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My Dear Emma.

I said when last I wrote to Frau Emma, that I should soon send you a specimen of my Dictionary-work. That was something to look forward to indeed! and here it is. It is merely an example,

taken at random, from my
'slips', and shows the
average product of my
'cyclostyle' machine, which
by now is working quite
satisfactorily. The text is
from Budge's papyrus psalter
(L. = London Psalter) with
the usual Greek text added.

The paper is good, I know;
whether the ink is so, may
be more doubtful; but it is
the only one which the machine

will use. I reckon to finish the
Psalter by the end of January
at latest; but the ordering of
the slips may take me beyond
that. There is indeed so much
merely manual labour connected
with this work, that I shall
have to employ a secretary
or other helpers, before long.

Thus the expenses mount up!
I hope it may be possible to
get some money from Oxford
later on.

I shall of course be very

grateful for any criticisms
on this slip. The size is
chosen because of the size of
the standard sheet of paper
as sold, and which cuts up
into 8 of these slips.

My Catalogue has been sent
to you & I have corrected
(in ink) a few of the chief
errors relating to numbers etc.
Please consult the "Additions
& Correction", before using the
book! With kindest remembrances
to you all, as ever
W. C. C.