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My dear Mrs. Black,

The month has again passed, and it is time for me to write and welcome you a draft which I do with much pleasure. By this time I suppose Miss J. Lloyd is with you. Mrs. Burrows told me she had a note from Mrs. Dickinson and so far all was well. I do hope the voyage has done Miss Lloyd good as before she left she was not well. Mrs. Norton (Emily Stephens) account by the "Tropic", "She is looking better than when she left for England, but still looks delicate, she will remain with me for a few weeks

his children, and hopes this may lead to something — of course he is still in the C. M. B. —

Ethel still takes painting & singing lessons, and is getting on well with both, she will I think have a powerful voice —

I don't know what is the matter with me, but I simply can't write enough, I am perfectly hopeless.

I hope you managed to see the change to the mountains for a few weeks, to send the best of Perkins. Sam Good on Easter is nearly run, yesterday has most of Phoenix. I dread the summer. he has had a mild winter, with many cold days, and very little rain.

Lucy Brown is to be married in about a fortnight & Mr Saunders (Rachel Brown) has a little daughter at which they are all pleased - Mr G. Buckler continues the same. How are you all? - Will Doris go in for any thing this Term?

George goes up for his Little Sense Exam next year. He has fallen very hard up for two days bitter Exercises

My letter was on getting on wonderfully remarkably together

Love & with fond love to Dorothy

Ever lovingly yours

H. Wheatley

then go to East London to see Mother for a short time, then try and get some teaching to do.
You will be sorry to hear Mr. Tilsley has resigned the Bank, and is likely to go to Basutoland. I feel very sorry for Fley. I have told her to come down here, it is better than remaining in Pretoria with Charyes. Their little boy has been very ill with Pneumonia, and telling at the same time, the Dr says he is a very delicate child, and will require much care, and good nursing.
Mr. Scott has got an appointment at Robben Island for three months to get things in order, he has charge of the Police & Convict department. He is most anxious to get an appointment there here permanently, as he sees