

Dear Darling:

This is Saturday evening and our at
Louise is over. We think it was a great success. How I do wish
you had been here. Next time we have our little Loretta will
be big enough so that you will be able to come without so
much inconvenience. It was very stylish for us and the
nicest people in town were here. The table looked beautiful
and we are so much obliged for the things we had from you.
We had your lace doilie on the centre of the table with a
vase of roses upon it and all our Chubby doilies besides.
We had Emily's samovar and her serving at it. Of
course Ethel & Mamma and I staid in the parlor.
Six of my students helped at door and in dining-room.
~~My~~ ~~was~~ was in the kitchen. Every thing went off
beautifully, without any hitches.

And now for Mrs. Draper. We have concluded that
she was out with us, though nothing has been said, but
she is all right now. About noon Mrs. Draper came over
and said quite playfully that she should think if
people were interesting they would borrow some.

The leaf in table, + table pushed up beautifully
Marga's lovely vase in center with pink roses

thing from their neighbors. We didn't need anything par-
 ticularly but I immediately saw that this was a
 peace offering and I wanted to show my friendliness
 so I said yes we did, and asked her for two cut-glass
 dishes for the lemon and for sugar tongs & lemon fork
 she brought them right over so cordially and
 also quite insisted on bringing some spoons also.
 She came later dressed up and staid a long time
 at my request. She had on her new silk dress &
 new hat. Well, what do you suppose was the next
 thing that happened? When we picked up the things
 one of Mrs. Trager's spoons was gone! We have looked
every where for it and can not find it. We had
 just one conjecture - you know ~~_____~~
 trait (never mention this to any one please) and all
 we could think of was that she had - well. We
 went over and told Mrs. Trager and she was per-
 fectly lovely about it, wouldn't even hear to our
 getting another spoon. Well just now we have
 remembered that Miss Abbott took up some ten

not sent from you first but written words
 are dangerous.

coottage cheese, mayonaisse dressing, pimentoes, and olives ground together. Lots of people said they were the best things they ever ate. Besides this we had mashes, cheese crackers, tea, and candy - mixed chocolates. Do you think that was nice? About seventy-five people were asked and as it was a lovely day a large proportion of them came.

I must go to bed - had put on a thing this evening. Lots of people admired little Sweetie's pictures and her nothings quite as much. Every body thinks you look just beautiful in that picture. So many have spoken about it.

Well, I wish you'd been here.

Loveingly yours
"Miss Pop"

Saturday, April 20.

Will you please send this to Aunt?

Handwritten notes on the left margin, possibly including the name "Miss Pop" and other illegible scribbles.