

place, outside of Washington, as there
are here. Tomorrow with the General will
be a good chance to see them, and also
the Gasfield family. Arthur was in
yesterday and went here this P. M.
Ed met with him. Arthur delivers a
lecture to night on the Gasfield family.
I expect that it will be pretty good. For
everyone says that he makes a splendid
speaker.

I never knew time to pass so fast in
my life as it has the last week. If it
continues to ~~it~~ won't seem a great while
till January. I don't suppose that you
can read this for my per keeping
in the paper.

Have you had any rain yet. It is just
melting here now. Had a nice shower this
morning. But in very warm sun we
though we might have some snow
whether it is getting time of year for
it to be cold.

Have you seen Lewis since of left. I
have not heard from him yet. Write
him now. Tell Father to make some
sides so that I can have some when I
get home. and also to show some how
the cutter painted and upholstered before
I get home. if he can't pay for it I will
well I will close hoping to hear from
you soon. I remain ever your
loyal son & devoted