

Leavenworth, Kansas
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931 Sixth Ave

Miss Rose Alexander

Dearest Rose:

I received your most lovable letter, and was very glad to hear from you.

You must excuse me for ^{not} writing promptly; but it was because I have been trying to ~~to~~ catch up on my studies, but I know I should have kept them caught up.

Do you take the Kansas City Call, if you do I know you must have seen where ~~the~~ Atchison defeated us very badly.

Well the reason we didn't do so good is because it is our first year of having a basket ball team at our school for the colored boys.

I guess you are studying for your semester exams now as same as I am, I hope you good luck in your tests. How many words are you getting in typewriting now?