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Leakville

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My Dear Mauna

Your letter mailed
Hemlock Oct 1st, reached me in
due time, also the pictures
(they are considered good) I did
not write immediately as you
requested, because knew in
the mean time, you would
receive my letter, in answer
to yours, (containing the
sample for more trimming)
and explaining about
the letter, containing orders
for things to make for Mag-
how to make red-flannel
drawers, and a V. to get them
with. I do not know the
date of the letter, but was

mailed at same time with
package - I do not wonder you
were somewhat not receiving
the letter of course now you
never will, is it not too bad?
I meant by the \$10.00, the V. in
Em's letter and the bot. V.
Your birthday present was
not there mailed. It says it
will not do any good to
make any inquiry as the
letter was not registered.
Oh! well, they do not worry,
so you need not. Now I will
repeat the order, Make as soon
as possible, 2 pairs of Canton
flannel drawers ^(white) and send
by mail, as I may need
them. Cut like the pattern

of the red flannel, if Canton
flannel shrinks, if not, not
quite so full or long - a little
short on the whole pattern.
With band to button below &
around the leg (the style is
bloomer drawers) waist measure
26 inches, including the lap
band for leg 12 inches, including
lap, a little ruffle of ruffle
material on the leg band, and
I am to put on rick-rack,
now in process of making -
The red flannel you can
make at your leisure (and
send in trunk, do not send
that until I return.) They
are to have the trimming
put on, as a little is basted
and flat elastic run in the

width of the hem. If you can
match the Trimming get
enough more to finish, if not
get enough for one pair, not
too expensive, with the silk
embroidery like the other. I
do not think it is dear - Mag
cannot match it here - Do not
you make any ^{great} effort to
match it, but get other
Mag bought good Canton
flannel here for 20cts a yd.
if you can get good for
less, why do so, Also 15 yds
of glass looking, the checked,
use your own judgment
as to quality. It will send
\$5 - keep list of prices. Only
send as soon as possible

by mail, the two pairs of (5
white Canton flannel drawers -
Let other things go for the
present to get these off - The
other things will go in trunk,
you can cut tooting in yd.
lengths and hem by hand
(since Jancy work) when you
run in Mrs B's - The red
drawers are faced with muslin
around the "bum" you know
how. Think I have made this
clear - Will look for your letter,
you said you would write the
first of the week, stating why
you were in Newark. Think
news in Edith's letter of Oct 1st
will precede of some in yours
the death of Mrs Cobb - also
the scandal about one of the

Thomas' going to have a baby,
and Mr W. A. Green, and Mr
Gos B- being visitors at the
house. Edith said it was all
in the papers, did you see
it? Have you a copy? if so
do send me it. How do the
B's feel about it? Also Mr A.
told Mr G- his attentions to
Alice were very unpleasant.
But suppose you have give
me full news about all
this. I hope so, as it is a
little startling. E- wrote
Aunt E- did have such a
delightful visit. Thinks
Eun. a perfect jewel. Mag
was pleased with your letter.

Al. is so busy. if you were
here could understand why he
does not write. often speaks
of you, so as long as it is, not
he forgets you, why all is
right, he will write. He wrote
Dick some time ago. addressed
the letter 54 Marcy Ave. Denver
Colo. Did you ever? so
careless. of course the letter
was returned, he was so mad.
tore it up. But will some
time write again. He knows
what it is to move. so
many endless little things to
get to rights. They both
work and fuss all day.
Will later get more settled.
Then I write so complacently

and read parts of your letters
it seems different. One will
also receive my letter, and get
sack of materials and seed.
Will go more fully into details
of our new life in my next,
it is now late. Al has been in
bed some time sends lots of love.
A lovely letter from Jessie
Bates. Uncle Cornelius is dead
left her the biggest portion
of his money and he is
executor. Jessie is 4⁵ in the
will. Did not then know
how much her portion was.
He only had seen the will.
Captain Goodnow also is
dead. Uncle Wilson married

to a widow, with a little (9)
boy 5 years old. Write some
news. Wish I had a dead
Uncle Cornelius, they are
"lucky dogs". I am sorry to
hear One is not well, why
don't she let things go more?
Feel anxious to hear about
renting the house. Just
think, I will soon be home.
I am glad, if all was well
at home, would feel better
contented, but want to see
my "Mammy" and "Fanny" and
Gister. It is now snowing
hard, real winter, three
stores going and feel good.
Write often, you are splendid

about that. Will make sockets
~~one~~ as soon as material
arrives, will make about
\$25. will give you a
towards your wage. "Aunt
I sick" A letter from Louisa
Hunt, said "you were there,
and they stuffed peach
pot pie, and had a good
time". No winter vest for
me, if only I did not have
to leave Al. behind, he is too
lovely. Will talk and talk
when I return. Hope you
all will keep well. Lots of
love to Papa from Mary
self and all. Lovingly, Ann.
Where is Jocie?