

Leam. 21 July. 1821

My dear Sir

I read you credentials to New Lanark, & hope you may find Mr Owen there. His establishment tho singular in its kind, has very little to do with his system: & in his system he forgets to provide the absolute Owen who is to regulate by his will & wisdom the Utopia of quadrangles. But there is in his view a great deal that is practicable, & which will make its way into practice.

I am going about the 6<sup>th</sup> of next month to Netherhall, for ten days or a fortnight, - not for a longer time. It will nevertheless of your transit should take place during my absence.

The ladies elder & younger desire to be kindly remembered

Yrs very truly

Robert Southey.