

This is every thing
that I can think of
so I will have to
stop.

From your mother
E. M. Mabors.

P. S. I have opened
this letter it was
sealed to send you
some samples of wall
paper. I liked the one
you liked best and
send it back. I do
not propose to use
it unless it is my
choice also, but I
would like to get
your idea.

June 2 - 1892.

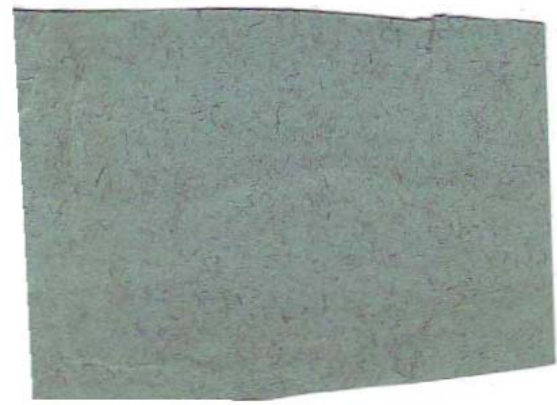
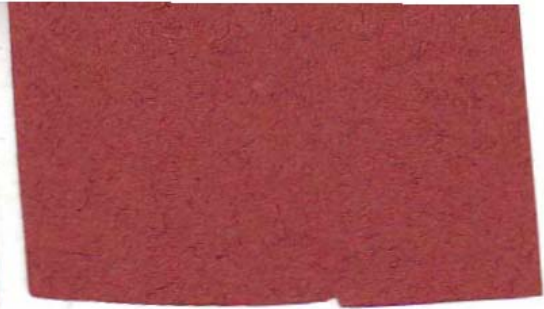
Dear Alice:

Well here we are again,

With every thing still torn up and up side
down. There seems to have been but little
progress made since I wrote you last.
Mr Woodward is still painting; he has
been in the house for a few days past
getting the wood work ready for the
grainer. He does not grain himself but
has engaged a grainer, who he says
will be here Friday or Saturday. We
are going to have Walnut. We have
had a paper hanger here to look at the
rooms; he says the ingrain paper is very
difficult to hang, and charges just twice
as much to hang it as he does the quality
that is in our dining room. I don't know
when we will get to the paper. The prospect
now is that you will have a chance

to put on some of the finishing touches after you get home. I would not care so much about it if it were not for the sewing. I can't do anything while things are in such a condition. Emma Jane is all settled; she has three new pairs of lace curtains and other fixings.

Mr Blaisdell & son are there now building side walks and fence. They will have no fence in front - only a coping. How is it about the birth day present? Are you still going to have an black India silk? The inside blinds are down cellar, and all the windows open to dry the paint - so of course the flies are just swarming all over the house. Don't you wish you were here? I see by this morning's paper that they have offered Mr Bandall the position of Principal of the Stockton High School at a salary of 3000. a year. The school here close the 24th. I paid your alumni dues some time ago. Frank is talking of going blackberrying to morrow. Fred took his girl to the theatre last night.



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Miss Alice M. Watrous
East-Berkeley.
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care S. D. Waterman

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