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February 8. 1905.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 7th inst., and for the kind offer to loan me an engraving of Tanier's painting "Le Chirurgical Flamaud" for my forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

I shall be very pleased to have this, and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which it should be delivered.

I am,

Yours very truly,

D. Anderson Esq.,
31, Fountainhall Road,
Aberdeen,
N.B.



D. ANDERSON,
DISPENSING CHEMIST.
Telephone No 1711.

31 Fountainhall Road,

Aberdeen 7 July 1905

Dear Sir!

I have an engraving
by J. Daulle of Samson's
painting "Le Chirurgien
Hamard", of considerable
interest, if you would
care to have it for your
Exhibition I will send
it when you let me know
the probable date

Yours very truly
D. Anderson

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February 28. 1905.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 26th inst., and for the kind offer to loan two old books - Hooke's "Micrographia" 1664 and "Death in the Pot" 1820 for my forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

I shall be very pleased to have the former but regret that lack of space will prevent my exhibiting any works published later than 1700.

Notice will be sent you in due course of the time and place to which the former should be delivered.

Again thanking you,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Arthur Angell Esq., Ph.D., F.I.C.,
County Laboratory,
Regent's Park,
Southampton.

ARTHUR ANGELL, PH.D., F.I.C.

Public Analyst.

FOR THE COUNTY OF HANTS
AND FOR
GUILDFORD AND WINCHESTER.

CHEMIST TO
THE ROYAL COUNTIES AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
AND TO
THE FAREHAM & SOUTH HANTS FARMERS' CLUB.

TELEPHONE NO. 74X.

County Laboratory,

Regent's Park,

Southampton,

Feb 26th 1905

Dear Sir.

I shall be pleased
to loan to you the books
described upon enclosed
Card; if of any use to you
I will send them on per
post. I don't know what
value to set upon them
but am willing to loan them
to your arrangement.

Yours truly
Arthur Angell

Very S Welcome &c.

REC'D 27 FEB 1905

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HISTORICAL EXHIBITION OF MEDICAL, CHEMICAL,
PHARMACEUTICAL & ALLIED OBJECTS OF INTEREST

TO BE HELD IN LONDON SHORTLY, ORGANISED BY,
AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HENRY S. WELLCOME

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Description of proposed loans,
with particulars of date and
history (if known), approxi-
mate dimensions and weight

Hookes Micrographica
with force macanleys
Coat of arms. 1664
12" + 8.

Death in the Pot Accum
2nd edit: 1820.

Estimated value for insurance.
Kindly say if insurance is
desired in transit as well as
during exhibition

Suggestions and information, etc., will be appreciated

Name and Address

Arthur Smyth
Deane House
Southampton

Loans should not be forwarded until date and place of Exhibition
are communicated

POST CARD

Stamp

HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDON, E.C.

REC'D 27 FEB 1905

ANSWR

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February 24. 1905.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. in which you kindly send me a list of books belonging to your Dr E. M. Epstein, which he kindly offers to loan for my forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

Owing to the pressure on our space, I regret that I shall be unable to display any books published later than 1700.

Thanking you and Dr Epstein for the trouble you have taken,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr W. C. Abbott,
The Clinis Publishing Company,
Ravenswood Station,
Chicago, Illinois,
U.S.A.



Dr. W. C. Abbott, President
H. B. Shattuck, Treasurer

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Advertising Manager

The Clinic Publishing Company

THE ALKALOIDAL CLINIC
AND
ALKALOIDAL LITERATURE

Printers and Publishers for the Medical Profession

'Phone, Lake View 748

Chicago (Ravenswood Station)

Feb. 11th, 05.

Mr. Henry S. Welcome,

Snow Hill Building, London, E. C.

Dear Sir:

Your circular requesting loans for your proposed Historical exhibition of Medical, Chemical, Pharmaceutical and allied objects of interest came to hand some time ago but has been overlooked.

One of my assistants, Dr. E. M. Epstein, has five books, which he thinks suitable for that purpose, the description of which is here enclosed, in which the prices of such as are saleable are given. If they are loaned he desires them to be insured in \$65. The weights of the books are given at the end of each title. We are greatly interested in the proposed exhibit and certainly hope that it may prove a success.

Regretting that we did not have the pleasure of meeting you when you were in Chicago, We remain

Sincerely yours,

THE CLINIC PUBLISHING CO.

Dr. W. C. Abbott.

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Translation of its German Title.

