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so much precious time, after  
Mr. Mardden's having so  
strongly encouraged us to  
adopt the plan several  
years ago, and when we find  
that subsequent experience  
has tended only to confirm  
his original persuasion.  
The unwillingness to comply  
with his advice appeared to  
me to arise from the plan  
being mistakenly supposed  
to be primarily of a  
commercial nature, rather