

Cambridge Nov 6,  
1856.

My Excellent and dear Friend

I cannot let  
my young friend & former pupil,  
Mr. Thomas Knicker, go on his  
long perfect tour through the East,  
without a line of introduction &  
greeting to you. I wish him to see  
and know the "Father of Modern  
Athens" - as I have often heard you  
called by the young Socrates  
of the City of Minerva. If it were

now for making a bill, I should ask  
my young friend to say to you that  
I am on the point of writing to you  
to fill the vacant details of our  
affairs here. But as he will go  
to the antipodes home, my project  
letter will reach you long before  
his arrival in Athens.

My friend is a young gentleman of  
excellent abilities, & high character.  
He will appreciate Athens as a  
Scholar, & will feel your kindness  
as a gentleman.

Write you be so kind as remember

me most affectionately to Mrs. Hill  
and the other members of your family,  
and believe me,

My dear Dr Hill,

Always most cordially

Yours truly

Re. John W. Hill D.D.

C. C. Felton

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C. C. Felton  
Oct 1856

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