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Edinburgh, 10,
Scotland.

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Dear Professor Barth,

I was sorry that I had such a very brief opportunity of speaking with you last week but it could not be helped with so many people there. I tried to see you on Wednesday morning at Baillie's house but learned that you had left by the early train.

I called at Jan Henderson's home yesterday and had a talk with his mother. He was asleep so I was not able to see him. His mother said that he had been very ill indeed but was now slowly recovering. He has been able to get up for a little but his convalescence will be a long one.

I am to go back again in a few weeks and see him when he is stronger. His mother was to give him your message.

If we had had a few minutes more with you my wife and I intended to repeat our invitation of last summer that when you return in the Spring to give your Gifford Lectures and wish to break your journey in Edinburgh, you should stay with us this time. At all events I can assure you that you'll be most welcome.

With our united kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely,
Thomas W. Parsons.
