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Dearest Minnie,

It was a relief when  
that you were really better outworse  
and that Dr. Gerhard was satisfied  
with, but how dreadful about Dr.  
Rhoads - It may help the matter  
we have so much at heart, but  
on the other hand it may break  
you down completely - The tales  
are certainly conspiring against us.  
And James - Not satisfactory  
man! it is too bad -

I enclose Mr. Gurnie's notes of  
Fr-day + Mr. Clover is coming with  
Mr. K. W. W. W. - I went out



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In Montebello this aft. Valipant  
Beckie & am so glad where you  
were again at last — I wish  
that I have been grip over some  
papers that I was anxious to see  
before leaving again — Before  
after lunch I wrote Dr. C. suggesting  
when Dr. Dehuiss White go before I get  
ready unless she that there will be  
improbable a risk of being left with  
no one, told <sup>her</sup> you knew of no one that I  
will write Dr. H. & also wrote Dr. H. asking  
him to telegraph me here what the  
chances were, so that I might hear  
in - mmm certainly from him —

You do not know how I dread the  
prospect of seeing these men to-mor-  
row, but there is nothing else to be done —  
Shall I, or shall I not stop at Bryan's, of  
course I am inclined to leave things to  
your decision — all the same, but possibly  
it will become satisfactory to stop —  
Say what you think, & disinterestedly —



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I find it hard to decide it in the  
way — Give my love to Maria  
I am sorry when I write I will  
love — I suppose Maria is now  
abs. w<sup>o</sup> chance of yr. being  
at home by this week

I myself cannot bear to think  
of all yr. have to do and with  
such a burden of uncertainty  
added on rather behind it all.  
But if love can help to lighten  
the burden — yr. have it to the  
full — Lovingly yours,  
Mary S.S.