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My dear Mother,

As Ms. Perkins was going to Utica, although I have written as recently, I thought I would write a few more lines by so good an opportunity. I also send you a sermon preached the Sunday after Miss Dwight's death, by the Rev. Samuel Fisher. I have written a letter to Cornelia & Julia, are in it have copied that little sonnet dedicated to me on my birth-day. I told them to let you see it. In your last letter you promise me a pin, if you get one please do get it with a purple stone & deep heavy setting, those are most fashionable, don't get one with a glass in, for they are not fashionable at all. I have only time to say please don't have any of my dresses made (but my loose one) until I come home. Write soon & tell me all the news. Your affectionate daughter, Sarah

I can get my spring dress here & have it cut here.