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William Bell Scott, *Rossetti's Wombat*Seated in his Master's Lap, 1871. Graphite on paper. 17.8 x 11.1 cm. (Courtesy of Tate Britain, Creative Commons).