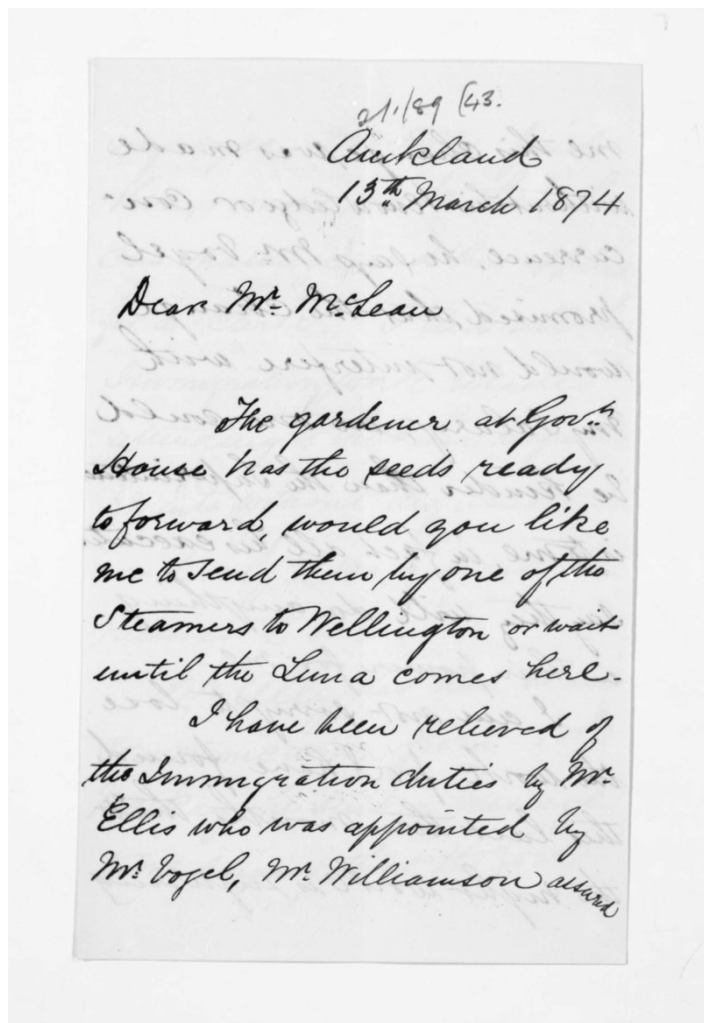


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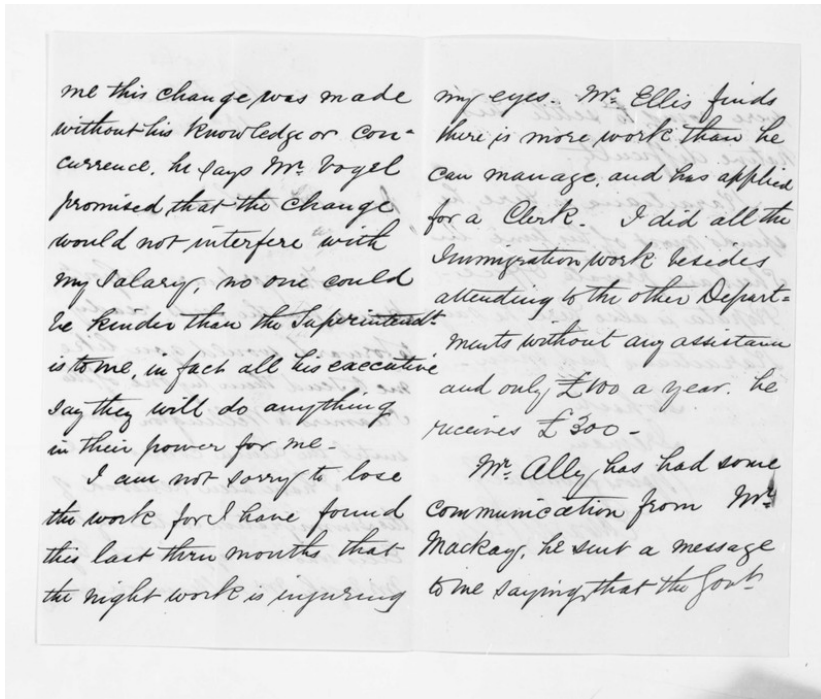
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Dear Mr. McLean

The gardener at Gov^{ts}
House has the seeds ready
to forward, would you like
me to send them by one of the
Steamers to Wellington or wait
until the Luna comes here.

I have been relieved of
the Immigration duties by Mr.
Ellis who was appointed by
Mr. Vogel, Mr. Williamson assns

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me this change was made
without his knowledge or con-
currence. he says Mr Vogel
promised that the change
would not interfere with
my salary, no one could
be kinder than the Superintendent
is to me, in fact all his executive
say they will do anything
in their power for me.

I am not sorry to lose
the work for I have found
this last three months that
the night work is injuring
my eyes. Mr Ellis finds
there is more work than he
can manage, and has applied
for a Clerk. I did all the
Immigration work besides
attending to the other Depart-
ments without any assistance
and only £100 a year. he
receives £200 -

Mr Alley has had some
communication from Mr
Mackay, he sent a message
to me saying that the Govt

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were going to settle his
native difficulty.

Karaitiana is here, he
spends most of his time in
Sheehans private Office -
Popata is also here, he says
Karaitiana bad man -

In haste

I remain

Yours faithfully
Edward Lister Green