

Dearest Mother

Your letter came
this morning - enclosing
jeans - I wish we had
such roses. As soon - but
we can quite nice turkey
juices - Oh but some good
now I'd love to see them
growing - I can cut
your order cotton for
your embroidery, hope you
will receive it via order &
in time.

Dearest Lady Jane, I am
not coming to see you just

now. I fear I must have
been misleading. I am
not not in circumstances
to travel much just now.
Our expenses have been
simply frugal of late -
and Carriage is —

Your letters are always such
a joy to receive. Nothing
if you only ask in them
to have me make a pencil
for you. I am such a poor
woman, I wonder if any
child ever had such a
Mother as we have.
I am going to try to answer

Some of your questions -
The Cameron baby is doing
very well - Mrs & Mrs with the
baby, & maid have just
come for a couple of weeks
at Blank Island. They
say the baby gained nearly
a pound there.

Julie Sam Chamberlain
has a daughter Margaret
a cable message came
with only the word "Margaret"
& now the family are waiting
for more word & you know
it is a long & dreary wait -
Mrs Sam expects me Oct. or

Wm. to go to Ohio, for a
visit - Alice has a job
in the Causage Library
in Port Richmond. Pedro
lives with the Sars - you
know all summer the year.

Dr Suggitt has two painted
muses all the time but
they say is very comfortable.
I think they will not be
home for some time yet.

Kate is going to how lunch
with Miss St John today
& I think Aunt S. is coming
here for the day so she will
not get lonesome - just as

I was writing this in the

lines -

I still began about today -
happy as always - It is
my name again - but it
is lovely - except for the
way you patients I love
these sunny days.

Charles may not go as
early as he intended, 5
miles goes - for Lettice
is coming here - I think, &
of course she would not at
this time come except for

Charles. he - Chas will
let aunt Clara know
as soon as he turns
himself - he would have
go for on Saturday - -
instead of Thursday, &
that is the day I wanted
him to go any way, tho'
I did not even keep him
decide what he would do.
he will write in time
or wire - also Chas will
bring out to you the rest
of your work.
Mrs Ketchum has the blue

o White - I have you made
 mm - making an edge,
 also that Mac dollies
 blanket - also I am
 having her knit a pink
 blanket for Ruth for her
 birthday - Edith is so very
 dislikeable to me that it
 makes me very sorry, even
 though I cannot help it.
 nor do I seem able to change
 conditions - Geo. & I have
 talked it over many times
 and we need I always come
 to the same conclusion -

not to let it worry us, and
to act just as though she
felt friendly - I can hardly
believe she anyway will
feel and act as she does
now - and as much as
I turn my own dejected
heart I want to do the right
thing - I always have given
her Rich birthday presents
so I will continue so to do.

For now all in Tom's
day, I'm sure I can't see
absolutely tired out people
in your life - hardly - as I
never know I've got home -

The children must be fed
almost immediately after
dinner, & I wanted to go
before - I don't know why in
all some so done up - In
the evening Mr Russell came
in with plans for enough
work for the winter to be
talked over and accepted
for. But after all in all
some we had my early.
Now I am going - Don't love
to you, & always to the family
Truly
Carlise
Dec 19th 1906

Dear Eliza, How changed
your family! Hope we will
soon hear from you, & suppose
you are busy - Tell Selden to
write and bid her say write.

such interesting letters, take after
them in manner, & what delightful
^{letters} their father used to write.

I hope you are feeling well and
strong enough for the winter campaign
Love always Mother