

From Bernardo's sister
Charlotte - who is not
well, -

Probably 1874

Is this a family crest

H. Andrews.

April 22nd

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My dear Bernice

Papa had a letter
from Aunt Harriet - last
night - telling him about
the state of her affairs
and she spoke of Mr.
Billings wanting and
proposing to purchase
the Dr's specimens
for some institution.
I think she means the
Survey but Papa wanted
me to let you know
in case you cared

about getting them
& he ^(Mr. B.) was negotiating
"unbeknownst" to you.

I wanted to ask you
a favour on my own
hook, & it is whether
you would mind
(that is if you have
any time) offering to
attend to my little
thing for Miss Hill.
You know they have
no gentleman to depend
upon except Mr
George Festingham.
If I could have seen
him towa I might be

Some ways have asked
them but as I'm not
on hand would you
mind offering - They
have been such kind
friends to all of us, &
Miss Hill is so grateful
that I would be glad
if you could do anything.

I suppose you are
invited to the wedding
on the 27th I take
that for granted -

There is no news since
Lama's birth - I keep
about the same, on
my sofa, where

The Dr says I will
be for sometime yet -
I can work and read
so the time doesn't
seem very long - I hope
you will be able to
give us a call the
first of boating - then
that will be seems very
uncertain, this cold has
seems trying after that
warm days - the north
froz over again down
at Wales - Excuse
scribbling and with love
in which all join
Believe me yours affly
Sister Charlotte.