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AAN Mr. Douglas Clark
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Dear Doug,

Thanks for yours of the 10th inst. re qualifying match & I am sorry that I've had no opportunity of writing to you sooner, but I've been busy in various ways & what with one thing & then another I could not settle down to write.

But now to business! I quite see your point of view where it comes to saving expenses, but I don't consider Glendelo a championship course, there's too much darned luck comes into play there. Another thing to be taken into consideration is, that it's quite possible the members of the Twente Golfclub might want to play some kind of foursome the day before our match there, like we had in Hattum & den Bosch. At any rate it would mean a three days affair.

On the other hand if we played our qualifying match at your place, it would

mean that the various professionals would
be away from their jobs for four days. Unless
of course we split the two matches & play
one match one week & the other a week
or a fortnight later. I do think that
your course is the place for a qualifying
competition, although I personally would
stand a better chance of qualifying on
the shorter course. But as I don't want
to get into the team by a fluke, so
am in favour of the original idea
of playing for a place in the team at
Philadelphia.

How are you keeping after your
illness? I hear that you have been
very busy making clubs, you must have
made a small fortune this winter!
We have all been down with the flu
but I am glad to say ~~we~~ ^{we} are all
quite O.K. again. My wife is feeling fine
& the big event is expected to happen in
the first half of next month.

Well adieu, that's all for the
present! So long!

Kindest regards & best wishes, also to
your wife, from

Yours sincerely
Bert.