

Yes" Ned and myself are
like we once were, and I don't
now see the least change
in him - except that he is married
and has a family around him
He never met that we don't speak
of you, he was telling me the
other night of a letter he wrote
you once from Washington, I
think he said it was a very long
one and that you had it, he
expected yet. But be assured
that neither of us slandered you.
To slander, is to speak badly of
one, I admit we often take your
name in vain and so that
you I am sure could get a
verdict in your favor, for both
could do naught but plead guilty.
Yes we have had unpleasant
weather and rather dangerous
I got one fall, but did not
hurt myself -