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To Dr. Edward Grieg,
Bergen.

Sir,
mons Johannes Wolff, for whom we act as agents in England, has informed us that you might possibly be induced to pay another visit to England in the early Autumn, and we beg to say, that should you decide to do this, we would feel it a very great honour to be allowed to act as your agents in the matter.

We would be prepared to guarantee you 6 or 8 Concerts at least, at a nett fee of One hundred pounds (£100.0.0) per Concert to you, and in addition would defray all your travelling and hotel expenses in England, during these Concerts, and also those of Madame Grieg, should she decide to accompany you. As you are possibly aware, October is one of the most pleasant months of the English climate, and everything should be done to ensure the greatest comfort for you whilst travelling. We are sure you would find the trip a most enjoyable one in

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every way. The time for the visit we would propose to be from October 11th to about the end of the month. Here Wolff tells us also that you would like a protegee of yours to be engaged as vocalist, should you accept the Tour. We shall be very glad indeed to meet your wishes in this respect. As this lady is entirely unknown in England, however, we could not do more than pay nominal fees to cover her expenses &c. We would point out however that this artiste would have the great advantage of being introduced to the British Public under the most favourable circumstances possible, being associated with so famous an artist as yourself, and therefore we are sure that should the lady make the big success at your Concerts which we may confidently expect, engagements from the principal Societies here would follow in due course. Awaiting the favour of your reply, and with best compliments to Madame and yourself.

We are, Yours faithfully
Ibbs & Tillet

to cover the expenses of
to renew that this
Thank you for your kind proposal
I am sorry to say that it is quite
impossible for me to visit England
next autumn. But if I
am able to realize my idea
of taking a trip to England ^{next year}
I should be glad to have the pleasure of
meeting a Cambridge student
of your direction
the favour of your reply