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Dear daughter
your favour of Jan 25th came to
hand in due time the reason
I have not replied before is
the eve of Jan 23 I fell from
a stool and struck my side
on the top of a chair I was
not able to leave the bed for
9 days this is my first attempt
at writing my hand is rather
shaky I am improving rapidly
Ed took me out for a ride
yesterday he has been round town
for the last week has been
suffering from a boil his