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1157 Dorchester Street,
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Dear Sir W. Mann,

It is my gratification
to me to know that you have
consented to deliver the annual
University Lecture on the 30th
inst. Unfortunately prevented
by illness, for I have not been
very well lately, I must therefore
be so much of a pleasure to be
present on the occasion

of your lecture and as
suggested in your favour
of yesterday to some work
to the Governor General, asking
that he would honour us
with his presence at 31 York
on Thursday or at such later
hour on that day as you wish
but not his convenience.
He was good enough to
send his recent letter to tell
me that Lady Mordaunt
would propose either 11.30

am on 3. 30. pm that day for
a visit to the Maternity
Hospital. And I have made
the suggestion that I should be
at the earlier hour, to permit
of our meeting with work
as at night. I am in the
mode which I have long
adopted - I shall probably
hear from you about me & feel
about this business
with reference to
any answer yourself
in haste. Sincerely yours
Edward D. Smith