

Dresden

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1859.

My dear papa,

Since your letter which came on Monday I have not heard from Tower Terrace which rather surprises me, I, on the other hand have not written since Tuesday. Since I last wrote I have not been quite well, on Tuesday I got a most fearful headache and could not work, or read, or do anything next day I had a kind of rash and the same head-ache, so I left word with all my masters not to come, and stayed out all day (9 hours or more) and walked at least 25 miles much to the detriment of my feet which were covered too with blisters, however I got what I wished for, viz, a