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Family correspondence

1826

Samuel Childs (Litchfield) to Minor Deming (Middletown, CT), June 24, 1826

1835

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Sarah Deming [mother] (Litchfield), April 25, 1835

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Henry Deming [brother] (Litchfield), November 20, 1835

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents] (Litchfield);
Minor Deming to Sarah Deming [sister], November 28, 1835

1837

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Edwin Deming [brother] (Litchfield), June 29, 1837

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Stephen Deming [father] (Litchfield); Abigail
Deming to Stephen Deming [father-in-law], August 7, 1837

Abigail Deming (Cincinnati) to Sarah Deming [mother] and Sarah Deming
[sister] ([no place]); Minor Deming to Sarah Deming [mother], August 7, 1837

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Edwin Deming [brother] (St. Mary's); Abigail
Deming to Edwin Deming [brother-in-law], November 9, 1837

1838

Minor Deming (Cincinnati) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], Frederic
[brother], and Sarah [sister] (Litchfield), April 11, 1838

Minor Deming (St. Mary's) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], September
27, 1838

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Minor Deming (Augusta) to Sarah Deming [sister] (Litchfield); Minor Deming to
Edwin Deming [brother], July 7, [no year]

Abigail Deming ([no place]) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] ([no
place]); Minor Deming to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], undated

1844

Minor Deming (Carthage) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents] and Sarah
[sister] (Litchfield), June 26, 1844

Abigail Deming (St. Mary's) to [Deming family], Thursday evening [June 27, 1844]

Minor Deming (Quincy) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents] and Sarah [sister] (Litchfield), July 1, 1844

Minor Deming (Carthage) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], Frederic [brother], and Sarah [sister] (Litchfield), August 22, 1844

Minor Deming (Springfield) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], Frederic [brother], and Sarah [sister] (Litchfield), December 22, 1844

1845 June-July

Minor Deming (Carthage) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents], Frederic [brother], and Sarah [sister] (Litchfield), June 24, 1845

[Minor Deming] (continued on the letter above) to [his parents, brother, and sister], June 26, 1845

Abigail Deming ([Carthage postmark]) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), June 28, 1845

Minor Deming (Springfield [and Carthage]) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents] (Litchfield), July 1, 1845

1845 September

Abigail Deming ([Carthage postmark]) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), September 23, 1845

Abigail Deming (Carthage) to Amanda Leebeey[?] [sister] (Bethel), September 29, [1845]

1845 October (condolences)

L.P. Hickok (Auburn [New York]) to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Deming (Litchfield), October 9, 1845

Mrs. P. Hickok ([Auburn, New York]) to Mrs. Stephen Deming (Litchfield), [October 9, 1845]

1846

[Abigail Deming] (Carthage) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), May 25, 1846

Abigail Deming (Galesburg) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), August 4, 1846

1849

Abigail Deming (Galesburg) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), February 20, [1849]

Abigail Deming (continued on the letter above) to Stephen and Sarah Deming [parents-in-law] (Litchfield), July 10, 1849

Official correspondence

1844, June 23 and 26

James W. Woods (Nauvoo) to Thomas Ford, Gov. (Carthage), June 23, 1844

Minor Deming (Carthage) to Messrs. Smith ([Carthage]), June 26, 1844

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Thomas Buckmaster (Nauvoo) to Gov. Thomas Ford (Carthage), June 27, 1844

Gen. Minor Deming (Carthage) to Citizens of Adams County, June 28, 1844

Minor Deming ([Carthage]) to Citizens of Carthage and Hancock Counties, June 28, 1844

Proclamation of Gov. Ford (Quincy) sent to Gen. Cooley, June 29, 1844

Gen. M. R. Deming (Carthage) to Citizens of the town and country, June 29, 1844

1844, June 30

Gov. Thomas Ford (Quincy) to Brig. Gen. Deming (Nauvoo), June 30, 1844

Gen. Deming (Carthage) to Editor of the Warsaw Signal, June 30, 1844

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Orson Spencer (Nauvoo) to Gen. Deming (Carthage), July 1, 1844

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