

30 Torrington Sq. London
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My dear Mr. Shields

Thank you for thinking
of me amid such associations.
I return every friendly feeling
and wish to you and yours, and
rejoice that you are enjoying
the ennobling pleasures of
Broadlands, — intercourse
there ought to leave one better
than it found one. I am very
sensible of Lady Mount Temple's
kindness to myself.

How glad I am that William
sent you the new edition. I hope
you share my enjoyment and
admiration of "Poor Henry"
which deserved to see the light
after long years of waiting.

Perhaps you know that
William, Lucy and their two
elder children were in San
Remo at the first earthquake:
all mercifully preserved.

Always truly yours
Christina G. Proffitt.



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