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My dear Sir William

Many thanks for the excellent Birmingham photo. I see no indications of care or time. On the contrary it is the best likeness of you; and a choice specimen of photographic art. I send you, in return a photo of my bust, ordered by the Government for the Education Office here.

Sybil complains that the light is thrown from above so as to intensify the shadow of the eyebrows; and make me look grim as Radamanthus.

But sculpture never can look life-like.

What you tell me of the proposals relative to the Gilchrist Scholarships meets with my entire approval.

I have hitherto discouraged them to the utmost; and always advocated their being competed for among the graduates of our Universities. If you have not already seen

my last Convocation  
address, I have ordered  
copies to be thrown off  
from the Educational  
Monthly; and shall send  
You one. You will  
find my remarks on  
Travelling Scholarships  
in full accord with  
Your views.

As to our lady students  
we have at present 18 matriculated  
and five partial, or occasional  
as we call them. I discour-  
age the latter as much as  
possible.

Dybil is still on the  
look out for a stray letter

from Anna, which she  
presumes to be wandering  
somewhere between Montreal  
and London; as an envelope  
reached her the enclosure in  
which proved to be for Anna's  
London hostess. But  
your letter tells us of  
her return safe and  
well.

Dybil united with me  
in kindest greetings to  
Lady Dawson and yourself.

Yours faithfully

Dau. Torrey