

Baby Will's illness
Rankine's marriage

Little Metis
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Dearest Mother,
you will be
glad to see that we are
at last at Metis. I asked
Eva to forward a letter
I sent to you, & which
gave a brief account of
the unfolding of our plans.
I just had to stay quietly
in town till I was let
go - Bernard came home
on Tuesday 17th after
which Dr Stirling examined
Baby's eyes at the request of
the other doctors, but did
find absolutely nothing
wrong - The doctors had
abandoned the theory
as to the child's attacks
& I really don't think they
know or will know ex-
actly what is wrong, till
the sequel shows - but
since the fall night account

for it; another thought not
meanwhile the child looks
well & eats & sleeps well
& the only trace of anything
unusual is a little ex-
citability. The parrot thing
is not knowing whether
he may not have a further
seizure. We do not leave
him alone asleep or awake.
Each ^{day} he goes on well, as
far as gain. B. expects
to go back after spending
Sunday with us, but a
telegram from Mrs Taylor
gives him two or 3 days
more grace. It certainly
is rather hard to have
him go - but it can't be
helped. Everything went
well with the party on
their tour, they saw every-
thing & every body they
wished to. I missed
nothing. Mr M. D. was
most happy & thought-
ful & kind, & is anxious
to have the work hurried
on. & B. thinks he & Taylor
will have at least 3 weeks

work upon the civil service.

I was born Peter recounts to me
to England with a brother, I wife
I was arrived travelling with the
boys, after a hard journey, the
left by boat - last night - I observing the
electric discharge at 10 P. making the
chief not arrive here at about 10
& the weather cold & foggy - the first
arrived at about our hair later having
only left by the morning's train
only to be again I hardly over all the

College - discuss as to know how
much of the has over the whole
thing, & give a statement of it
could to an amount - not at all than

you had expected - but 4 - says it
is all unaccountable - but I that brother
can be disappointed by ^{what} the \$1, 25 a day
I ordinarily laborers, ~~been~~ getting the
same all spring - I fear several
things will not be quite so good
but I have never heard of
go over your memorandum -

The edge of the way, I. The answer
begins - to the cottage - give it a very
good air - M. looks very much
pleas'd than Miss French's fine new
cottage - I wish in our house or
make much of grief - but even my
in well as less - but Mr. French says
his money is not nearly all taken
I that there is no need for but this year
and Carn - Wilson's lady is sick

the last-day of May I
expect to be down this
week; the baby is still
more surprising than
Martin McDermott, & the
new English nurse dresses
entirely in white, I declared
to take the baby out un-
less dressed to match, at
least so I am told.

Wednesday
your cable arrived
yesterday, & we are ob-
ligated to hear that the
wedding is safely over, &
hope that you are now the
cause of all the excitement.
It does seem to me shabby
of B. to object to a wedding
when she had her dress
all prepared. However
one does not know all,
but I hope it did not give
you further trouble about your

clothes. I fear your house
will not come in.

There have been two
cable notices about the
wedding in the Star one
I enclose, the other was a
longer report. Miss Flamm
has it in possession, & I
doubt if we can get one
when we return to town.

We shall find the
time long till we hear all
about it. I have your
friend's grounds, & her
friends, & relations, I have
Frankie is come to his
better self, what a blessing
for him to be able to let
his rest instead of trying
to hide his better self.

People begin to glow in
here - Mrs Forbes gave Har
a very sad account of Mrs
Peterson as far as I can
make out they have at
least discovered the cause
of her sleeplessness, some
mutual trouble causing

previews on the case of the price. No
giving a grace further, this is not
the interest taken in her present state
I she has been real - me to a ^{sanctioning}
a reserve in charge - I Dr Attorney on the
same side in the hope that she may
revert - sufficiently to undergo the
alone - I think his father tells a long
story, she I got it second hand - but
was - much far ahead, but is - very
very real -

It seems as if never
we get it the end of this - But I can
think just in his hands got as expected
I predict, she had 82-02 in the market
before I the two others counted together
March 1st 82.05 - or both banks second.

well - she has been just - & out of the by
terms - Rachel Lee, acquainted in the snow
I was both was very upset by having
attack & the confusion attending it.

Conrad has done very well for
only has the winter, gets towards the
suburban in the early part of winter
& Georg - & his promotion with the army
A - James - Bernard is to go on the
uniforms in reading during the sum-
mer - with love to Sophia & her &
the young ones -

Anna