(1) Theo-Philosophia Theroretico Prostica, or the true ground of Divine and natural secrets, say knowledge by which both tinctures, the heavenly and earthly can be obtained. Also there is shown therewith the ground of all particular and the foundation of all true MEDICINE, how to proceed in external nature in all its kingdoms, so that everybody might be brought back into its paradisaical state by means of Chemistry, or the art of separation (scheidekunst). Also an explanation of Operis Maximi and addition of experiments, all to the praise of God and the nature of man, published by Sincero Renato, in Breslau, by the heirs of Esaias Helgibel of blessed memory. An. 1711.

The work was copied by Heinrich Basle. 1841. It contains 365 pages of 32 lines of six inches having about 12 words to the average. Paper very stout. Bound in green Saffian. Gilt-edged. A few leaves are missing in the end.

The book of great historic value, and not a little in theosophic and philosophic respects. I value it in \$50.00. Weight 35 ounces.

(2) Co. Simeon Lindinges D et Prof Theol. de Ebraeorum Veterum Arte Medica de Doemone, et Doemohious.

Servestae et Leocorue. apend sam. Godofr. Zimmermannum.

MDCCLXXIV. weight 50. Value \$2.00

(3) Translation of the German title page.

The Transcendental, Magic and magic cures in the Talmud, by Dr. Gideon Brecher, Vienna, 1850.

A very interesting work written by a thorough Talmudic scholar and a modern educated man. The work ought to be rendered into English weight ten ounces. (not saleable)

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(4) Volksarzneimittel, and einfache, nicht Pharmaceutische, Heilmittel gegen Krankheiten des Menschen ein Haus-und Familienbuch für die gebildeten Stände, von Dr. Joh. Fr. Oslander, Sechste Auflage. Hanover, Carl Meyer, 1865

This is a most important book for such a Medical exhibitory collection as M. Wellcome contemplates. But inquiry should be made whether or not there appeared a later than this 6th edition. Weight 11 ounces.

(5) Myographiae Comparatae Specimen.

Comparative description of all the muscles in a Man and Quadrupeds showing their Discoverer, Origin, Progress, Insertion, Use and Difference. To which is added an account of the Muscles peculiar to a woman, with an Etymological Table and several Indexes. By James Douglas, M. D.

MDCCLIX. Weight 10 ounces.

This is a rare and very valuable book containing very interesting anatomical details not found in the usual books on Anatomy. (not saleable)

RECEIVED 23 FEB 1905
ANSWER

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June 7th 1906.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your postcard just to hand, and for your kind offer to loan me two old-fashioned lever tooth extractors for the forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

I shall be very pleased to have these, and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which they should be delivered.

I am,

Yours very truly,

David S. B. Anderson Esq.,
Chemist,
Durban,
Natal.

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PHARMACEUTICAL & ALLIED OBJECTS OF INTEREST

TO BE HELD IN LONDON SHORTLY, ORGANISED BY,
AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HENRY S. WELLCOME

Description of proposed loans,
with particulars of date and
history (if known), approxi-
mate dimensions and weight

2 x old fashioned Lever
Tooth extractors
Probably only 60 or 70
years old.

Estimated value for insurance.
Kindly say if insurance is
desired in transit as well as
during exhibition

Nil

Name and Address

David B. Anderson
Chemist: Durban
Natal.

Loans should not be forwarded until date and place of Exhibition
are communicated

Suggestions and information, etc., will be appreciated

POST CARD



HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDON, E.C.

9 JUN 1905

Answered

876
Answered.
29 MAY 1905

20, DOVER ROAD,
SHEFFIELD.

May 25th. 1905

Mr Wellcome
Southill Bldg. London

Dear Sir. Sometime ago I recd.
a communication from your
re Pharmaceutical Antiquities
for your forthcoming exhibition
in London. — I had a
number of old Pharmacy jars
(18) at the St Louis Exhibition
and as these have now been
returned I am writing to
ask if these will be of any use
to you. — They are at present
in the hands of Mr Thomas
Tyler of Sterling Chem Co.
& if you think they are suitable
I shall be most happy to
send them to you. Yours faithfully
John Auster
Pharm Chemist.

846

b April 9. 1904

Dear Sir,

I beg to enclose you particulars of an historical medical exhibition which I purpose holding in London shortly, and I shall esteem it a favour if you could loan me any objects connected with the history of medicine or chemistry for display

I need hardly assure you that such objects will receive the greatest possible care and will be insured both in transit and while in my possession.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Yours very truly,

John Austen Esq.,
Chemist,
Sheffield.

