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My Dear Ruth:

I got your letter Wednesday night when I came home.

It was good that you wrote for I was going to write the same night and ask you if you thought of going or not but now it is for me to decide.

It is hard for me to say yes or no because I don't know how I will feel Saturday to night I don't feel very good so I think we will let this picnic go, there will be a big bunch there so I think they can do with out us. You say you said us go into the ice cream parlor on 63<sup>rd</sup> and

green but I saw you get off of the  
63rd St car two blocks west of  
Madison ave but you did not see  
us.

It is now late enough to go to bed  
so I will end my short letter  
and take more Sunday when  
I see you

Your  
John.



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