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J. John. Portsea.

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My dear Mr. Rye.

The young lady who
I thought likely to be for
the business is on the
top of marriage. Therefore
that will give a stop to

all his speculations.

I do not know of any
one like him: but
look around and if I
should find such I
will let you know.

I do not think I shall
be in London before you
start. I should have

known to have seen you
and wished you had seen
I trust the great Master
will give you journeying
expenses, and make your
visit conducive to the
good of very many.

I should like to help
you in getting rid of the
business, but you must not
depend upon me - Believe me
always sincerely yours. J. M. Knapp