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My dear Mr. Blakey – To begin where you and I left off – too bad we didn't have a livelier sermon! – The atmosphere of the cathedral is always fine simple and substantial though – I had an invitation to go riding that afternoon and thought of you taking the air at the same time, although in a different kind of vehicle and at a different rate – of speed I suppose. Anyway,

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it was a perfect day and we have had many of them since. Yesterday afternoon (likewise a Sunday) Miss Stowe and I took the 3:15 boat to Nantucket and returned on the 6:47 – a great crowd, but a good natured and orderly one, and earlier it was not the way Celia [Marleen?] herself had spent the Sabbath, it was quiet on the beach for the most part.

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Extra boats were sent out May 30th and the steamers are running to Plymouth and Provincetown – both fine day trips I hear – Nahant, [Bass?][illegible] are also attentive – have had a dandy fish dinner. There several years ago, the memory of which still stays by me – We were bit early in our pleasure seeking – but Nantucket was a mighty-good trip all right. As for "reminiscing"

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<u>I</u>never promised to, you know. One of my strong points is keeping a secret; I saw Joan Sawyer and her [illegible] garden – at the Shubert Friday night. She ran a garden for dancing in NY and enjoyed considerable fame. I [illegible] have never really seen the modern dances [illegible] Tango, Aeroplane waltz etc done and so was interested. She was very

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graceful and refined but I must say I don't think more dances are adapted to general ball room practice. There was a mere handful of spectators – nothing bizarre and extreme enough I suppose. Good luck to you with your papers. Enjoyed our little talk and visit together much and those steamed clams!

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I've decided to have some more at the earliest opportunity. I have been in town all the afternoon trying to match a peculiar shade of pink. If you like shopping, you would have reveled in it. I only got crosser and crosser until I came upon a clerk in [Hosey's?] – a man [too much?] with

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a well nigh perfect eye for color, and the artistic sense of a born dressmaker. I could have embraced him on the spot, he was such a welcome friend. I wonder if [Hosey's?] knows they have him. Meyer Jonass and Shepherds have filed notice of their intention to close all day Sat. during July and August,

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It is humane of them - especially, praise worthy as some of the other stores are not going to do so. I think that Industrial Commission is a great thing – I shall be anxious to hear all about it. Won't be quite like fishing and canoeing in White Plains but I'll bet you'll get a lot out of it and no one knows what it may lead to – and after all – Romance as the vision of the possibilities of things is not such a bad definition.

Truly yours, Jane Perkins