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Kinty Cross
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June 15th

Darling. I have rec'd your dear
lovely note & thank you from my
heart. you are so sweet & thought-
ful & good. I am so pleased that
you are enjoying England in spite
of the bad weather - which has
indeed been pitiable for you & my
mum. I cannot know when it will
stop raining - here - it is one perpetual
drizzle alternated with the most
awful wind & rain. I am almost
discouraged - though to be sure I
have so very much to do in the
house that I have little time for
my troubles with the rain & wind.



Shu as it makes me more know
mad my passage. I sent in town
Yesterday to learn when the Fields
were to here & find they are arrived
so we are off in to town (six miles)
to see them. I have secured rooms
for you at Mr. Bloodpeth Duke St
so you will find them when you
arrive. It is an American boarding
house & the Cat man will know
it very well. I sent in town to
make sure of them - but today
I will see about them. Ma will
be down on Saturday night. I
will come to you tomorrow ^{as} soon
as I can. I say you will hear

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Manchester as 18 - miles you find
some special attraction. You must
send for your father, friend as soon
as you arrive & he will see that
you see all that is to be seen in
Manchester. A Cotton Spinning
factory is the first sight of Manchester
& Houldsworth. Embroidery factory
very well worth seeing.

I send this to Mr. Quenn. So
you may be sure to get something
from me - & as you told me in
your note the Thursday that
you should send to the post
I shall just send you line
there only to say "there is a note

In the Queen - so if you
in this first. you need say
for the other. because there will be
nothing in it. I am so hurried
& surrounded by talkers to say more
than this - that I love you dearly
very tenderly - for my dear Mr.
shall wander on England with
me - you shall see all these places
in their beauty with me - if you will
but I must go to California & for
some more money first. I am
your most devoted acquaintance -
would I were the warmest of the
brother to Miss Whitcomb & Mary
& now God bless my darling. Ever
your am I the fondly loving
Annie Lavin.