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Dear Mrs. Webster

I have just
returned from hearing
those beautiful words
from the Bible which
as I have said

— of the Lornies
things said about
Dance May which
were echoed by the
heart of every one.

I shall miss
you beloved
mother - though
I did not see her
nearly as often
as I should have
liked - because
I feared to
trespass on her
time and strength -
but I cherish the
memory of the
times I spent with

her - & with your
father too, who was
also as dear and
inspiring in his
personality.

You and I have
been extraordinarily
blest in our
parents, father
& mother both,
have we not!
Dance may have
had a wonderful
life of success &

of achievement in
every place —
such a victorious
career — & more
more victorious
than in the closing
year.

She was a
completely proud
& happy mother —
& that seems to be
after all the
chiefest joy of a
woman who has
married & had
a family. So

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nothing was missing

in her life - success
in the career of her

choice, an ideal
marriage, all that

she could have

hoped for in motherhood,

& many devoted

friends, victory over

the snares, temptation

& trials of life —

+ 2 course royal

acquaintance of her

public service. And

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I think she would
have added - a
part in the movement
for women's
suffrage.

I am so happy
to think that she
was with my
own mother
in that campaign
and that they
both lived to see

its triumph.

Lately I noticed
that dear Ma
may was troubled
by some of the things
that are happening
in the world. These
are hard times
for sensitive &
kind people to
live in. And
how kind she
was - so willing
always to help

causes & people
She was a darling
& sympathetic
with you as much
in such a present
too - even though
I believe that the
best is yet to be
& that these sorrows
& partings are but
for a little, while
& the world's ills
are destined to have
a glorious happy
end. sincerely yours
Abraham Paulsen