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My dearest Ruth, I had two letters from you yesterday dated Sept 27-28 - quite an old story. They make me more than ever want to talk with you. I thought you might believe for five minutes that I had ordered a book costing \$50. I can't recollect the price at this moment - about 30/- I think - you might ask to see a copy at Curtis's; I haven't ordered it yet. Your other letters left me in some doubt as to whether you regarded my remarks about Heaven & Hell as completely nonsense which they were meant to be - your reply is sufficiently serious - a very nice dear thank you.

Also a long letter from Ursula yesterday & one from Berison. A few days back I had a long account from David of his church in the Lakes. did I tell you? Ursula writes very cheerfully & interestingly too. She's one of those happy people who are exactly suited by their job. I'm very glad she can go on with it. She evidently enjoyed the days at Wotton.

and appreciates Clase very well.

I had an entire day off yesterday & went
to Corbie to buy flour for the men - which
involved buying several things for the
mess; a jolly day with a soft west
wind & the country quite pleasing. I
can't tell you how much I hope the weather
will remain dry for the present - it
may just make all the difference to the
operations here. I'm sitting out now
in the anteroom on a sandbag - it's a
trifle chilly for that but pleasant enough.
These scenes are now so soon compared
to what is in front of us that I shall be
truly sorry to leave them.

I must now go up & see Lethbrun - though he
hasn't demanded my presence. So Daweswell
for the present. Be at ease about your
extravagant but ever loving

George.

