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J. M. Thompson

Kindly receive these with  
our Compliments. We are pleased to  
be of use to you in such a matter.  
Yours sincerely  
Rich. F. W. R.



H.M.M.

26 April 1916.

Dear Mr. Wren,

Many thanks for your kind letter to hand this morning. I am sending bearer for the specimens, and am very much indebted to you for all the trouble you have taken in the matter in collecting them together. The colocynth apple will do quite well for our purpose.

If you will kindly let me have an invoice of the expense incurred, I shall be obliged.

With cordial thanks,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.



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RCW/HLG

D.J. Thompson Esq.,  
Wellcome Historical Medical Museum,  
Wigmore St. W.

Dear Sir,

The specimens which you wrote me about are being got together to-day, and I will see that they are ready for your messenger if he will call to-morrow morning. I have not been able to include the Yew or the Willow, and the Colocynth will be sent in the apple and not the root which is never seen here.

Yours faithfully,



H.M.M.

18 April 1916.

Dear Mr. Wren,

Many thanks for your kind letter just to hand re the specimens of herbs. I am wanting these for the Shakespeare Medical Tercentenary Exhibition which opens on May 1st, so if I could have the specimens here on Wednesday at the latest that would suit me very well.

Very sorry to trouble you when you were away on holiday.

Trusting you are having good weather and will have a restful time,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Potter & Clarke,

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H.M.M.

13 April 1916.

Dear Mr. Wren,

Could you oblige us by letting us have a small quantity (about an ounce will do) of the following to add to our collection of ancient materia medica in this Museum:- slips of yew, rosemary, lavender, marsh mallow, plantain, violet, willow, broom, burdock, rue, colocynth root, fennel leaves, pomegranates, fumitory, and hyoscyamus. If you would kindly 'phone to me I could let a messenger call for them when they are ready.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S,t.



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15 July 1914.

Dear Sirs,

Many thanks for so kindly procuring the specimens of dried *Ceterach Officinalis* which we are very glad to have, and we enclose you herewith a postal order for the amount.

As we may be investigating this drug, and should probably want a further quantity, will you kindly let us know if you will be able to supply us with the same if we write you again?

With many thanks for the trouble you have taken on the matter,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. T.

Messrs. Potter & Clarke, Ltd.,

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To - Thompson Esq.,

Wigmore Street.

Ref. J.B.S./N.H.

Dear Sir,

We are sending you herewith specimens of dried Ceterach  
Officinalis, and are charging this up to you at the actual cost  
price which is 6/3d.

Yours faithfully,

POTTER & CLARKE LTD.

Posten + Clarke



W. H. M. M.

10 June 1914.

Dear Mr. Wren,

I desire to thank you very cordially for so kindly giving us the bunches of herbs for the Wellcome Historical Medical Museum.

If you have not yet visited the Museum, I should be very pleased to show you through and point out special objects likely to interest you any morning you may be able to call. If you will 'phone to me the day before you come, you will be sure to find me here.

Faithfully yours,

C. T.

R. C. Wren Esq.,  
Messrs. Potter & Clarke Ltd.,  
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To Mr. C.J.S. Thompson,  
Wigmore Street.

Ref. J.B.S./N.H.

Dear Sir,

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter bearing date April 30th concerning Spleen-Wort, and will do our best to obtain this for you.

Yours faithfully,

POTTER & CLARKE LTD.



Humm

30 April 1914.

Dear Mr Wren,

I desire to thank you for your kind letter of the 29th inst. I expect you are right about the Spleen-Wort "Cotarach Officinarium" if this is the plant that was used in the 16th century. If you can obtain some of this for us as you kindly suggest any time at your convenience, we shall much appreciate your kindness, I will leave the matter with you until I hear from you again.

Thanking you for the trouble you have taken in the matter,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. T.



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April 29th 1914

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REFERENCE R.C.W.

C.J.S. Thompson. Esq.,  
54a, Wignore St. W.

Dear Mr Thompson,

In reply to your letter of the 28th inst.,  
I am sorry that we have not any of the particulars of  
"Spleen-Wort" which you require in stock. What you want  
is the smooth Spleen-Wort "Cetarach Officinarium." I  
think it will be possible to get some of this, and if  
you like to leave the matter with us, we will do our  
best to supply same later on.

Yours faithfully,



Posta & Clarke.



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March 19th 1914

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REFERENCE R.C.W.

C. J. Thompson. Esq.,  
Wigmore St. W.

Dear Sir,

With reference to our meeting yesterday,  
I am sending eight of the specimens and am sorry that  
it is impossible to complete the list. Of those  
which are not sent I have endeavoured to trace with  
the following results:-

HEDYCHROS - This is Hedyocroa (Lecania Incana)  
and you will find reference to same in "Gray's Supplement"  
and "De Candolle."

SHOENANTHI - I should expect that *Crocata* ~~Cananthi~~ is  
referred to here.

STOECHADOS ARABICA - This is the Stoechas  
Arabica or French Lavender. References in "G. and De C."

POLII CRETAE - This is the Teluorium Creticum or  
Poluim Creticum.

CYM CHAMAEDRYS - This we have not been able to



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C. J. Thompson. Esq:-

trace.

SEM THLASPIOS - This would be the Sem Thlaspi  
Campestre which will also be found mentioned in "G".

If I can help in any way in regard to Botanical  
specimens and Drugs you may always call upon me.

Yours faithfully,

*W. R. Wherry*

Wren





H. J. S. T.

20 March 1914.

Dear Mr. Wren,

Very many thanks for so kindly sending the materia medica specimens for the Theriaca Andromachus. I am very grateful for your help and for the trouble you have taken in the matter. I hope if possible to get specimens of the other drugs.

Again thanking you very cordially for your kindness,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. J. S. T.

R.C. Wren Esq.,

Messrs. Potter & Clarke, Ltd.,

60, 62, & 64 Artillery Lane, E.

Hamer.

28 April 1914.

Dear Mr. Wren,

Will you kindly let me know if you have any spleen-wort or cetrach in stock, or if you could get us some during the summer? I should want about two pounds of it. It is a species, I believe, of small fern, the older name for which was ceterach, and was so spelt by Dodoeus in his Newer Herbal of 1578.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

E. T.





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REFERENCE R.C.W.

H. S. Wellcome Esq.,

Wigmore St. W.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your favour asking us to loan any articles which might be of interest for the purpose of an Historical Medical Exhibition. We beg to say that, if you will approach us somewhere near the date, we will do our best to send a few <sup>old</sup> Herbals which may be of interest, and see if there are any other articles which may be of use to you for the Exhibition.

Yours faithfully,

POTTER & CLARKE, LTD.,

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7 AUG 1912

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HÔTEL VICTORIA,  
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CORNWALL.

Dr. W. Thompson

1874/1.6

Your letter has been  
sent down to me here where  
I am recuperating for a few days.  
I will be at home next week  
unless you tell me it is urgent  
will delay sending the specimens  
until I can supervise the  
matter myself

W. H. B.

Rich. B. B.