



Saratoga Springs April 6th 1865

Dear Grandmother

Not having heard any thing from you since aunt Ann came from there and wishing to hear how you were Mother requested me to write you a few lines Mother is sick and has been ever since Aunt Ann went up there she has had two or three times set for coming up there but she has not been able any time yet we should like to hear how you are getting along and if you are able to come down here if we should like to have you first rate because Mother is not able to come up there at present have you heard from the boys lately I have not heard from Fred in over a month I do not know what has become of him again Father is a merchant and has been at work over a week

If you can not come down we should like to have you write so we can hear from you

no more ad present I remain as ever
Yours Very Truly
Helen A. Betham

