

Wereroa House

Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1924

Dear Phyllis

I do hope by this time that June is better. Poor little kid damn so sorry for her & for you & not one of us near enough to come & see how you are but keep your pecker up I hope for the best - I pray for the best too. There is always that left when there is no other help. I feel that she is going to get better. I remember the fight we had for Iris & she got round again when I never thought she would. I'm glad you are feeling a bit better yourself. Goodness knows you need to with all you have had to face lately. You must eat even if you don't feel to want it. I paid for that Mamakua property last Tuesday so Trevor can take possession now as soon as he can get in. (That would be Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>.) I left the lawyer to fix up with the owner & so far as I know there wasn't any trouble at all. Of course it is hard to say just when you can go there but if Trevor is in it he can get it comfortable for you by the time you want it. If there is anything else I can do for you that you really need you must tell me for one thing you must insure your house. I don't

Know if there is a policy on it or not. Mabel  
wrote a few days ago to say Sheila had measles & she  
hoped the other two would have them soon & get them  
over & done. Janey Jack Milne has had them & been  
pretty bad but better again. The Fuchsia slips  
you sent are growing & two are showing small  
buds so perhaps I shant have to wait so very long  
to see the flowers. They are looking very healthy.  
Jessie is better again. Annie Webber is here at  
present. came Friday afternoon & goes onto  
Wellington tomorrow afternoon. I dont see much  
difference on her since last I saw her. I dont  
think there is much news. The Choral Society give  
The Messiah on Thursday night. The soloists  
are Mrs Woodward Miss Caldwell & two Gentlemen  
I forget their names also the Palmerston Orchestral  
Society are helping. so we should have some  
music that night. the biggest thing in music  
ever given in Levin. Well there is no more news.  
We are all pretty fair. Cheer up & I do hope  
the dear little children soon get alright again.  
Lots of Love from your loving Mother  
Christina Frouse.

Cuffy wants me to tell you she passed her  
music exam with 80 marks out of 100  
school pass. 7<sup>th</sup> in a class of 54. Marks 276