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SEIGHFORD,
MILL ROAD,
WEST WORTHING.

24th March 1928

My dear Miss Tuke,

I regret to have kept you waiting so long for a reply to your letter, the more so as I feel quite unable to accept your invitation to open the Summer School in July. The mere thought of such an engagement would poison my summer! and there are so many people who find this prospect exhilarating and quite the reverse of poisonous that I am sure you will have no difficulty in providing a substitute.

I greatly fear that you will not like our Second Draft any more than the first. We seem to be living in stirring times.

Yours sincerely

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