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Harwick Parsonage,

March 21. 1868.

My very dear Arthur,

Just a line - at dinner - to thank  
you for your kind note - and to say how very  
much I admire your capital handiwork,  
& how I much I hope you will one day teach  
me - if you have no objection - the acquirement,  
which might prove very useful to me. I had  
no idea you had so neat a hand: & should think  
you might employ it in other mechanical ways,  
as an amusement for your busy brain, very ad-  
vantageously.

I am teaching a little Perspective to the Chel-  
tenham girls - & this has brought before me a mat-  
ter I have never quite lost sight of. Do you recol-  
lect the discussion we had - in our delightful ex-  
ercise from Persson - would we could have such exer-  
cises this ~~year~~ summer! - as to the curve from