

Knowles' Condenser  
Norseman Road  
20.7.96

My Dearest Cis,

Just a line to let you know that I am (----) away to Norseman in company with Mr Thompson (Manager of Burns, Philp & Co Business). I intended to write to you from Norseman but owing to the heavy roads we have not made very good progress and are two days behind time, consequently I would have missed the mail which has just driven up here (106 miles from Esperance) on its way to the Port and I am going to take advantage of it & send my little girl a line to let her know I am still in the land of the living.

We expect to reach the Norseman tomorrow. After spending a couple of days, that is if I can complete my business in that time, we return to Esperance. Where I hope to be able to write a nice long letter. Dearest I have had a lot of worry lately but will tell you all about it soon.

Now kindly give my love to all & excuse this scrawl as I am writing as fast as ever I can. With Love & a big kiss from

Yours only  
Ray

P.S. What do you think of this rhyme I cut out of a paper last night. Ray