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Paris.

My dear Mr. Fawcett.

I have been much better
these last three days & able to work
- though only at literary work - &
not at all at politics.

You are right in thinking that for
a long time the boy will not be a source
of conversation to me - but the reverse.

I have read Mill's book - & from
what a letter tells me I am happy in having
read the book rather than the criticisms on it
- for people ~~were~~ to have misunderstood
it strangely. I cannot complain here
any woman - or any man who has
gone through the horrors falling on them

to know more than humanly - to think
will utter - can think that the
natural order is perfectly appointed.
I suppose that other men who have
have suffered as I twice suffered in
this way - but to extreme such cases
must either harden the heart - or
break it beyond bearing.

I mean to stop here till the 23rd
Dec. January I shall spend in the
Sahara - at El Argheem (Larquent) -
Ouargla, - & El Golea - in all probability.
I shall then see how I can contact
accordingly. If I am able - the best
thing for me would be to sit through
every sitting of the House of Commons & vote in

very division - but I must wait & see.

If I were a little better than I am Cambridge
would be the very place for me - but I am not up
to it, & my darling having been there with me
last year - makes it the less possible.

Ever yours

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