

Please tell Mr Geo. that my brother is quite to my taste & I shall  
own them all about

My Thackeray's thoughts  
in many things

such lots of space  
give to many  
pleasant

to  
will it  
with  
Horseshoe  
as Prank  
W. D. Bay  
Mackay

117, Bloor St.  
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My dear Mrs. Dawson

I cannot allow the  
Mail to be postpaid with-  
out expressing how deeply  
I feel to you & Dr. Dawson  
for the kindness received  
under your hospitable  
roof & the kind attention  
of your dear family. I do  
hope you were not  
suffered from the fatigue you

Had? we followed you as  
long as our eyes could, & then  
in heart when service  
ceased, - you dear son  
has been such a comfort  
to us indeed & splendid  
with dear Ellen & company  
I quite happy in her  
presence. She is a  
sweet girl & there are  
so many nice young  
people on board & she will  
not be allowed to leave  
the ship by land, & all at  
present looks bright & our  
society lies with him when  
calm over the sea by

the least; since needs to  
add a line or so I can  
not so accept of love &  
gratitude all the Dear  
I offer My kindest regards to  
Aunt & Dawson & your boys  
& accept of this your  
friend from your attached  
Practising

Dear Mrs. Dawson

As this pleasant  
floating home, is bearing us  
away from dear Canada, I want  
to send you at least a few words of  
farewell. I gave Anna all the news  
I could about Eva, who is well & happy  
to far. We are very grateful to you for  
giving us so pleasant addition to our  
little home circle. I only hope we shall be able  
to make her feel as completely one of us, as I

felt one of your household. I did so  
enjoy being with you all. The Mountain  
& the drives & the Island were all  
charming & form bright pictures on memory  
walls; but what I liked most of all  
was being with you at home & joining  
in all your fun & your pleasant ways.  
Thank you all ever so much for all your  
kindness, which was so much more delightful  
because you made me feel you liked & home  
me to be kind to me. We have just returned  
from Kettle drum in the Capt's Cabin, it  
was a nautical Kettle drum, the Capt. sang  
1<sup>st</sup> songs & then hymns & a lady & gentlemen  
sang hymns as duets. Tonight W. Miller  
believes gives a bible-reading at 8 o'clock,  
& Major Whittle addresses the men at  
7 o'clock. So you see that time is  
not likely to hang heavy on our hands.

What a pleasant 10 days we are  
going to have, Eva & I are just going  
to have a walk to keep up off sea-sickness  
according to the advice of a celebrated  
Montreal "Physician to be". We shall  
soon be so busy & at home here, that  
I don't believe we won't find any more  
 spare time for letter writing, so it is well to  
make the most of the last mail. Please  
Remember me kindly to all my friends outside  
the house, & the nearest approach to affectionately  
that those within all accept with warm love & gratefully from  
yours very affectionately Jane