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Cooper Motes

SIDE ONE

Copy of letter of Olga
P Gurney Mch 2/3. 1874
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be in hand left with Galloway

My dear Friend

Mr Cooper Motes

I should hardly do justice to my feelings were I to omit thanking thee warmly for thy very kind and truly acceptable letters - the missing one especially which I should indeed have been sorry to lose - bringing before me such a vivid picture of the devoted and enduring tenderness of that strong manly heart, and of its utter desolation now that our Father has withdrawn the precious treasure with which on his unalterable love he had entrusted him for more than forty years soothing and cheering and sustaining him in all his sorrows and lightening and enriching all his joys! Deep truly is the void which death has made: and great is the responsibility of all who knew and loved her and witnessed her

Seen from Galloway will miss you sadly.

And as if I had not half thanked thee for thy very interesting letters the missing one especially which touched my inmost heart