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My dear wife,
I hope you are well
and not overworking. How are you
coming on? When you are here
I want you to have your photo-
graphs taken as I have taken
the liberty to promise several
in advance. Let me see, I have
promised Charles & Nell, Alice
and Walter, Charles & Addie,
Lizzie, Mamma, and there are
as many more that would
like one although they have
not been promised one. There
is considerable to require my
attention here for several weeks
so I don't expect to go
to Brooklyn for some time.

Am making arrangements in regard to the repairs and find that to carry out my plan I will be obliged to petition the Probate Court for permission to make these alterations as the greater part has been put into my hands in trust for the heirs and such being the case we cannot do what would be right without permission of the Court. When any matter goes before the Court it is hard to tell how long it will take to settle it. When I see you I will see the necessity in blood as I

expect them to be in full bloom
in a week or two days. On
account of the repairs will
abandon the idea of a gar-
den this year.

Lizzie and Abba went
to the Park yesterday after-
noon to see "Lights O'London"
and were very much pleased.

With kind regards
and best wishes to all
and much love to my
dear "Esther"

Yours forever
Will.