

the nerve to suggest to Council
to let him come to Paris for
8 to 12 months afterwards go
to America & get a wife.
return then & begin work in
earnest. That's what he ought
to do. however I'm not boss.

Dear heart there are many
problems, God must undertake.

or me perish. I love him
this afternoon a desire only
to live for him. Did I tell you
in my last letter, honestly I grieve
that the Wilsons arrived here the
13th we sail from Bordeaux the
30th March, arrive at the Coast
the 14th April & then on inland
will write you D. V. all along the
way. I have been busy helping
them to shop, but we are all
ready, leaving Paris the 25th,
& having a few days ~~anywhere~~
to look after baggage etc
Will close with my ~~best love & prayer~~
~~most love & prayer~~

15 Rue Bréa
Paris.
21/3/1926.

My very own Clara:—

Unto him who
hath redeemed us by his own
precious blood, be honour &
glory. Received your loving
letter of — a few days
ago, and will write a few
words in answer, yes,
Loiselle has written me, I was
troubled when you wrote &
said they had left Sharps,
as I didn't or couldn't understand
why: however, it is for the
best, as they have put God
first in their home life
and in their lives as far
as possible God cares for

His own. Such is life with its vicissitudes.
Your dream made me smile, never mind,
dear heart, if you had been near
enough to see me, we should have
found a place somewhere to speak
face to face, as I still love my girl.
provided she still desires it to be so,
The marriage question troubles more
than you I believe, but I tell you
frankly dearie that I have no desire
& no intention by His help & grace
to get married out of the will of the
Lord. It has happened time & again on
the mission field & who can tell
under the conditions at Uragadongo,
a thousand times No & I ask
you to pray earnestly that God will
undertake & keep me in the centre
of His will. If I can possibly
get a way out I am not going
to stay at Urag. the worst of it is
Shier don't speak French & at
Urag that is the thing the
most necessary. I wish I had