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My dear Mother

As I find that Harry wants to send to the landing this morning I concluded I must write you a line. Your most welcome letter was received last night and your account of the little girl's ~~narrow~~ that was run over made me feel doubly thankful for our darling's narrow escape. I shall not again venture in the carriage with both of them without having some one to help me. I wrote you in my last letter that little Mary was sore again it did not look as it did before there was no eruption but the first day looked like a scald and then