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My dear Mother
I received your kind letter
of the 2nd inst. and was
glad to hear from you
and to hear that you
were all well. I am
well at present and
hope these few lines
will find you all the
same. I have not much
news to write at present
but I will write again
when I have more to
say. I am your affectionate
son
John W. Brown

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