

30 Torrington Square — W. C.
Thursday morning.

Dear Mr. Shields

My Mother wishes that as you
rejoice her hope she could rejoice
your happiness. Be sure of
our sympathy whatever joy
or sorrow befalls you.

If your design has waxed finer
since I gazed at it, so much
the better for all concerned!
Now we shall look forward to
a summons one day to your
studio on a visit of admiration,