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My dear Sir

As regards the allusion  
to a commission in your  
last letter, I should  
mention that any small  
work I might do for you  
in oil would be a  
"head-and-hands" or  
half figure of moderate  
size - I never do com-  
-missions on a small  
scale in oil, but always  
in water colour.

Would you kindly let me  
know whether such  
an oil picture as I



mention would be likely  
to suit you; and I would  
then, on commencing  
any such that might  
be disengaged, offer it  
to you at the outset.

It would also assist me  
in such offer if you would  
let me know to what  
limit of price you prefer  
to go. The least such  
a picture would be  
likely to cost would  
be 300 guineas.

I am, my dear Sir,  
Very truly yours,

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