

Le Lys de mes  
St Tropez var

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Dear Dr. Limmel,

I have read with great interest the papers you had sent me & which I took over here to study them in peace.

Your conclusions on the war neuroses are highly illuminating & have interested me the more — as I myself, during our four years stay at Cape Town, saw a great number of war neuroses at the Wyndberg Hospital.



All you write about the famous  
Death-Instinct has also interested  
me very much, and your reduction  
of it to the "instinct de conservation"  
through the "instinct d'alimentation"  
pleases me very much & goes quite  
with my train of thought.

I was in America two months  
in January & March but could not  
leave the East Coast. No curatorial  
train elsewhere. I should have  
visited California & you!

I often think back of my  
Tegel days. These were lovely!  
How much has happened since ...  
With best regards & reports  
Yours sincerely  
Marie Bonaparte  
Trinon at full