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My Dear M^r Murray

You had better keep the medal till I come up myself We made a call on an old Mauritius family in Oxford Square on our way and they

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gave us some luncheon so the time passed over in which we could have found you & did not call, to say we had met a first cousin of yours in New college who was very civil to us, especially

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to Mrs L. with whom he sat at dinner. they gave us a good reception in the theatre. I had declined to give a lecture on Tuesday but if I had known I would have

done it [even] at the expense of a sore throat

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I shall bring Kane
the first time
I come - that fellow
Arrowsmith always does that. You may
remember I gave
him all about
six weeks ago except
one point which
has not yet come
and it would only
be a correction of what
is already published
if I dont garrotte him I wont do what he deserves

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He promised me a proof a month ago and another on Wednesday last