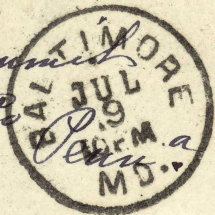


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Dearest Minnie

This time I will
not let 5 weeks go without yr,
getting even a note - as
usual I have hoped each
day to write you a letter, but
I have written exactly one
note Mrs. Han business
so far, & that was to Lou about
her coming - She arrived
last Friday, having landed
on Monday. — Yr. letter

I got Sunday² ev' and was (2)
and am so very glad
that you have decided
to come - I do not believe a
holiday, or a break in yr.
summer's work, if you
prefer to call it so, will
hurt in the long run - I
will write to Annie asking
her to come as soon as
she gets back fr. Newport -
Please write when that will
be - 1st Sept., is it not? Can
not you come on Aug. 15th
and then of course

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Stay though Mamma's visit
it - I am her nurse
I'd suit you better, of
course kill me - I hope
to kelle to supply you with
a riding-horse & we have a
fair - Kumi's - ground &
my phaeton, &c., so we can
all have open air in
abundance - & the place
is certainly lovely -

Julia sends her love & I thank
about the Antiquities, but
it has not yet been done -

④
Not having Bessie's
address, I send this
B. — All send love to
her — Tell her I shall
write her soon — It is
so nice that you are
with her —

Lovingly yours,
Mary E. S.