with this he produced it, & played a few rolls it sounded lovely. I then play Andante (Mendelssohn) at he at the piano accom - at the end he said "C n'est pas mal, vous avez du talent." he then let two to probe me & produced Spohr's violin School - I darcy began to play an A. B. C. easy exercise when he pounced upon my bowing, & was the whole of rest of lesson trying to alter it - I am to do exactly the opposite to what I have been accustomed to, ie keep my bow loose as you know my habit is, I am to take a firm grip of it

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Bon St. Bene -

My own dear. Wed.

I have been wanting to write to you ever since you whaled it in that cab & looked so lonely. I can imagine how horrid it was for you the rest of that day & the few following ones, but you must not let yourself go as I am always telling you, but pick yourself together & else you will drift into unfathomable depths of dumps!!

We have been like exactly to days to-day, we moved to this pension on Tuesday & don't care for it much, we are about to eat table d'hôte a mixture of French,

English & American — most of them bulgarish. The attraction about the place is, that it is so near everything, but I liked the one we were at first much better. We have spent our days up to the hunting after pensions, which was a long job, Mariech thou too late to succeed in getting a tracasserie to his tailleures. I have got a peau d'ane dress, a very transparent grey (lighter in color than Beard's) over a "fond de jupe de soie" a lovely shade of lilac, just the color of lilac it shows through & lights up beautifully. Mde. Pepins exclamations about it were continually "Oh! c'est délicieux, délicieux, délicieux. Comme c'est frais imagine that with a Parisian accent! The bodice has some white chiffon set in in front over the mauve, big sleeves, plain skirt fit a.T. Bess is getting a simple jaune dress from a cheaper woman Miss Russel gave us the address of, it promises very well — Well now about Mariech — I had my first lesson yesterday at 11 at the Lycée de Jeunes Filles it is a nice large place not far from here — he is a middle aged man fair hair rather long & small blue bleary eyes nice manner he admires my Ana extremely. but said his own best it.