretty well - though little Walter Deane has not been quite as well as I could wish - but still he has done remarkably well for a teething baby - He now has sixteen teeth.

Will you forgive my maternal weakness when I tell you he is the very dearest baby I

Russ and I am quite sure
that you and Mrs. Deane
would think so too.
You should see him as he goes
out on the walks with his chub-
by hands behind his back -
There is a long cement walk
out to the gate and it is his
delight to go back and forth
over this walk - stopping to look
at the flowers - till he never
breaks one - his grandma thinks
this is wonderfully good for so
young a child.
We had a very happy fourth -
the children and I - we were
up right and early firing
fire crackers - then a walk
to the woods - In the evening

fire works and company -
We always give this day entirely
to the children -
I am hoping Mr. Rose will
be with us before many weeks.
He said in his last letter
he hoped to reach El Paso not
later than Aug. 1.
We are counting the days until
he returns -

Give my love to Mrs. LReams
and I know if Walter LReams
was awake he would send his
love to you -

Sincerely
Lou L Rose -
[Mrs. J. N. Rose]

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