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My own darling Auntie,  
How sorry I was  
when at Mamma's yes-  
terday, to hear of dear  
Anna's serious illness.  
What an anxious time  
you must have had,  
I how thankful you  
will be that she is  
now recovering. I do  
trust dear Auntie  
that our Father will

soon restore her to  
perfect health & strength  
I do so hope you won't  
lay yourself up, with  
all the fatigue you must  
have had. Do be most  
careful Auntie darling  
as you must not forget  
you know, that you  
are equally precious to  
all your loved ones.

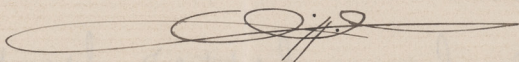
I think one is very apt  
to lose sight of self  
entirely, when anxiously



watching over some dear  
one, the mind seems to  
be so intently fixed on  
the one object. I must  
not take time to write  
a long letter, but I felt  
I must send just a line  
to tell you how I sym-  
pathize with you, how  
much I love you, my  
own dear precious Auntie!  
I am longing so to hear  
from George, whether  
he is still at home,

all about you, now  
with fondest love to  
dear Anna & all of you  
your most affectionate niece

Ella.



I shall enclose my  
photo for you.

I found Mamma very  
poorly yesterday, confined to bed  
with a bilious attack, but hope  
she will be better today when  
I go. O.P.K.