

I am so thankful  
of her of Mrs's content  
and improvement  
and so are all her  
Leite a number  
inquiring about him  
at Mrs. B. She,  
Emma, Paul, & others  
Mrs. Thompson - are with  
many more  
Yes. Not at all - and  
Thanking what you  
are doing at different  
times - till "Runny"  
I wish to  
Good bye!

button-hole making aside  
for a little chat with you  
and to rest my eyes.

I was at Mary's most of  
yesterday. and who stayed  
got her sewing finished  
but between Ida & Mrs.  
Smith I think it is a hopeless  
case. & I fear she will be  
entirely worn out. She came  
home from her trip looking  
quite fresh, and well. but  
with getting the folk of 4

Love & Dr. Perkins have done a little vacation this long

Belvidere, and many other  
surprising & worrying things  
yesterday she was so worn  
and nervous that I told  
her, and so did Aunt Ellen  
that she must give up every  
thing and try to rest. I pro-  
posed her taking some of  
Dr Goodell's pills. but she  
did not take wish it, so I  
did not insist. Really, you  
know she has been so bound  
down with the sick ones  
that she has had no time  
to attend to any thing else.

She was making plans for  
helping you, the other day  
asking what kind of a sewing  
machine you had seen.

I told her you did not want  
her to work but to rest & enjoy  
herself. & I hoped she would  
be satisfied to be idle for at  
least two weeks. - she needs it  
if any one ever did. and I  
know you will favor it also.

I begged of her not to go to  
prayer meeting last night  
for she ought to have a good  
night's sleep &c. - Edm. has  
taken her in hand - & tries  
to succeed too - generally  
to <sup>have her</sup> stop before she is quite  
worn up, but sometimes he  
don't know about it.

Mary wrote to you, I think,  
yesterday - she said she would  
have gone immediately to you,  
the day after she got from Ser.

if she had seen your letter  
the same day - but I thought  
she had enough beside to think  
of so altho' I told her about it  
she did not read it until yes-  
ter. morn. Edm was quite  
hoarse, <sup>& coughs</sup> have not heard how  
how he is, will go down after  
while. Aunt E & Uncle S. always  
send love. Aunt S said to me  
one day - "I am thinking almost  
all the time about you & the  
family. We will be sure to let  
you Mary know in time  
so that she can go with her  
Aunt - Very hurriedly  
Yours, with love to all  
the dear ones & many kisses  
to "Nanny's baby"  
Mother

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