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My Dear Sister

I am going to write you a few lines this P.M. to let you know that I am well and in good spirits i.e. (feeling well) I received your letter yesterday and will hasten to answer it - I was very glad to hear from you as I always am to get a letter from my dear sister and if sometimes it has seemed long to you when you did not get a letter from me it has also seemed a long time to me between your letters and I have always intended to write to you as often as you have to me and I have felt sometimes as you wrote in your last - that you might find time to write to me if you should try but then I presume that as great many times when you might have written you have not felt like it and so it has been with me. And when