

Dresden, 9 Räcknitz Strasse.  
Nov. 15, 1891.

Dear Mr. March

My wife has been  
ill for some time  
and is now  
very weak  
and I am  
glad to hear  
from you  
and hope  
it will  
be only  
a fore-runner  
of continued  
good accounts  
from her.

We all were grieved to hear  
of Mrs. March's and your kind  
recal of the trial suffering you have  
had to bear since we last saw you. We  
were glad to learn of the encouraging letter  
from Mrs. Crane, which we trust  
may be only a fore-runner of continued  
good accounts from her.

I was much obliged to you for sending  
me the Catalogue of old Kirkup's library,  
and the message from Boone. I will write  
to the latter in a day or two. The Kirkup  
Collection is a curious one with more  
Dantesque part of it than I had supposed it for  
that I had really seen. But the only portion  
a collection which gives me much  
pleasure in looking for the collector's  
is something very odious in a man's