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My Dear Friends,

I am writing this letter while away for a few days before we can settle in our new home. Before you read this we shall have settled into—

4, Glebe House,
Cross Lanes,
Guildford.

and we hope to see some of you there if you can spare time to visit us.

Since I wrote my last letter we were invited to a Parish Meeting one evening to meet you and to receive some most generous parting gifts. I thanked you then, but I know some were unable to be present, so I take this opportunity of again expressing my most sincere thanks to you all. Mrs. Seymour and my daughter ask me to record their thanks also. We shall never forget these tokens of regards and affection and your great generosity. We hope to come over to Hambleton often and keep in touch of you. We made so many friends in Hambleton that we feel we must not lose sight of you.

I hope a large number of you will be present at the Induction and Institution of your new Rector on November 2nd, and that you will give him and Mrs. Teuten a warm welcome to Hambleton.

I have heard from James Powell and Sons that the Parish Memorial Tablet and Mr. and Mrs. Philip's Memorial Tablet to their son, Captain Godfrey Smith, are nearly finished and should be placed in the Church about November 14th. Dr. Teuten has kindly expressed the wish that I should dedicate those and the Red Cross Tablet which has already arrived in Hambleton. I cannot manage Sunday, November 17th, as I am taking duty elsewhere, but I propose coming over to Hambleton on November 24th, in time for the Service at 11 a.m. and dedicate them then.

I heard from the Matron of St. Thomas's Hospital thanking us for the gift of fruit, flowers and vegetables from our Harvest Festival decorations, and the offertories at the Festival Services, amounting to over £8, will be divided between the County Hospital at Guildford and St. Thomas.

God bless you all.

Yours sincerely,

EDWARD J. SEYMOUR.

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MOTHERS' UNION

Members are reminded that we are very kindly invited by Milford to their meeting on Friday, November 15th, at 3.0 at Church Institute, Portsmouth Road, when our Diocesan President, Mrs. Woodhouse, is speaking on "Christian Marriage"—the first object.

I hope as many as possible will make a real effort to go, as this meeting enables us to complete our plan of arranging for members to hear a talk on each of the three objects of the Mothers' Union.

I should like to take this opportunity of thanking you all for the very great surprise of a cheque for £25 you gave me. I hope very soon now to be able to buy something with the money that will be a lasting remembrance of you all.

We hope that we shall see many of our friends at the flat in Guildford. With best wishes to you all.

MAY SEYMOUR.

Thank you all very much indeed for the perfectly lovely travelling bag you gave me. I have always wanted one, and now I own one. Wherever I am, wherever I go, "part of Hambledon" will be always with me.

I feel sure that from time to time you will be seeing us, for we have very very many friends, and Hambledon will always feel like "Home."

With best wishes to you all, and again, thank you so much.

MARJORIE SEYMOUR.

MARRIAGES

Sept. 28—Harold Whale and Lilian Rose Martin.

DEATHS

Oct. 5—Margaret Amelia Winson, aged 52 years.

Oct. 14—Emily Ellis, aged 69 years.