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My dear Browning

We have sought - and, alas, there  
is no latch key. My wife, who  
began the address on the envelope -  
is obliged to run off & has left the  
communication to me.

All I can good wishes to you  
& your little boy = from

Your "faithful for ever"

B.N.P.

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My dear Mother

The day is so bright and the

weather so fine

that I am sitting on the porch

and enjoying the view

of the mountains

and the lake

and the trees

and the flowers

and the birds

and the children

and the dogs

and the cats

Yours