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the mail  
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much  
to  
else you  
last  
almost  
you  
a book  
the first  
in House  
to help

we by a purchase, they  
can get one of your park  
stones to send an order  
to "Otis Clapp, Book for  
No 3 Beacon Street, April 13<sup>th</sup> / 59  
Boston"

My Dear Sir,

I have delayed  
writing to you, fearing we  
might hear of the death  
of your baby - and that  
the pain of that loss,  
would render unpleasant  
for a while, any matter  
of business. But the pros-  
pect now is, that Mr. Dyer  
will leave town soon,  
and delay will seem  
like negligence.

So far as Gloffman is  
concerned, I think he will  
be better off here till  
you come, or till the  
weather is warmer,  
than at the shore.