

11th May, 1935.

My dear Nicoll,

Thanks for your kind letter of welcome to the other side. I hope that occasionally we may be able to swap visits. Although we shall be far enough apart we shall at any rate not have the Atlantic between us.

It was a great pleasure to meet Mrs. Nicoll unexpectedly at the British Camp Hotel. She probably thought me a little distraught during dinner. The reason was that when I took her down into Malvern to buy some paints I went to the post office and found there a letter making the first suggestion about McGill. I am waiting to see her so that I can apologise for any slowness in response which she may have noticed.

Alas I have had to cancel Malvern. We are sailing on the 20th August and it was just impossible. You can imagine what an amount there is to do before we remove ourselves lock, stock and barrel.

Again all thanks,

Yours sincerely,

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