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My Dear

Just recd your
note. Of course you did just
right in complying with your father's
wishes though I should have been
with you had you come. It is per-
haps best that you should not as
I am very old and you would
find me an awful bother if you
should "get" me there. You must
write me just when you are
going away for I must have a
good visit with you if it quite
breaks my back. I have not been
up much since you were here
for I rather outdid my strength
then. I had so many visitors that
day. It seemed as if my friends
all came at once. Today I have

seen all alone with the excep-
tion of a call from Mrs Casborn
& Mrs Orlando Luce. I had a
real good visit with them.

Rosetta boards up town and
it is lonesome enough here
I get the blues almost every
day. I don't suppose it does
any good but — psaw!

I'll come just as soon
as I can but cannot say
when that will be.

But Kevin

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