

My dear Sir William,

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May I add one line to the formal notice I enclose in accordance with the formula prescribed from the first by Gibbon? I wish to say how heartily I welcome the prospect of meeting you from time to time at our dinners. I do not forget our correspondence in old days about your plans for your boy's school time: and I have indeed felt deeply for you in your great trial.

With all good wishes,

I am,

Yrs. most soncerely,

HUBERT M. SOUTHWARK.