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KOUWER, PROFESSOR. UTRECHT

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10 June 1914.

Dear Sir,

Please accept our very cordial thanks for so kindly sending the photographs of the ancient midwifery forceps in your collection. They will be very helpful to us in our work.

I should be glad, however, if you would kindly inform me if you know of a modeller in Utrecht who would make exact replicas of them in metal at a moderate price, as such copies would be of great value to us in the Museum. If you could furnish me with particulars of the cost of modelling the forceps of Palfyn, Schlutting and Rathlaum, I should be greatly obliged.

I am sending you under separate cover a copy of the Hand-Book to this Museum, and hope that when next you are in London you will pay it a visit.

Again thanking you very cordially for your kindness and the trouble you have taken in the matter,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

Professor Kouwer,
Justus Van Effenstraat 29,
Utrecht, Holland.

C. T.

Konwer

H.M.M.

19 May 1914.

Trans. of letter to Prof. Kower,
Terstens Von Effenstraat 29,
Utrecht.

Dear Sir,

We are very desirous of having replicas made of some of the ancient obstetric instruments that are in the Mulder Collection, and I should greatly appreciate your kindness if you would be good enough to let me know if I could have replicas made of *the fragments of Palfrey*

Duse, Mennard, Ramlan Schlichting

If you would kindly let me know what the cost would be for making the same, I should be pleased to forward you a draft for that amount.

Dr. Allan Doran of the Royal College of Surgeons has mentioned your name to me as he is much interested in the collection that we have in the W.H.M.M. ^{*complete*} It is our wish to make our collection of obstetric instruments as ~~perfect~~ ^{*complete*} as possible, and it is to supply the missing links that we should like to have the replicas I have mentioned.

will you kindly return answer also if you have fragments
C.J.S.F.

of Gypard & Guevires

You were

Rome

UTRECHT, 16 / vi / 14
JUSTUS VAN EFFEENSTRAAT 29.

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to lend you
herby four photographs from
fossils of ^{Paleozoic} Paleozoic, Silurian
and Rensselaer, from my
collection.

Fossils of Devon, Permian,
Triassic and Cretaceous are not
represented in my museum.

Truly Yours

H. J. Kouwer