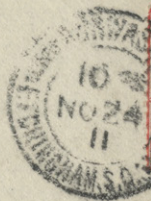


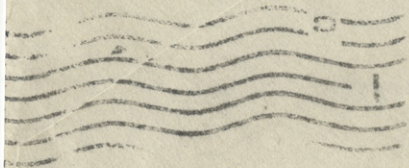
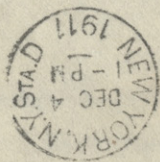
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Dearest Mela

Some day you must come
to Bateman's in the late
autumn. The country about
is so very beautiful with the
foliage and the leaves are
for the most part still on the
trees.

I was so glad of your
letter with the news of all
the family and hope Judith
will be greatly braced up

by her trip to California.

I was reading some of the
Peters letters from America
last week. You were always so
very kind to him and these
letters are full of the details
of a visit to Cold Spring -
I am well here and going tomorrow
to Hellington to see John who
comes home Dec. 19th for his
Christmas holiday.

This is but a note - to acknowledge
your delightful letter and
say I know nothing about the
enclosed. We all send our love
to you all. Affectionately Carrie

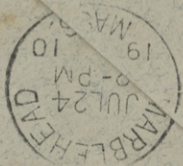
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July. 13. 1960.

Dear Lock

I have written you more than
one letter in reply to your sad
news of Julia's death; but I have
been taken up because it
seemed almost impious to write
about so good and so saintlike
a woman. It is difficult
to realize her death because
cuppled though she was, she
was so intensely alive and
interested and sympathetic
in all things. and we were
together in the last years, even
against her, that she might
really and let us see her
once more. I don't like to
think of what her loss means
to you and to all her
world that she made
better by her life

as I saw her. Her was
a more judgement and
character behind her
sweetness and good will
and enough of pure bliss
to prevent half a dozen really
good people.

For one both being glad
of the good news you give us
about the boys. I shouldn't
wonder if Abby didn't
burn out a genius in the
new world of the air that is
being opened to the next
generation. We in England are
crazy about flying and
there has been a week's
aviation meet at Bournemouth
where the young men had
been handling their fliers

in a style that no undertaker of
less a year ago. Before another three
years the Atlantic will be
crossed. Tell Abby I had an
inventor now who makes my
life a burden with an airship
that he swears will cross the
ocean in three days - or less!
As he has bitten every body in his
body at least me in his
previous experiments I presume
he knows what he is talking
about.

My people - Father & Mother -
are, I am glad to say, quite
well and have been visiting for
a week near the borders of Surrey
They stayed with us this Spring
and I think they are
better in health than I have
known them for some time.
Claire has become a large
maiden and John a good
reserved English school boy
with a taste for cricket
and - Latin!

I don't know whether this coat
will be permanent.

It would be lovely if we all
could get off to India for a while
together but I find that one is
so tied and bound by the chain
of things to England that even
my South African tips had to
be curtailed and I circulate on
the Continent in the winter. Do you
know the Spanish Pyrenees? They are
high and air and dry rock
effects like Africa: but I expect
your own California can give 'em
a beating.

Our dear love to you and Meta
to whom I cherish. Carrie is
writing and salutations to
Judith. Some of you might come
over for a few weeks now & then
Ever affectionately yours
Rud.