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My dear Mother,

I was very sorry
to know by father's note
received some days ago, that
you were unwell & from
me this morning father
that though better you are not
yet well. I hope that you will
endeavour to take care of yourself
in this severe weather &
follow all the good advice
which you gave to me last
winter when I was ill.
The weather is terribly cold here

at present, and as there is
no snow on the ground it
seems worse than it actually
is.

I had a note from Ella Kemp
the other day in which she
mentioned Rankine's living
then only in Scotland. Also
a note from Rankine yesterday
asking questions about pitch.
I see by the papers that the
high school is a great part
of it has only been burnt down
& that the scholars - Eric
I suppose included - have
lost all their books. If you
get a chance to do so I

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wish you could tell Eric to provide
himself with a new set & send the bill
of them over, so that he need not be a
loser by the calamity

Yours

Lucy