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27. Park Street, W.

Dear Madam

I felt so grateful
for your services to
the married women
that I am really grieved
I can contribute nothing
worth having to your
funds now, that long
paper really contains
information that w^d be
perfectly new to you of
any chance to men of your
acquaintance, and much
that I did not know, tho'
always so much interested

She and I with extremely
subject
that it might be printed
in larger type - if
possible abridged, and
then dispersed as widely
as possible. I should
very have to omit the
words emancipation
which is quoted with
an evil emphasis by all
who strive to injure women
they pretend (I believe it is
only pretence) to be afraid
that women are only
kept from wickedness by
force, and Lord Wellington
you will remember speaking
against your Bill said if a
woman could have a shop without

her husband's partnership
she would have another
partner, probably not a
relation, but a man of some
sort - So very generous -
But this is quite a part
of the horror excited in
some quarters by the unlucky
word

would you print an
abridgement of Mrs M^cQueen's
paper, or allow one to
get it printed? Condensation
I'd make the salient points
more incisive, and I wish
for a larger print, because
when I see a man of 45 or 50
take out his spectacles, I
always expect a sort of traw-
-tiness

behind - and one must
recollect that we address
enemies, ignorant & prejudiced
whom we should keep
in good humour if we can

Much hoping you
will agree to ~~some~~ part
of what I propose, and
if you allow me to print
you will condense the
pamphlet course, I

Remain dear Madam
Yours, with much esteem

C Buchanan

I can't like the programme
of the Society at all - some
of it, of course. I mean