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PERSONAL LETTER written on this date at the Convent (Sacred Heart Academy) at Grand Coteau by Blanche DeClouet to her brother Alexander DeClouet at Louisiana College, Convent, La.

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My Dear Brother

I received your affectionate little letter which gave me great pleasure. I also received a letter from my father. I suppose you know that my uncle came to see me and he told me that he could not come soon again, because the roads are so bad. I am obliged to write in English to you again. I do not like to write in English. I suppose you know that Mme. Shan now has returned. She is very good to me and to all the girls. Tell Paul I hope that he has not forgotten me. I improve much for french and English since vacations. I will soon make my first Communion. We are 30 girls to make it. Pray for me that I may make it well. I expect you will go to Communion on Easter Sunday and that they don't tell you to eat meat during lent. I would be so glad if Pa would put you in a college where you could practice your religion; if I was in your place I would ask Pa to go to Mobile; it is an excellent college. You have several Cousins there; that what good will be your education if you loose soul. I remain your affectionate sister

Blanche de Clouet

Personal
Letter
by
Blanche
DeClouet
to
Alexander
DeClouet,
her
brother

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