

Hôtel Belvédère. Finspangs
(Hôtel)

2. August 61.

AL/3813

VICTORIA-LYCEUM

UNTER DEM PROTECTORAT
IHRER MAJESTÄT
der
Kaiserin Friedrich.

My dear Kelly

I have just received your letter and
hasten to answer it, addressing to
Hôtel St. Luc, Lausanne (though
a hotel of that name is not to be found in
my guide book), since a letter to Brighton
would not reach you any more.

Of course I should be delighted with your
visit here, and in fine weather I think
it would even repay time and expense
from the scenery - point of view, but I
must conscientiously tell you, that we

a pleasant hour on foot, taking
4 hours. the post conveying
baggage.

have been in the clouds, either through
 in mists or in pouring rain, since a
 few days, and there seems little hope
 fine weather returning by Sunday.

As I came here for a cure of mountain
 air, not having been at all well this
 spring and losing all my hair as after
 an acute illness, I mean to stay out
 any time, i. e. till August 3rd by all
 means, even in foul weather, but
 dare not encourage you to come
 here, should continue. As to
 the landlord says, he cannot
 for their being 2 vacant on Sunday night.

but the weather being so
 I wish I could stay and
 of some people here
 your people here
 I wish I could stay and
 of some people here
 your people here

The house being quite full at present, but
 several people are going away on account
 of the weather, so that I am almost
 sure there would be ^{some} vacant by
 that time, besides there are at least 6
 hotels here, all quite near, and I have
 no doubt that rooms could be found
 in one or other of them.

She wants to leave on Sunday or
 Monday at the latest, so that her worn
 for instance, would be at your disposal.
 She goes on to the Lago Maggiore, to
 see some cousins, who have established
 or are establishing a ^{Nature-Heal},

Asstalt "at Ascona near Locarno,"
while I mean to go return to Brun-
hensen aft for a few days, before being
due at Bubi on the 19th of August,
paying a visit to Dr. Dehmel at
Cronberg on my way via Frankfurt.
With regard to coming up here, the
railway-station is Vernayaz (on the
route from Lausanne to Brig) and there
is a very steep road up from here to Salvan
and Fuschards, just now almost imprac-
ticable with mud. small one-horse
carriages are to be had at the station, holding
2-3 persons and hounds at the price
of 18 frs, but in fine weather it is quite