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My dearest Arthur

While literally & figuratively endorsing my wife's note, I want to add one or two little matters - I have desired Longmans to send you Cel. Obj. which I hope you will do me ^{the} favour to accept - bearing in mind that you have contributed most of the ~~5th~~ ^{5th} chapter - I have also taken the liberty, which I hope you will forgive, of telling Longmans they might send to your quarters a packet of glass negatives etc. belonging to the Civil War book - which I yet hope you will favour me by bringing here. Cel. Obj. is out this busy day

Hip! Hip! Hip!

Your affectionate old friend

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My dear Arthur

Alas! that we were to be disappointed of your promised visit this month looked forward to with so much pleasure by old & very old friends at Hardwick - Must it be given up for this year? Will not Nov. or Dec. do for you? You are young dear Arthur