

Wednesday -
June 19/95

Dearest B - Finley has just
been here, & is evidently
much surprised to find
Con, so improved - The
left lung is very much
better - he did not say
so much about the
other, & we are to go on
Friday, if all be well -
I asked him if we might
hope that the trouble would
prove temporary, he said
he could not tell, only to watch
him - take his temp. twice
a day - Keep him always
out of doors, that he

might-race, or paddle or
rifle in moderation, better
after a few weeks if the
improvement continues
& that if the night was
not cold ^{or wet} the night as well
be wrapped up well, &
taken down directly to the
house.

On the whole I think
Con & I had better have
our room in the mean
while, & you Miss Baker's
& let Ruth go to Mother's
for the two weeks till
she goes home - then Con
if he improves, can
change with you later.

I am sorry for Ruth
but - she can take all
her meals with us, & not
feel hemmed.

Can you arrange this with
Miss Baker. =

I think never that whatever the
presents will be, we have great reason
to be thankful that the child is
better, & that we are not to be
separated again: I am dear love!
do be careful of yourself: I bring
us a several carriage, & a seat
& plenty of things - I have a shawl &
a sweet dress: I shall have the
trunks & perhaps a valise -
travelling I will love to be
dear