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Answered by AH.

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Dear Miss Pankhurst,

I read with great interest the birth of your baby son, I think you are just wonderful in letting the world know as you have done. There are millions of people ready to look down upon & condemn an unmarried mother, but after all it is a beautiful sin if one at all. I have a baby son 10 months old & I am unmarried, my baby's father left me to face it all alone, I have never regained my proper health since having baby as being only a working girl I have had to work hard & deny myself things in order that my baby wouldn't go short, he is at present in a nursing home suffering from Bronchial Pneumonia & I thought on several occasions I was going to lose him, but thank God he is pulling round now. I envy you being in the position to be able to keep your baby with you, I have to leave mine for

someone else to attend you during the day & it is most likely I shall have to put him into an institution for a few years as I am not in the position to keep him as I should like to do.

Wishing you & your baby son every prosperity.

from an unmarried Mother

Annie Mockett.

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