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How is Diana? How much does she weigh? I think the picture you sent me is swell. I know how glad you will be when summer comes, although Diana probably likes it just as well as winter. This is one winter that I'll never forget, I think you know what I mean. Bye darling.

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