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Dearest Nell: One of summer
very joyous things was the event
of the Music Festival at Gilla
Serina. Not just a Music Festival,
but the whole Day, with the
joy of everything. Henry said
immediately that he always
visualised something like that.
Surely it must have been an
immense amount of organising
etc., so now it is even more
delicious that it is all quiet and
just green - and peace around you.
The invitation does look very
nice and simple, - and the words
you wrote on it mean so very
much. I have put them into my
Heart. - How so many things were
happening that I did not know
sometimes what. But Henry's

1) Book is finished! And he has send
the copies to several Publishers.
It will take a while before they
will react --- oh, I hope so that
something encouraging will come...
If you will give it a strong
thought - I know that then it
will be good. I think of you
all the time, - little Thomas is
so sweet and so dear, it is hard
to believe. Every day it becomes
more of a wonder. Thus it becomes
harder and harder, - not to be
sharing it with you. If only I
could describe him! He still
does not ever cry, and eat his
food as if every bite were a
beautiful thing he had always
wanted. While eating, he is so
needy that afterwards I hardly
have to wipe off his dear little

2) mouth. When he gets excited, it is always of over-joy. Often he laughs all by himself. The Christening was held in a very simple baroque church, all white inside. Thomas was wearing a gown of 200 year old lace, which Henry's father and grandfather also were christened in, and Henry of course, too. Thomas loved the playing of the Organ, also the service he enjoyed, which he made known to all by making all kinds of adorable sounds.

Henry has spend some time to get himself a job as Architect, got so many offers that it was hard to decide. (This is now necessary, money has some times the ridiculous habit of running out.) So I was standing on my head, for he

3.) was going to take a job at the City Planning Commission here, where he has some friends whom I also much admire. But; it would keep him "nailed" to Stuttgart - for it is wonderful work. I did not know where he would not get nailed - or tied up, once he starts working. And now the incredible thing comes; He got an offer to work with an architectural Office in Worms - (directly on the West-side of the Rhein) the Town where the "Nibelungen" lived - a Romanesque Cathedral which was started in the year 800, etc. - etc. - it is very wonderfull strangely lofty town, and quite mysterious. But I still did not come to the

4) Paint. This firm also has a part in firms for the production of pre-fabricated housing in U.S.A., in other words, they work together. Is this not the answer?? The work sounds good, for it not only consists of constructing pre-fabrication, but mainly large building projects of all kinds. And Henry has full freedom, as a partner. So now he goes there 4 weeks to try it out, and then we will move to Worms. Meanwhile Thomas and I will stay here in Stuttgart and paint.

Another grand thing was: we visited Liliensfelds who are over summer in Bad Gastein. He looks a 100% better than last

5. summer, so there was no shadow when we left. He is indeed a great human being. -

Grace Shaw-Kennedy also was here. She also went to Vienna to the Spanish riding school. She is very dear, but there is a point from where on she cannot understand; if I try to speak - as to you, she gets confused and then of course doubts me. Is it not always the same, - where words and action are necessary in order to reach understanding, - there never was understanding and will be only mis-understanding.

Dearest Nell, - have all my love, as always; and Henry and Thomas' love; ever - Rose.