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Dear Eric

Sorry to bother; but as a supplement to my yesterday's note I risk appearing excited in order to say: Could your N.Y. film branch pay special attention to 'Summer Storm'? G.H.D. writes (I had the letter this morning) that the book has started 'magnificently' and certainly the number I quoted in my former letter indicates that it is thought to have popular possibilities. And so, as it has more or less of a 'clout', I thought quite suddenly of its film prospects. Our presence in New York will almost certainly create newspaper talk, and if the occasion is seized it is just conceivable that the poor half-wits of the film world might cough up something. What do you think of this?

If you are away, or are on the point of going, don't forget to tell your brother Ralph, or your Mr Wickan, that the moment Doran's cheque is cleared I want to pay my income tax.

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