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Dear Carolyn:

Thanks for your note. It turns out J. will not be here this week, but plans to try to get down the second week of February. I still do not feel very sure he and I will be able to get over to Lexington as there is business to be done in Louisville. Also I have cancelled my dental appointment in Lexington because I don't think that big fancy renewal job is worth the bother.

But the weather is looking better. Do you think we might gamble on a picnic on Saturday February 3rd? At least you and Bob and his wife might be able to get away at short notice. It is a long time since we have had a chance to do this, and if the weather holds it would be worth trying as Lent might not be so good.

Let me know if you think the Farmers' Almanac will be benign for Feb 3rd, and if the stars are in the right conjunctions. If all is OK I could meet you out in the front avenue around 11.15.

My very best, to all of you,

Tom

Or another Saturday in February if the 3rd doesn't work?