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Translation of letter to Dr. Mantonaki, 19th August 1913.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you very cordially for your interesting letter and for the valuable notes on Prehistoric Cretan Medicine, which you have been good enough to send me.

Many thanks also for the stone probe, three coins and needles which you have sent for the H.M.M. I assure you I greatly appreciate your kindness.

Should you come across any other ancient objects of medical interest I should be very glad if you would procure them for me.

I send you under separate cover a copy of the Guide Book and an account of the Opening Ceremony in French.

Tusting you will find them of interest,

Yours very truly,

1 AUG 1915

Colombanié 24. Juillet 1915

Monsieur H. S. Welcomme.

Je viens vous écrire quelques mots sur la médecine préhistorique de l'Egypte après des inscriptions très importantes que je viens de voir et lire.

Si nous voulons des Anciens Auteurs je possède une traduction en Grec Ορθόδοξη et Ηλιότητα ή ημίτητα de M^e A. Mouris et Αέριον, Μεγάλη ορθόδοξη έdition du D^r S. Zervos, en grecque nouvelle.

Vous recevez 2 figures, un stélat en pierre au moins 5 mille ans. 3 monnaies l'un en Vénus sans port la figure d'Erythreas, le 2^{me} port le soleil et un symbole = forme du cœur. le 3^{me} symbole de Pharmacie.

Ensemble vous verrez 2 morceaux d'aiguille et injonctions ou si paracatose troué au même bouton.

Je regrette de ne pouvoir vos aider plus à cause de mon service de l'École militaire

L. J. V.P.

alée guerre actuelle.

J'exprime encore une fois mon espe-
rance d'obtenir des inscriptions médicales sur plaques
très volumineuses et autres objets.

Reverez Mr Wellcome l'assurance
de mes considérations distinguées

D^r. Marzocchini

Monte Carlo

Artefact

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Translation of letter from Dr. S.T. Mantonaki.

I send you some notes of Prehistoric Cretan Medicine taken from important inscriptions which I have recently seen and read.

If you wish to have ancient authors I have Greek translations of
by Mr. A. Kouris and by Dr. S. Zervos.

I send you two objects; a stone probe at least 5,000 years old; three coins, the first bears the figure of Erythreos, the second the sun and a symbol of the heart, the third a pharmaceutical symbol. I also send you two tapping needles (?) found in the same tomb.

I am sorry not to be able to give you more assistance. I also regret my inability to send you medical inscriptions on plates and other objects.