Hobart 24th Febry. 1883

Dear Sir,

I have carefully perused your letter of the 21st instant and minutely considered the symptoms so fully described and am of opinion that all things, fairly weighed and considered, including age, state of debility, loss of nerve power, digestive power due to the only course of treatment likely to prove beneficial must be one calculated - if possible - to restore and sustain the nervous and digestive functions, and with this view...
I have ordered a supply of "Fellow's Syrup of Hypophosphites, and also a supply of Reptis' Extract of Malt."—

The dose at first will be half a teaspoonful of each mixed in a little milk or water three times a day. After a while the dose may be increased to a teaspoonful of each of the stomach will bear it. I cannot think of any course of treatment so likely to renovate and improve a constitution so debilitated as yours.

Undoubtedly is——

If you were strong enough to come to Power it would be very satisfactory to see you, but I fear the journey would prove too much for your weak condition.—

I cannot suggest any improvement in your diet. If what I send you should strengthen the power of the stomach you will be able to take more with advantage——

Mr. Miller is forwarding the medicine——

I am Very Truly yours

Thos. C. Smart