

10 ~~MAYFIELD GARDENS~~
EDINBURGH

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Dear Mrs Harrington

I have just received
the Montreal Gazette, with
its notice of the great & sor-
rowful bereavement under
which you and your family
are suffering. I beg to
assure you of my very deep
& sincere sympathy. I
well remember my pleasant
intercourse with Dr. Har-
rington & yourself at Netis.

and he seemed then in
excellent health & likely to
be long spared to carry on
his important work. But
He in whose hands our breath
is, & whose are all our ways,
has been pleased to order
it otherwise; & we know
that He can make all
things to work together for
our highest good.

Being afflicted at
the present moment in a
similar way to yourself, I
know how hard it is to say,
'Thy will be done'. But I

pray that the widows' God
may make good to thee you
his exceeding great & precious
promises, & may prove him-
self at the same time a
true father to the fatherless.

May all grace abound
toward you till "the days of
thy mourning shall be
ended," & "God's love set
thee at his side again".

With kindest sympathy
& regard, ever believe me

Yours most sincerely,

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