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affairs were concerned, <sup>to all</sup> an all but complete seclusion.

To his many friends ~~in public and private life~~, Mr. Fielding's

heavy affliction, borne ~~so~~ <sup>with so much</sup> bravely during his closing years, <sup>with so much</sup>

has occasioned feelings of ~~genuine~~ <sup>his deepest</sup> sadness. ~~They seem~~ <sup>to be</sup> for <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>future and</sup>

the time being to cast a shadow over all ~~his~~ <sup>the preceding</sup> years that

~~preceded them~~. That shadow has now passed, and to-day its

passing brings him back ~~in~~ the light of his radiant vigour,

again.

~~I can think of no words more appropriate~~

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