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Memorandum.

FROM

Probsthain & Co.,
Booksellers & Publishers,
41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET,
(OPPOSITE BRITISH MUSEUM)

LONDON, W.C. 28 June 1911

TO

J. Thompson

Grey Friars

Harrow on the Hill

Dear Sir,

We are obliged for your favour and cheque £7.15.0 and by I enclose a stamped receipt.

Allow us to mention that we have 3 more works mentioned below. We do not believe that any more similar works will again be offered for sale anywhere.

1. A manuscript. *Bimeji ga Kai*. illustrating Syphilitic Diseases, including the famous mythical Disease: *Nimimengu*. well illustrated, £ 2.10.0
2. *Roncisshimi Jinshi Sai*. Anatomical work illustrated 1718. 20/-
3. A Chinese-Japanese work on Physiognomy and Chironomy illustrated, written by a Doctor to one of the Shoguns. 2/-

They can be submitted to you here or sent at once, as you may direct.

Yours truly
Probsthain & Co.

January 28th, 1910.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose cheque for 4/- in payment of Cinchona Manual. Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige

Yours faithfully,

C.J.S. Thompson,

per

Messrs Probsthain & Co,
41 Great Russell Street,
British Museum,
W.C.

Harrow.

30th June 1911.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to yours of the 23th inst., I should be glad if you would kindly send me the three manuscripts on approval to above address at your early convenience. Can you let me know the date when No. I. Biomei, was written; also any other details in English referring to the other two that you can note down I should be glad to have. I will let you know my decision on examination.

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

13th July, 1911.

Dear Sirs,

I desire to thank you for sending me Manuscripts of the three Japanese and Chinese books on approval.

They are not so interesting as the former lot we bought from you, and I can only purchase them at a reduction on the price you ask. The best offer I can make for the four, is, five pounds, ten shillings. If that is agreeable to you, kindly let me know and I will forward cheque for the amount at once.

faithfully yours,

Messrs. Prolsthain & Co.,
41, Great Russell St.,
British Museum.

TELEPHONE NO.

PROBSTHAIN & Co.,

*Oriental & Foreign
Booksellers & Publishers.*

AGENTS TO -
THE BUDDHIST SOCIETY OF GT. BRITAIN.

41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET,

(Opposite the British Museum)

LONDON, W.C.



July 14th 1911.19

Dear Sir,

We have to thank you for your favour of yesterday's date. We realize that the present lot is not so interesting as the previous one, but they are all uncommon, and will never be replaced. The reduction you have made on the total amounts to 20%, and would absorb our profit.

We feel sure that you will agree to a reduction of 15/- making the total £6.0.0. which will give you some interesting and uncommon books, allowing us at the same time some profit.

We remain, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Probsthain & Co.

Dr C. J. S. Thompson.

69, Newman Street,

W.

Harrow

25th July 1911.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter of the 14th inst. with reference to the Chinese and Japanese books which I have on approval, I regret I cannot see my way to give Six pounds for the lot, but, to settle the matter, I will split the difference with you, and give Five pounds fifteen shillings.

If this is agreeable to you, kindly let me know, and I will forward you a cheque. If not I regret I must return the books to you.

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.

41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

Memorandum.

FROM

Probsthain & Co.,
Booksellers & Publishers,
41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET,
(OPPOSITE BRITISH MUSEUM)

LONDON, W.C. 26.7.1911

TO

J^r Thompson
My Fianc

Dear Sir,

In reply to your favour of yesterday's date we beg to state,
that we will agree to the sum of £5.15.0 for the Chinese and
Japanese books.

Yours faithfully

Probsthain & Co

Harrow

16th February 1912.

Dear Sirs,

Am I indebted to you to any amount? If so,
kindly send me in an account.

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S. Thompson,
per

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Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

Harrow

13th May 1912.

Dear Sirs,

I have pleasure in enclosing a cheque for the value of Twenty-three pounds eleven shillings and fourpence, in payment of the enclosed invoice.

Kindly send me a formal receipt for the same, and oblige,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

Harrow

21st June 1912.

Dear Sir,

About three weeks ago I called upon you with reference to an error in your account with me, where I have overpaid you to the amount of Three pounds fifteen shillings.

