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My dear Chattie

Only a line to say how glad we shall be to have you with us for two or three days, as much longer too as you can possibly stay I have to write to Emma Truran and to Anna Osler and the word Brevity must be stamped on all. No one from Ave. St. yesterday, so no outside news, I expect Hal and Ellie are settling down on Spadina Ave. and we may see them probably this evening to report progress you will have to call on them of course.

If Ellie returned yesterday she may be in to tell us all about Staplehurst doings, you've had lovely weather so far for the apple picking and I hope you have a good crop. BB came over one day and I hope he is steadily gaining strength. I can never be half enough thankful that he has such a wife to care for him.

Nellie is meditating a tea for the little ones next week--you have no "little ones" now never theless I wish M. and N. could be down to superintend at table and the Noan will not be there to dictate what should be or not be.

Fannie Banks looked in on Tuesday Uncle had been very poorly on Sunday but seemed all right again he takes much interest in the house building at Eglinton, they have benefitted by the continued fine weather and it may be ready for them by the end of the month. I dare say Ethel keeps you well up in her New York ways and doings I dare say she is getting to like the city life better and it must be a great matter of joy that Isabel and Miss Cochran are not far from her.

Nellie had a note from Amy this morning--Staplehurst, to say nothing of its inmates must miss her sadly, but then others have the benefit of her--

Nellie will most likely go down to Gordons wedding as Edmd. specially wishes it--he has been away for nearly a fortnight, I hope he may have seen Frank at Nelson. W. A. meetings are on hand today and Miss B has come to take charge of the Lunatic. Bring your pockets full of Dundas parish news use the enclosed for Mrs. R.

Yours lovingly
E. Osler

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