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11th May 193

Monday
20th Feb 1893.

My dear Mr. Bleek,

Just a few lines in answer to your post card which I received last week.

You will be sorry to hear dear little Ted continues very ill, he just seems to be wasting away; it is a great trial to us all, & poor Ella does not get much rest at night. She sent her to Stellenbosch with him to see what change would do, but he got home, today she has gone to Muizenberg perhaps that may do him good Kelly's hands feet and legs are

I have not seen Mrs J. Lloyd lately, I am rising her a visit to-morrow. I have been busy, it seems as if I cant get out. Mr & Mrs Rutherford have now been with me a month, they make themselves most agreeable to my me in the house, they have let their house to Military people for three months, and if they wish can have it for longer. Mr. Rutherford would like a small cottage — The municipal rates this year are £7 18" 3, I have not yet heard what the S.C. rates are yet, but when they are I will send Fuller forward receipts

very much pleased.
Edith's boy seems to be a jolly little
fellow, very healthy and full of
mischief, she says he is very in-
-telligent and quite a companion
to her, when her husband is away.
His young German lady has called
on me, with a note from Mrs.
but I know she has arrived, she
is teaching at the Rheinals, and has
introduction to the Vice Consul, the
one I mean came out in the
same boat with Mrs Stewart.
I have not much her yet.
Should Mrs Young lady call
I will try & make her happy
and show her what is to be seen

I can sympathize with you
your servant being ill. It
is very hard to be short handed
my boy is leaving at the end
of the month & I can't get
to have a Danish boy in
his stead — I do dislike changing
servants —

I have Mr Tyrrell staying
with me, he seems rather a
nice young fellow, has been two
years in England & foreign
countries.

Please remember me kindly
to your daughters & with love
to yourself believe me
Ever sincerely yours
H. Bennett