I shall be glad if you will kindly remit me this amount, as the matter has now been standing over so long, and oblige,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

Memorandum.

FROM

Probsthain & Co.,
Booksellers & Publishers,
41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET,
(OPPOSITE BRITISH MUSEUM)

LONDON, W.C. 10 7 12

TO

N. J. S. Thompson Esq^r

Grey Friars

REPLY SENT.

12 JUL 1912

Harrow-on-the-Hill

Dear Sir,

Please pardon us for the delay in sending the cheque £3.15.0
owing to Mr. Probsthain's absence from town.

Yours faithfully

Probsthain & Co

Harrow.

12th July 1912.

Dear Sirs,

I have pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst., enclosing cheque for the value of Three pounds fifteen shillings, for which I thank you.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street, W.C.

File
Harrow

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French Dictionary - small.
~~German " - "~~
Balfour's Art Book
Haddon's Art Book
Frazer's Anthropological Question Book
~~Baker's Victoria & Albert Nyanza~~
Petrie's History (Vol. VII? at least)
Green's Arabic Grammar
Petrie's Nagada and Ballas
Diospolis Parva -----
Atlas Classical Geography - modern
Budge Nubian Kings ?
Bohn's Series. Strabo. Pliny.
Ptolemy's Geography - modern
Diodorus Siculus -----
Arab writers ? Ibn Batuta Abd el Latif.
Early Portuguese Travellers. ?

was ?
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1789
Frank Taylor 1881 (5)

PROBSTHAIN & Co.,

Oriental & Foreign
Booksellers & Publishers.



Japanese Prints.
Old Chinese Paintings.

41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET.

(Opposite the British Museum)

LONDON, W.C.

2 October 1912

Dear Sir,

We wish to thank you for introduction of S^r Chalmer
whose order has been attended to.

- with reference to the list of books you were good enough
to hand us, we beg to state that we can supply by return.
- 4.6 ✓ 1. Balfour. Evolution of Decorative Art, illus. 14/6 net price
 - 6 ✓ 2 Prof Haddon. Evolution in Art. 6/-
 - 6 ✓ 3. Frazer. Customs in Customs, Beliefs of Savages. 6/-
 - 6 ✓ 4. Petrie. History. complete in 6 vols. at 6/- each.
 - 5. Green. Arabic Grammar, 2 vols. 15/6
 - 6. Petrie. Nagada, Ballos. 2/- ~~we are not quite certain about this~~
 - 6.0 ✓ 7. Hughes & Long. Atlas of Classical Geography 6/-
 - 8 Strabo, 3 vols. 15/- } we shall have a cheap look out for
 - 9. Pliny. 1 vol 5/- } second hand copies, and will send them
if obtainable within a week.
 - 10. Ibn Batuta. English Translation. scarce book 1829 3/3/-
 - 4.0 ✓ 11. Abd el Latif. We have an Arabic Text at 4/- ^{expensive}
but there is a scarce French Translation (not English) at 16/-
 - 12. 0 ✓ 12. Budge. Kings of Egypt. 2 vols. 12/-
The second vol. contains Chubian Kings.
- of Ptolemy and Diodorus there are no modern editions.
If you will be good enough to let us have the list by return, we
can deal with it at once, and look for second hand copies if obtainable.
- We are, Dear Sir, Yours faithfully
C. J. S. Thompson Esq. P. Probsthain

Harrow

3rd October 1912.

Dear Sir,

Thanks for your of the 2nd inst. enclosing the list of books. Please obtain for me the following:-

Balfour's Evolution on Decorative Art.
Haddon's Evolution in Art.
Frazer's Questions on Customs.
Petrie's History.
Hughes' Classical Geography.
Abd el Latif at four shillings.
Budge's Kings of Egypt.

When these are ready, please send me a post card and I will send a messenger for them, and should require bill at the same time.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

G.J.ST.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street.

Grey Friars,

26th. October, 1912.

Dear Sirs,

If you could let me have the Papyrus Books for ~~44.15/-~~ nett, I will have it.

When ready, let me know and I will send to your place for it and pay cash; do not send it here.

