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Dear Lady Paget,

Many thanks for your kind visit. I continue to have news which is satisfactory. Rejinald is getting on "slowly but surely", but requires great care, & a spasm that follows his severe coughing is painful. I think we have much cause to be thankful.

If you would like to read my wife a few lines, and you know how glad she would be to hear from you, her address is on the other side, but your vocations are many, & I mention it only as the thought occurs to me. Her work now is to sit by him all day, chat, and mend his garments, which supply ample recreation in that direction.

With best regards to Sir James
I am sincerely yours

Lady Paget.

Shirley Brooks.