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29.11.38

Thomas Hickey, Esq

Sir

I trust you will

pardon the liberty I am taking

in writing to you now. However

you quote such Theory of Humanity,

 by Mr Laughlin of the “Irish Press”.

 I would would indeed

feel grateful if you would

use your influence with the “English

Press” to cover the Exhibition of

Art at Bethnal Green Museum

which is to be opened on

Monday night. The 28th

at 8:00 by Clifford Bax.

 It is in a Working

Class district and the English

pride themselves on the enviable

talent of their lower status.

Could you help an Irishman

of the same class to gain a little

light from the glare of publicity

that will fall to the author.

 I know the Irish

gain a fair amount of attention

from the Press in sordid

matters. A change to cultural

would be a surprise (I know the

working class)

 Apologising

 Yours

 T Hickey

 TBS MacAulay