Monday
Sept. 25th 1888.

My dear Mrs. Steele.

The 26th will be here tomorrow, so I shall write this evening. and tomorrow will enclose the draft, which I have made please sign & return.

You ask if George is growing well, he is five feet four inches in height, I got him an Eaton suit for back, and he looks very well in it, it just suits his figure.

When next I go into town I shall go and call on Miss Waterston, I want to hear all about Miss Lloyd as they were staying at the same boarding house. How fortunate Miss Waterston has been in her examinations

I called on (Monday) Mrs. Dugent. She looked happy, and hopes to join her husband about the beginning of the year. Mrs. Dugent's sister has come out to stay with the Rutherfords for six months, for her health. Mr. Rutherford has given up business, he tried to get some agency, but can't manage it. Last week I called on Mrs. Fuller. She made so many enquiries about Geneva and the children.

Poor Mrs. Pilkington is never well now-a-days. I do all I can for her, but she is in constant pain, and Asthma troubling her as well.

I do hope you have had better news of your sister. Mrs. Garden I often think of her and the poor little baby. I believe Mrs. McLeod

is going to remain in Port Elizabeth. She was in Cape Town when the Telegram came saying he was very ill, she got home a few hours before his death.

How delightful for your girls going for a visit to Kenny that is where their favorite Aunt lives; is it not? How will Doris like going away from home, she will miss you all very much. Your description of the scenery and people where you are at present, makes one long to see it yourself.

All being well Guy is to be married the last week in November, the day is not fixed yet - The more I see of Kate Vaughan the better I like him. You will be sorry to hear I have only had three boarders for the last two months - Two more are

Coming thro' Middle of Sept. I suppose when the Fever weather sets in I shall get home, at least I hope so —

I can't think of any news to tell you —

Kindest remembrances to the Girls, and love for yourself & children —

Affectionately Your
W. H. Vaughan

P.S. Tell your kindly give the enclosed note to Edith from Clay.