

FCM Jan 24<sup>th</sup>

TFU

I have a note written to you but not posted so the two can go together. I have title page proof. The top part could hardly be bettered - the last line 'Egypt' might be indented – my name raised close beneath the second title and put in L.C antique red. Then a good space before your name and style. I wish you would put it in ancient fashion By Fisher Unwin in Paternoster Square. I think I would have to Italic Cap on page. What do you think? I send you all the Raiders proofs I have. So I am clear at present.

Yours ever SRC

There is also this: UNKNOWN RECIPIENT – CAN ROUGHLY DATE FROM CONTEXT to 25<sup>th</sup> Jan

'Raiders'

69 slips are now up. Mr Crockett has returned 66; three have been sent him today.

4 sigs (64pp) are up. Mr Crockett has seen these ones and they are being returned today to him for further revisions. These had to be made up for insertion of dedication and patent of nobility. The further make-up will now be rapidly proceeded with. Title page is now undergoing correction, in accordance with suggestions contained in attached letter. We do not, however, propose using the words 'By' and 'in' in the imprint.

We imagine Mr Crockett intended Old English type to be meant when he mentioned black type in reference.