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May 29th 1905.

Dear Sir,

Many thanks for your kind letter of the 25th inst. with respect to your collection of old pharmacy jars, etc.

Owing to the enormous amount of work involved, and my having enlarged the scope of the historical medical exhibition, I have decided to postpone it for some months hence. As soon as I can fix a date, I shall be most pleased to let you know, and would be very glad to have the loan of your old pharmacy vases, etc. for the exhibition. I am afraid it would be no use my taking possession of them just now until I can fix the date when the exhibition will take place, when I will communicate with you later.

With many thanks for your kind interest in the matter,

I am,

Yours very truly,

John Austen Esq.,
20, Dover Road,
Sheffield.

For translation into Italian.

911

July 12. 1905

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your postcard and for your kind offer to loan me an old manuscript in Italian (Rimidi farmaceutici), four pharmaceutical books and one earthen pot for my forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

I shall be very pleased to have these, and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which they should be delivered.

Kindly advise me if any of these articles are for sale, and if so, please state price. I should be pleased to bear all cost of sending and returning to you, and insure them for the amount you state.

Thanking you for your kind interest in the matter,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Henry S. Wellcome

Americo Arcangelo,
Vogogna,
Italy.

Duplicate.

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il 12 Luglio 1905

Egregio Signore,

In possessione della vostra grata cartolina postale vi ringrazio sinceramente della vostra offerta di prestarmi un antico manoscritto in italiano intitolato "Remedi farmaceutici," quattro libri farmaceutici ed un vaso di terra pella imminente esposizione storica medica.

Avrò piacere di riceverli e vi parteciperò a suo tempo quando e dove devono essere mandati.

Vi sarò grato di volermi dire si questi oggetti od una parte di essi sono da vendere ed in questo caso vi prego d'indicarmi i prezzi.

Sarei disposto con piacere ad assumere tutte le spese risultanti dalla spedizione e dal ritorno e ad assicurarli per la somma indicata da voi.

Gradite signore, i miei sinceri saluti

Signor Americo Arcangelo,
Vogogna,
I T A L I A .

Translation of card from Americo Arcangelo, Vogogna, Italy,
dated 4th July, 1905, received here 7th July, 1905

Pharmaceutical Remedies (Rimedi farmaceutici) manuscript in Latin
and Italian very old, date unknown. Four pharmaceutical books, three
printed in the year 1700 and one in 1600. One earthen pot varnished
very old, antique design (adep Humani) Weight about ?Dimensions?c.70x 20
Value L.500 and L.150. To be insured Until the return
without any expenses for myself.

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ESPOSIZIONE ISTORICA D' OGGETTI INTERESSANTI
DI MEDICINA, CHIMICA, FARMACIA E SCIENZE AFFINI

DA FARSI, TRA BREVE TEMPO, IN LONDRA
ORGANIZZATA PER E SOTTO LA DIREZIONE DI HENRY S. WELLCOME

Descrizione dei oggetti da pres-
tarsi con particolari delle loro
date e storie (cuando sono
conosciuti) dimensioni e pesi
approssimati

Primo Farmaceutica
manoscritto in latino
e Italiano di Antica iguota
data = Quattro libri farm.
a stampa del 1700 e
uno del 1600 = Un vaso di
terra verniciata, antico con
disegno di Archetta. (Aden Humani)
n. 150 1/2 m. 3 circa.
Valore stimato per l'assicura-
zione. Si prega d'indicare se si
desidera che l'assicurazione sia
effettuata tanto in transito che
durante l'esposizione

Secondo
cent. 30 + 20
Valore £ 500. e cent. cinquanta
da assicurarsi fino al ritorno
e senza nessuna mia spesa

Nome del prestatore

Indirizzo

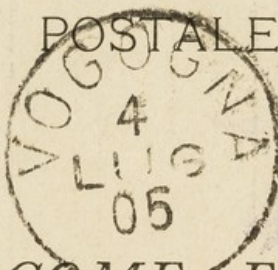
Data

Si prega di non spedire nessunoi oggetti prima di ricevere particolari
della data e della destinazione

It

Si placera ricevere suggerimenti, informazione, ecct.

CARTOLINA POSTALE



HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDRA, E.C.

Inghilterra



For translation into Italian.

