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My dear Gally

I have had it on my mind to write to you for some time but have had to put it off for first one reason and then another, principally because I have been too busy. First caused by having various other letters to write, and since then all the time during the day has been fully occupied with sewing, and the evenings had to be given to my family. Last week Harry and the girls persuaded me to accompany him to Washington, when he went to The Episcopal Convention. I did not like to leave either Cousin Emily or the sewing, but the girls

if you have had as much cold and rainy weather as we have had, I fear you have had an uncomfortable time of it. What has become of the Interest on the Mortgage? Did you forget that it was due, the middle of May? I shall be glad to have it as my bank account is empty.

We are very much disappointed that you did not get down to pay us the promised visit this Spring. How is Hon since your arrival at Lake George? Did she enjoy being at The Sea Shore I think it is pleasanter to be there at this season than later. Harry and the girls all join me in fond love to you, (and Cousin would also but she has gone to bed) and also to Hon. I suppose Herbert has not yet joined you. We enjoyed having him with us very much.

Your loving Sister
Mary E. Murray