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My dear Sir,

I had much pleasure in receiving your
favour of 20th inst. confirming what Mr. Rotch had previously

told me of the intention of Mr. Aspinwall to pass the winter
here. - the prospect of this unexpected acquisition to our
society, as you may well suppose affords Mrs. Appleton
and myself the greatest satisfaction. - and from what we
have seen of the plan, I feel convinced Mr. A. could
not have chosen a place in England, where she could pass
the time of your absence more comfortably. - This is
truly a City of Lodgings, and the mystery is reduced to
a perfect system, affording the occupiers generally less
trouble than I have ever before found in Hounsbury.

Mr. Rotch wrote you yesterday, he thinks, as lodgings
can be procured any day, that it is not worth while to
engage any so long before hand, as we should have to pay
a higher price, or pay for the intervening time. - I fully
agree with him in this, and also that it will be
quite as well for Mr. A. & the little ones to remain
at a hotel for a day or two until accommodated. They