

Lincoln Inn Fields
6 Sept 1841

My dear Sir

Accept many thanks for your letter containing the account of your proceedings in Vest with which we rejoice to hear that you are on the whole satisfied. I am very sorry the Commissioners did not finish the business December with the amount wanted, but for a while I think as the adjournment was forced upon you they had no right to restrict you as to what witnesses you should be allowed to call. Some hours of such a thing being done before - you might have been enabled to find persons to contradict or explain away most of the statements made by the Vest people. You must also under the (I think wrong) decision of the Commissioners have called tenants of Littledean, which of your witnesses remain to be examined - can they help December to set upon any inquiries to us, to be able to explain any evidence given by the Vest people. We have heard from Mr James Farrer who says to my surprise that the Vest witnesses offered to recede & withdraw their

than ever I cannot imagine how this could be as
I am sure our visitors were speaking the truth.
Probably they had been well treated before hand
I think you ought favorably to see & examine
each of our remaining visitors personally before they
leave - that they may have some idea of the
questions to be put to them - & the manner in which
they will be put.

May thank you for the trouble you have taken about
Othello Lodge's Service. Mr. Van man's letter
surprised me I shall send it to Mr. Stewart to make
inquiries. I wish anyone of the complainants after having
taken Mr. H. H. was found to enjoy the chamber
& comfort of Lodge's entertainment for more
I have for a few days & then it should be no more
at least of comparative complaint

I am my dear Sir

Yours very sincerely

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