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My dear Mother,

I was sorry to  
learn by Father's letter of  
Saturday that you have  
been unwell & in bed  
& I trust that in the  
interest of your numerous  
family you will take good  
care of yourself till you  
fully recover. You should  
bear in mind I think  
that this is your most  
important duty & that

besides such case as  
 factor may allow you  
 to take of him, your main  
 object should be to look  
 well after yourself. I have  
 been as usual very busy  
 with all sorts of things &  
 have not seen W or Florence  
 for some days. I called  
 there on Sunday afternoon  
 but found everyone out  
 but Heber, who is reported  
 to have a cold, but did not  
 look any the worse of it.  
 All this illness in Anna's

Family seems most  
 unfortunate, for we had  
 hoped that Bernard & others  
 would have been able to  
 get away for a time before  
 this. However I hope that  
 they may now be able to  
 go & to enjoy, if not a  
 very happy still a restful  
 time somewhere for a  
 season. Do not  
 let them give up the idea

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of making a break & securing  
a season of change &

refers to

with all kind regards

Yours

Scott

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