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Dear Tex,

More than a month has slipped by since you were kind enough to send us and least the children, young and old, with those delicious sherry's chocolate. To one member of the 'Column' family you gave a much greater treat, one that will always be remembered. Hearing from you the evolution of your great work from 1927 to 1943 with the rare fruit harvested at the end was the most inspiring experience that I have had in medicine. But of it all came one deep conviction: "it is up to you and to Tex to pursue such important studies until the war is over and some of us become available to help him carry on."

Also it seemed to me that you felt the close association of your work with that of Griffith's. It is odd that you two never met for there was much in common. And I know you would be Griffith's if he could know what you have done. Because of the
It seemed only fit that Griffith's picture should be near your work. I am told that my little picture of Ted Griffiths and Tobby on the Downs near Brighton is the only one in existence. Age is mailing it to you with our affection.

All goes well here. I am getting adapted and hope to find way of making myself useful to the Navy. The children are well; June keeps me posted. And on Friday next Age is flying down to hesitate a visit. It will be good to have this great spirit near me for a few days again.

With best remembrances to all the boys and kind thoughts to you from

Al Colman