

Gardiners Island.

February 16th 1902.

My dear Ruth.

I will try
to answer your letter. I
think the present you
gave the teachers for
Christmas was very nice.
^{wonder}
If you went to school
yesterday and to-day
in this wind and snow?
I wish you were here to

go out to-morrow on my sled with me. Papa is fast asleep in his chair, like most always. Well Washington's birth-day is nearly here isn't it? I don't believe the boat will go off to-morrow by the sound of the wind do you? I am making a sofa pillow. Polly says "Polly wants a cracker p^l-e-a-s-e" don't you think he is a funny boy?

February 19th 1902.

I did not finish your letter last night, so will

now. I had a sleigh
ride this after-noon on
Papa's big sled, and I
had a very nice time.

I will close for it
is bed time.

With love.

Anna A. Miller.