

Sir: Suffering from stomach disease, I have been confined to my bed for some thirty days past. I am still far from well and have no enjoyment, ^{excepting} such as my few books afforded me. I try write to beg the loan of Lord Lytton's novels of which I know you have a complete set. Pray loose in for an hour now and then and give com-
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very dangerous Charles Yours ever truly
Shiohara
To Shasagawa Esq. now
grand father sentence chas
Now Rome was in danger of
Now Rome was in danger of conflagration
when Caesar returned from Egypt.

Sir: Suffering from stomach disease, I have been confined to my bed for some thirty days past. I am still far from well and cannot attend the school, though the annual examination is at hand. I have told, therefore, to the office, to examine me just at the beginning of next term. I was, however, told that it is the regulation of the school that the office does not take mark & trouble as to examining a pupil in the next term in case of his absence during the exam- nation of that term, unless he has got the marks above sixty in every lesson. The officer also added that I should

How the grand edifices of Rome

How the grand edifice of Rome, founded
by some Patrician government was
utterly lost

also dissolution of the nation
is utterly untraceable: to last

How is it presumed to
far from morning this

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