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Saturday - 5 P.M.

Dear Pa -

Yours, written last Sunday received yesterday. It has been raining and cold wind with it, all day Joe. Fannie Joe & I have been in our room all day. One of Joe's hands here now, and I write a few lines that he may take it to town to mail it. All well, and Fannie Joe has tired herself - I see very little change for the better - indeed she is as hard headed a little chap as I ever knew in my life - certainly she