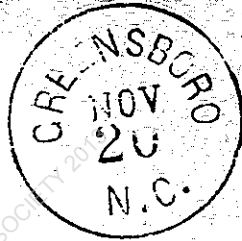


Sarah's first letter  
written on her 7th  
birthday Nov. 19th 1877-

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Hon. A. W. Furgess  
Raleigh

N. C.

Greensboro N.C.  
Nov 19 1877

My dear Papa

I am seven years old  
to day. Please keep it  
always this first letter  
I ever wrote.

I am so glad my Mama  
came home I have not  
been a very good girl to  
day I send you a kiss.

Your letter  
girl.



Leotie Touge