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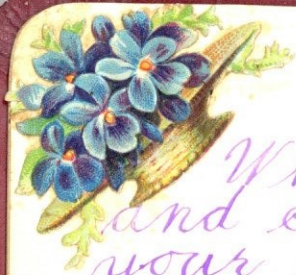
E. S. CROUSE.

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Autographs

Wm. E. L.

If I wake, or if I sleep
still the memory I keep
of the tender light that
lies in the depths of those
brown eyes.
Olsie G. Graham.



When you are old
and cannot see, put on
your specs and think
of me.

Florence Collins

Oct. 26, 1882.

Albion
Iowa.

March 13th 84

When I get old and
can't stand the cold
I will go where there
is more gold

J. W. Beckley

Friend Ed. Albion Iowa

I will not write a poem
It's a thing I cannot do
But I will simply sign my name
With my best regards to you

Dec. 13. 1884

Hella Miller.

July 10 1884
Albion Iowa

May your life be long and happy
And your enemies be few
And your friends be just as many
As the sparkling drops of dew

Emma Ames

Cousin Edd:

Mar. 18. 1887.

As you turn over these pages
Written & trust with letters fair
May the memory of your Cousin
Have a kindly record there.

Anna McIlhenny

(Lamar, Barton Co. Missouri.)

Jan. 13 1884 Albion Iowa
If writing in Albans remembrance
With the greatest of pleasure I'll ^{insure} scribble
in yours

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July 10 1882

Albion Iowa

Mr E. S. Brouse

Remembrance is a silken tie.
That binds true friends together
If you dont break this silken tie
We shall be friends forever