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Excerpt: .all appearance of intense feeling. Titian.--St. Catherine of Genoa. The genuine edition of this is in the Louvre. This looks like good, but uncompleted work. Guebcino.-- Andromeda, very poor, but interesting as being an example of the same treatment as the Cleopatra, next noticed, purple drapery heightening flesh colour. Palazzo Bbignolb. On the right hand in the Strada Nuova. The effect, to me, imperfect, from its being stucco over bricks. Only doors and balconies of stone. Guercino.--Cleopatra. A singular melody of two colours only, with warm white. The figure lying under curtains of pure purple, or lilac, the flesh, almost the same tint as the curtains, but paler, and the bed white. Very fine. Ruhens.--Himself and his wife, a figure of Envy behind with torch, and a Bacchus, apparently typical of the felicity which excites the former. The whole picture is in warm greys, heightened...

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