

ECERTON PARK,
ROCK FERRY,
CHESHIRE.

Dearest George

Your last letter was
very pleasant to me. I was so
glad to hear that you liked
Flo. & thought he fit to lead
in R.'s affairs. I need not say how
fully I agree with you in the
hope that he will soon see
the benefit & necessity of settling
work. I suppose that before now
you have heard of papa's decision
to stay till after the meeting of the B. Ass.

Personally I ~~was~~ much have pre-
 ferred to return as originally
 intended at the end of this month,
 & had a useful few weeks at Inver-
 & as it now appears in the light
 of the early arrival of Ernie's hay it
~~was~~ have been a nice length per-
 aus bidit, as it is now rather
 difficult to dispose of all the time
 we have to fill in. When this event
 unexpectedly occurred. I was at Kilmuir
 & of father at Stirling & when we
 returned last Sunday it had been
 arranged that we should stay with
~~Miss~~ Mrs. Atkin. probably till the

the end of next week, & then
 we have promised to visit
 the Crosses for about a week. After
 that, should ever go on week, I wish
 very much to go to some quiet place
 to rest & have ever join us as
 soon as it is safe for her & the
 baby to travel. This week prepare us
 for the night. I also advocate staying
 in Liverpool during the night & as
 the date of our sailing comes two
 days after they are over, not again
 to change our quarters, but only to
 pay short formal visits. Without
inconvenience? I was so glad to
 see from your letter to papa, received

today than you were going to
 Nara Scotia & perhaps to pay a
 passing visit to Anna. I have
 no prospect of going to Scotland. Papa
 is revising some of his books & writing
 articles & does not mean to go anywhere
 there ~~that~~ will prevent his having a private
 room to himself. Mr. Kemp is off to
 Australia. Emma is at Lunenburg & will
 have liked to come to Rack. Mary to
 see us, but circumstances made that
 unsuitable. I do wish we were
 quite well altho' I shd be glad to move
 at rest. I spend my morn'g at Es. P. M. driv-
 ing - or at tea or dinner. No time for writing
 unless taken for rest. With all kindest
 love & good wishes from
 Mother