

MASTER'S HOUSE,
TEMPLE. E. C.

Tuesday May 16.
1899

My dear Howell.

Many thanks for your
prompt kindness. I shall
use your very words, with
the omission of the English
version of the lines in the
South Sued, for most of
the readers of my notes are
men, and may be trusted to
follow the meaning. Besides,
I want room for the
point your sagacity did
not fail to discern, how
dumb was a parallel
W. is in truth no parallel.
but W. is not the less
pathetic for all that.

MASTER HOBBS

JENNIFER

Thanks very much for
your invitation - I shall
hope to lunch with you
on Wednesday. I probably
to see that evening & my
friends, the Feldens
Somersells, at Hasley.

Your dear Father was
in Church on Sunday,
& pleased me by liking
my discourse. He has
sent me his new volume
with some excellent
parodies in it.

Ever yours affecly
Alfred Ainslie.