

Little Metis

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Dearest George,

I do wish that you
were down here with us all.
It is ever so nice to have a
boat for the bay here is calm
enough to go out nearly every
day & I think boating is the
nicest of all the seaside
amusements. There are
ever so many people here
this summer, if the place
goes on increasing much
more it will soon be as

bad as Sacouena. When we
were at the hotel here last year
there were only thirty people
at the most & this year there
are eighty. Last week two
families came down expecting
to get rooms but after finding
that even the passages were
all occupied they had to return
to town. It must be very expensive
to come all the way for nothing.

Our house down here is very
nice indeed. I must admit
that it is most peculiar out
side for the roof at the end

if the house extends over
the gallery to shelter it. This
is very nice when you are
on the gallery but from the
road it gives the house the
appearance of being top heavy.

I am afraid that I don't quite
appreciate the house because
I was at the hotel last year.

Certainly I think that hotel
life in the summer very nice
perhaps if I was at the hotel
among all the crowd I would
not like it though I think
I would for I always think
"The more the merrier".

There is going to be a concert
in the church next Thursday
evening. It is to be performed
by the ladies & gentlemen
staying here so I must not
say anything against it
although I should not fancy
that it would be a great
success.

I am afraid I will have
to stop now as I am going
to see Baby Major.

With much love

Your sister

Lucy