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Monday

Dear Mr Silver -

Just a note to tell you
the big news - it was a boy,
6 lbs 15 oz, 21" long, born Friday
night at 10:30 after a five
day labor.

I'm fine and it's doing
as well as can be
expected for a breech -

Got a letter from Millsaps
this morning accepting me for
the fall semester - still haven't heard
from U.K. Have you heard anything
about Dr. Oswald of UC - I heard he was
top nominee for Pres of UK this fall.
He sounded like he'd be a good man to
have running things - Have you heard
from Ben Wall? Any hope, or should
I stop dreaming?

Tuesday

Don't know when I'll be home -
it might be the end of June, as I know

Mama and Daddy would like - but it might be later, due to circumstances beyond anyone's control. I have just heard that the baby may not last another day - they think there is definite neurological damage anyway, due to the $1\frac{1}{2}$ hr delay in starting it breathing - thus, $1\frac{1}{2}$ hr lack of oxygen to the brain. If he recovers, I'll have quite a few arrangements to make - ^{as adoption, won't be possible in that case.} so I'll be out here a while longer. ^{will write more later.}

Thank you again for all you've done for me - hope you'll be careful in that "bachelor's" den - and that you'll enjoy it too - conversely, I suppose.

Do write -

Always,
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