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Mother → Nora
Mary

then will you know how anxious I was to
hear how you was and how you got home
when you did write you did not tell me
anything but for all of that I was
very glad to get your letters

Have you got your oil consecrated yet
if not do so and how does your side feel
is it better I hope so you must use the
oil freely when you feel lame or think
you need it Do you ^{know} a certain thing now
that you said you did not know when you
was here how does house keeping agree
with you can you get along with all of
the work without making you sick

you wrote a bout some one coming over
there to stay with you a while but you did
not say who you merely said she
there are so many females a round there
that I do not know which she you
meant Have you and Will joined
a ward yet if not I think you both

stay there two more weeks than she is going to
one of them was a helper she is going to
Was it not funny to think that she had
ought to be because it is the order to do so
and then how are you to get away
mend to go in the Temple without
joining a ward I am living in hopes
of seeing you both in the Temple I
think it will be a happy day for
me then your geranium reaches two things
to the top of the window it is very nice I
will send you a flower off of it so you
can see one of your own bloomers has your
Lady Washington blossomed yet if so
what is it like mine is very pretty
the prettiest posy that I ever saw
I do not like to pick one or I would
send you one so you could see what
it looked like I will send you a
puschia to make you think of home
we have 22 colonies of bees and have
sold several or we should have had
more your dad is working most
every day on Mary's house he is
most ready for plastering the ceiling