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You must excuse my long apology
for sending you this letter

in the family gathering ...
I am very glad to hear ...
I am with much affection ...

that my mother ...
I am very glad to hear ...
I am with much affection ...

Gloucester
May 2. 1825.

My dear friend ...
The 14 of April I have had the pleasure of receiving
for which I beg he will accept my very best thanks.
I was surprised to hear of Mr. ...
as in his letter to me he never mentioned his
intention of going there. I wrote to him on the 16
of last month to desire he would tell me whether
it was his wish and desire to return to ...
to acquaint me with his real sentiments as to what
he would like to do. I also beg he would inform
me what were the opinions of his good friends Mr.
Thozou and his Mother on his going again to ...
I request Mr. ... to consider well, whether his
Mother would allow his returning to a country
where the climate had already injured his
health. I am very sorry to hear he is so recovered
after what he ought not to be so with you that
has been such a friend to him self and of society.
I hope if Mr. ... should not be returned
when my letter arrives in Wales his Mother

will spin it, I am more likely to hear from her
the real sentiments and feelings of her Son than
if he were to write to me him self. I will wait
to hear from George before he apply to Mr.
Dear, (if Mr. G's mind is made up to return)
I should be sorry to trouble him or indeed
yourself, you must be likely to see him in London
on his way into Wales, I hope he will be able
more communicative than he has been. —
I have a thousand thanks to offer you for your
goodness in wishing still to be my agent
which I will gratefully accept, and have only to
lament the trouble that I am constantly giving
my kind friend. I begin to have my doubt whether
I shall have the money due to me on the death
of the late Mrs. Biddell. if I am so lucky as to
get it, I hope Mr. Walker will be willing to have it
transferred in my name and one of the Mrs.
Hammerleys is it will give so much trouble
and they receive the interest of all the money I have
in the funds. I do sincerely hope, ^{Mr. G's} she will get her
legacy — Mrs. John wrote to Mr. G. the day her

daughter was married, he no doubt inform'd you and
the rest of our friends of that event, they are looking
out for a large house in the town, I have promised
to remain with them this year, it is the intention
with Mr. G. that I should be in the same house
with them still. If Mr. G. is inclin'd to return to India
I must make him a present, I suppose he will
not leave England before June, or that month long.
Quarter will be due to me from Mr. G. & you will
then have the goodness to give him what you think
proper out of it. The Thourage have left Florence

for the present, they will be here
again in October on their road to
Home, I am surpris'd to hear they
have sold their house, and that my old neighbour
is inclin'd to buy it, pray who is the Lady that
Mr. Leonard is going to be married to? Lord
Broughersh is going to England it is reported here
he is to return again as Minister to have you
heard anything of it, he is very much liked here.
As you say nothing of Miss Lion it is likely she has left
Milnes and returned to her Quaker & children.
I hope they will let the old house well being so
near London is a great advantage. I do not think
me what they are likely to make in London. I should
like to know how they old you done. Can you have a slip

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