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My dear Captain Pratt.

You were so kind as to send to Mrs. Abbott and myself an invitation to visit you at the Graduating exercise; and I beg you to excuse my delay in answering during a time while it has remained uncertain whether I could leave here.

I have now arranged to do so, and we hope to be with you on Tuesday evening. I suppose

we leave here by the 8 am train,

I am

Yours most truly

Austin Abbott.)