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Notes Letter contains a paragraph, p. 60, on plants seen around Simon's Bay and a ~~desse~~ description of the state in which the English left the famous garden of the Dutch South Africa Company.

Plants seen: many species of protea, many ericas, some of which did not exist in Europe, Gnidias, Diosma, Philicas and Penaeas. Trees seen around dwellings such as chestnut, pine and poplar were cultivated. and not indigenous.

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