

Friday afternoon
June 17/92

Dearest Anna,

I am at the laboratory
(5.30 p.m.) and as Eric is here
am going to send him to post
a few lines to you. E. has
passed his A.C. "fairly well"
and I enclose his marks.
The school marks are not out
yet. The last school examina-
tion was this morning - drawing.
E. has really grown far on
examinations and has been
much better apparently than
for months past. At the
same time the effort of
getting ready to leave to-morrow

would be quite too much
for him and so he will not
go until Monday or Tuesday.

I am working away at my
analysis, but it is tedious work
and some of the appliances
that I want I cannot get
here and so have to resort
to all sorts of devices. Still
I am leaving something that
will be useful to me.

You will be sorry to hear
that Savage's brother ("Bob")
has been killed in Chicago
- run into by an electric car.
He had a wife and two
children.

Eric tells me that Jack Savage
has failed on the A.A.
- failed in six subjects.

I am sorry that Ruth

is not mending under the
influence of sea-air. It
is a pity that she was not
more faithful about taking
the iron before leaving, but
perhaps some iron preparation
but still be useful. Possibly
it would be well to ask
Dr Kemp, about her finger. It
would be too bad to have
it permanently disfigured.

I have promised your
father to go and meet Sir Daniel
at 8.20 this evening and
sincerely hope that the train
may be on time, as I cannot
afford to lose the whole evening.

Thank little Lois and Ruth
for their welcome letters. I have
a paper to send the latter
with a story about another
little Ruth. Tell Con. too

that I am glad to hear that
he has been a good and
useful boy.

Your loving B.

Will telegraph about Eric

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