

Moorea

5th Nov' 1903

My dear Spencer

I have not had a
line from you - except a
note in Adclands - for weeks
& I am a little uneasy
I hope there is nothing wrong
with you -

It is finally settled that
I go to Adclands on the 10th
or 11th & Poulton is to operate
on the 12th Since my return
here my life has been a
memory to me & much as
I fear the anaesthetic I shall
face it cheerfully. The

Running about in Town & the
excitement made me even worse
than I was before

Jordin left for Adelaide on
Monday & is now in
fairly friendly hands

My Wife is now quite
strong again so that I am
quite safe in leaving home
My Dr. reckons it will take
me a month to recover & says
it would be very risky to
return here earlier. I shall find
time long however I'm afraid

Will drop you a line from
the Hospital as soon as I
am fit to wield a pen
I thank you

Yrs Ever

J. J.