Faithfully yours

Pronstheim

Messrs. Pronstheim & Co.,
41, Great Russell Street,
W.C.

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C. J. S. Thompson Esq^r

Grey Friars

Harrow-on-the-Hill

TELEPHONE:- CITY 7044.

PROBSTHAIN & CO.,

Oriental Booksellers and Publishers.
41, Great Russell Street, London, W.C.
(OPPOSITE THE BRITISH MUSEUM.)

Messrs. Probsthain beg to state that they have just received:

Papyrus Ebers - 2 vols with 110 Plates
Second Edition. £ 5.5.0

The Favour of an Order is Solicited.

29 Jan. 1913.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose herewith cheque for £2-10-0
in payment of my a/c.

Kindly send me receipt as soon as
possible.

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S. Thompson.

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Messrs. Probsthain & Co.

Harrow

31 st March 1918.

Dear Sirs,

I have pleasure in enclosing you herewith a cheque for Seven Pounds five shillings being the amount of the enclosed invoice.

Kindly send me a receipt at your earliest convenience.

Faithfully yours,

G.J.S.T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,

41 Great Russell Street,

W.C.

Harrow.

30th April 1913.

Dear Sirs,

I have pleasure in enclosing you herewith a cheque for Seven Pounds Five shillings, being the amount of the enclosed invoice.

Kindly send me a receipt at your earliest convenience, and oblige,

Faithfully yours,

C. J. S. T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,

41 Great Russell Street,

W.C.

H.M.

14 October 1913.

Dear Sirs,

Will you kindly let me know if you can procure for me
a second-hand copy of the following:-

'Notes on the Mineral Wealth of the Sudan - From Khartoum
to Abyssinia 1903.' Published by The London & Sudan Develop-
ment Syndicate Ltd.

Also, 'Extracts from Bergeath's Russegger's Travels in the
Sudan'. Edited and arranged by Charles Tuchmann.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. N. S. I.

Messrs. Probethain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street.

TELEPHONE 7044 CITY.

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Oriental Booksellers & Publishers.

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Forgotten Empire by H. G.
RAWLINSON 7/6
VII. History of Chinese Philo-
sophy by D. T. SUZUKI 6/-
VIII. and IX. The I Li: The
Chinese Classic of Ceremonial
transl. by J. STEELE, 2 vols.
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Prof. CH. DUROISELLE.
XI. and XII. Haft Paikar. The
7 Portraits, or the Adventures
of King Bahram and his 7
Queens, by NIZAMI. From the
Persian, by Prof. C. E. WILSON

41, GREAT RUSSELL STREET,

(Opposite the British Museum)

LONDON, W.C.

15th October 1913

Dr C.J.S. Thompson

Grey Friars

HARROW.

Dear Sir,

In answer to esteemed enquiry we beg to inform you that we have a copy of NOTES ON THE MINERAL WEALTH OF THE SUDAN - FROM KHARTOUM TO ABYSSINIA, 1903, and EXTRACTS from BERGEATH'S RUSSEGGER'S TRAVELS IN THE SUDAN, both comprised in one volume, and the price is 8/- net.

Please instruct us if you require the work.

We are, Dear Sir

Yours very truly,

Probsthain & Co.

Harrow.

16 October 1913.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter of the 15th inst., please give bearer a copy of 'Notes on the Mineral Wealth of the Sudan - From Khartoum to Abyssinia,' 1903, and 'Extracts from Bergeath's Russegger's Travels in the Sudan' which you have comprised in one volume the price of which is 8/-. Kindly charge this amount to my account.

Faithfully yours,

C. F. A.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.

Hume.

16 October 1913.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly let me know if you can procure for me a copy of 'The Book of the Master' by Masham Adams.

It was published by John Murray in 1898.

Awaiting the favour of your early reply,

Faithfully yours,



Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street.

Harrow

23 December 1913.

Dear Sirs,

I send herewith cheque for
One Pound seventeen shillings and
sixpence in payment of enclosed account.
I shall be obliged if you will kindly
let me have a receipt for it as soon
as convenient.

Faithfully yours,

C. T.

Messrs. Probsthain & Co.,
41 Great Russell Street,
W. C.