

Horton College Ross
1st of 4th mo 1851

My dear Brother James

I received thy letter in due time and am very much obliged to thee for the photograph thou hast sent me. I am very sorry I cannot send thee a copy of the title page of "Ed Young's Naturalists Rambles"; the reason is I cannot find it. I wish Papa would write oftener for I have written two letters to which I have received no answer. We had a whole holiday yesterday on the occasion of the arrival of a new master. Yesterday evening the Head Master gave a

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My dear Brother James

I now write to thee in accordance with the wish thou expressedst that I would write to thee and also because it being the 1st of the month I have to write home. The weather has been very fine these last few days with a beautiful Italian sky; today is rather cloudy. On half-holidays when the weather is hot we go down to the river to bathe. If Papa has not sent the parcel when thou receivedst this ask him to send me some

Letters from Master Robert Walker written at Horton College, Ross, to his eldest brother James, when 12 years of age.