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Dear William

Marylarniechard is here now
come last week, she intends stopping
until next week - we have just let
the shooting over Mena, been &c to
J. E. Horton Esq^u Priors Lee Hall Shifnal
Shropshire, for a term of three years
for £270, that is £70 a year he
wishes to pay me £20. for keeping a
shepherd, who is to act also as keeper
he has paid in advance we
have received a cheque this morning
for £210, I intend making a present
to Marylarniechard, a pony and trap -
further to go out any time the
ladies which I had promised her

for sometime and now I am abt to
fulfil - Mary and I think that you are
the best one in the world to buy
them, we think you will know of
a nice Pony - among your friends
being so well acquainted in the
Country - The Pony we should like to have
and would suit something between a
mountain Pony and a Cob - we don't
know exactly to describe the size in
hands but something in size like
what John Rice used to drive, but
you know very well what would suit
in size - it must be strong enough
and not too big - to draw 2 or 3
it must also be good natured and
quiet, pretty good bone and
very pretty -

a horse pony preferred -
we think you can get one from £10 to
£15 - we enclose £10. and anything above
that we shall remit the money by
return, but be sure to buy a beauty
worth looking at. strong enough but
not to big. anything it will cost
£ above the enclosed will remit for
return, perhaps also you may
know of a trap. those two wheeled
or cranked axle. the basket
carriage shape but in stained
wood we shall be greatly obliged
for a wood for return

James T. H.
Mr. Humphrys