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My dear Mrs. Gordon

Again I am almost com-
pelled to draw upon your kindness for
assistance, About a week since my eldest
girl gave birth to an infant. It would not
nurse at first and her milk coming very
flush it is sucking & I am exceedingly
uneasy for fear her breasts will rise.

If you have a breast-pump or pisal &
will lend it. I will consider it a great
favor and pray you any-thing you
may ask with pleasure. If you have none
can you inform me if any one who has?

^{my} The little drawer you sent were very acceptable
indeed & will be quite an assistant - in make-
ing some for my baby. We have all been in too
much trouble for the last week or two to think
of any thing. My Sister & baby are both
improving & I am able to sit up in bed.

I suppose Mrs. G. is with

you now. I wish you much joy in your
happiness & hope he may remain some time
with you. Oh! that this heart rending war
would cease that our friends might return
to home and us no more.

My respects to Mr. G. Love to your
self & Sister. Your affectionate friend

Emma J. Knapp

Rose Hill Nov. 12th / 1863

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Emma J. Knapp