918

July 31. 1905

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your postcard of the 24th inst., and for your kind offer to loan me a copy of Anatomia Corporum Humanorum by Cowper for my forthcoming historical medical exhibition.

I should have been very pleased to availed myself of your offer, but I already have a copy of my Library,

Again thanking you,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Henry S. Wellcome
Ctli

Mr Guiseppe Assauto,
Biella,
Nouara,
ITALY.

Duplicate.

918

il 31 Luglio 1905

Egregio Signore,

Vi ringrazio sinceramente della vostra cartolina postale del 24 cte facendomi l'offerta del prestito d'un esemplare dell' "Anatomia Corporum Humanorum" dal Cowper per la mia prossima esposizione storica-medica.

Mi sarebbe stato cosa aggradevole di poter profittare di tale offerta, ma mi rincresce di dovervi dire che ne possiedo già un esemplare nella mia biblioteca.

Rinnovandovi i miei ringraziamenti vi saluto sinceramente.

Signor Giuseppe Assauto,
Biella,
Novara,
I T A L I A .

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Translation of post card from Guiseppe Assauto, Chemists,
Biella, Nouara, Italy dated 24th July 1905.

Anatomia Corporum Humanorum, ~~curante~~ curante Guglielmo
Cowper, edition MDCCL. Splendid edition with magnificent
engravings. Weight Kos.6250 (?) about. Dimensions 36 x 53.

In reply to your request I am disposed to forward
you this magnificent volume and would also be inclined to sell
it to a student or amateur of these ancient editions.

ESPOSIZIONE ISTORICA D' OGGETTI INTERESSANTI
DI MEDICINA, CHIMICA, FARMACIA E SCIENZE AFFINI

DA FARSI, TRA BREVE TEMPO, IN LONDRA
ORGANIZZATA PER E SOTTO LA DIREZIONE DI HENRY S. WELLCOME

Descrizione dei oggetti da pres-
tarsi con particolari delle loro
date e storie (cuando sono
conosciuti) dimensioni e pesi
approssimati

Anatomia Corporum
Humanorum, curant

Guiglielmo Cooper - Edizione

MDCCL. Splendida edizione con ma-
gnifiche incisioni. Loro Kg. 6250 circa.
Dimensioni cm. 38 x 53.

A vostra richiesta sono dispo-

Valore stimato per l'assicura-
zione. Si prega d'indicare se si
desidera che l'assicurazione sia
effettuata tanto in transito che
durante l'esposizione

sto a spedirmi questo
magnifico volume

ed anche disposto a venderlo a
qualche studioso o amatore
di queste antiche edizioni.

Nome del prestatore

Giuseppe Assauto

Indirizzo

Chimico - Farmacista

Data

Biella 24 - 7 - 1905 Biella
{ Novara }

Si prega di non spedire nessunoi oggetti prima di ricevere particolari
della data e della destinazione

(Italia It)

Mi piacerà ricevere suggerimenti, informazione, ecct

CARTOLINA POSTALE

HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDRA, E.C.

Inghilterra



Dear Sir,

You certainly think that I have forgotten all about the skull, and therefore you will not be very satisfied with me. The delay however results from unexpected circumstances:

First of all, I had to pay 100 lire to get the table here, and I thought that the remainder viz. 25 lire would be sufficient to cover packing and carriage expenses but in reality I had to spend the double of this amount, and this owing to the difficulties made by the Italian authorities to allow the skull to travel, and then also on account of the fact that two separate parcels will be necessary to forward the objects.

I hope anyhow to overcome any difficulty, and to send you the parcels in a few ^{carriage paid} days. I beg to call your attention on the fact that ~~there~~ ^{these} will be ^{extra} custom charges which cannot be paid at the dispatching station, and which you will have to provide for.

I hope that under all circumstances, I will be able to forward you the parcels in the course of a few days, and I am sure, that on seeing the objects, you

will pay my expenses, or at least
give me some remuneration
for all the trouble I have taken
in the matter.

Please, kindly tell me if
you wish to purchase the book "Dis-
corsi del Matthioli 1559" for
the price of 25 lire.

I will inform you ^{about} the for-
warding of the parcels and
meanwhile I remain, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Dr Aldo Togni

Longiano (Forlì) 29 Oct. 06. Phys. Surgeon

D. Aldo Tozzi

Ufficiale Sanitario

LONGIANO

(FORL.)

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Transl.

