

My dear Lady Eg
I have to
thank you most sincerely for
your kind letter & the
beautiful umbrella which
accompanied it. Your
good wishes on my
birth-day will help me
back as coming from
one so good as you are,
and I shall value
your kind gift very
much.

I wish you could have
been here on the 15th. We
opened Portland Lodge

when I gave a ^{little} ~~little~~
fast to all the ^{the} ~~the~~
Family & the inmates
of the fast. The ^{the} ~~the~~
looks beautiful now
& is very comfortable.
Hope you are all
well and that your
neighbours had in quiet.
Bring me my best
compliments to all.
By the rest of your
Family believe me

ever, my dear Mr. G.
Yours truly
Friend

William

Windsor Castle Sept 15th