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Se

Ill.mo Signore,

ANSWER
REC'D

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NOV 1906

Ella pensava che io mi sia dimenticato di spedire la tavola e si lamentava di me. Ma il ritardo proviene da alcuni fattori impreveduti.

Prima di tutto per ritardarla ho dovuto sborsare L. 100 e mi lusingavo che le rimanenti L. 25 fossero sufficienti per l'imballaggio ed il trasporto, ma invece ne occorre più del doppio, anche, perché le autorità Italiane fanno molte difficoltà per lasciar viaggiare il teschio ed occorrono due spedizioni separate.

Tuttavia, spero di poter superare tutte le difficoltà e di effettuare a giorni le spedizioni affrancate.

Pero vi saranno spese di dogana che non si possono pagare alla stazione di partenza e che, ad ogni modo Ella dovrà sostenere.

Ad ogni modo spero di fare a girare la spedi-
zione e mi bisogna che ella, quando avrà vedu-
to l'oggetto, mi compenserà delle spese che ho do-
vuto sostenere, se non dell'incomodo avuto nel
preparare tutto e nell'ottenere i debiti permessi.
Sir,

Ma scriva pure se vuole il libro che Le pro-
poni per £25, ossia i Discorsi del Matthioli
del 1559.

Le scriverò quando posso fare le spedizioni,
intanto La riverisco con la più grande
 stima e mi professo

Il suo Sig.
L^o Henry J. Wellcome
London

Longiano (Forlì) 29 ott. 06
Suo Devoto
F. Aldo Zoni
Medico - (Chirurgo)

1105

8th. April 1906.

Madam,

I beg to thank you for your post card of the 15th. February, and for the kind offer to loan an old boat-shaped china feeding bottle to my forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition. I shall be very pleased to have this, and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which it should be delivered.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Miss E.M. Allnutt
72 The Grove,
Hammersmith.

Recd.
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FEB 16
TO BE HELD IN LONDON SHORTLY, ORGANISED BY,
AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HENRY S. WELLCOME

Description of proposed loans,
with particulars of date and
history (if known), approxi-
mate dimensions and weight

*An old fashioned
bowl-shaped china
feeding-bottle with cork hole
in centre*

1105

Estimated value for insurance.
Kindly say if insurance is
desired in transit as well as
during exhibition

7/6

Name and Address

*Edith M. Allnut
72 The Grove
Hammerwich Co.*

Loans should not be forwarded until date and place of Exhibition
are communicated

Suggestions and information, etc., will be appreciated

POST CARD



HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDON, E.C.

February 16th 1906

Madam,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the 15th inst. offering to loan an old feeding bottle for the forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition.

Mr Wellcome is at present travelling abroad and on his return I will bring the matter before him and communicate with you again.

Yours very truly,

C. J. S. Thompson,

per

Miss Edith M. Allnut,

72 The Grove,

Hammersmith,

W.

1083

9 Avril 1906.

O Monsieur le Professeur,

On vient de me remettre, a mon retour de voyage, les tres interessants bulletins de Laboratoires que vous avez bien voulu m'envoyer dernièrement et pour lesquels je vous prie d'accepter mes tres vifs remerciements.

Croyez, Monsieur le Professeur, a mes sentiments de parfaite consideration.

Monsieur le Professeur Alberto d'Aguilar,
Rue Restauracao, 356
Porto
Portugal.

For translation into French.

1083
6th. April 1906.

Dear Sir,

Please accept my cordial thanks for so kindly sending me the selection of your Laboratory bulletins which I have found most interesting, and I am very pleased to have them.

Again thanking you for your kindness in sending the same,

I am,

Yours very truly,

C. J. A. T.

Prof! Alberto d'Aguiar
Rua Restauracao 356
Porto
Portugal

For translation into French.

1083
8th. April 1906.

Dear Sir,

Please accept my cordial thanks for so kindly sending me the selection of your Laboratory bulletins which I have found most interesting, and I am very pleased to have them.

Again thanking you for your kindness in sending the same,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Prof! Alberto d'Aguiar
Rua Restauracao 356
Porto
Portugal

1583
le 1^{er} Février 1906.

Monsieur le Professeur,

J'ai l'avantage de vous accuser la réception de votre estimée carte postale du 21 janvier dernier, ainsi que des bulletins dont elle annonçait l'envoi.

M. Wellcome est actuellement en voyage à l'étranger, mais à son retour, je ne manquerai pas de lui signaler votre aimable communication et de vous écrire de nouveau à ce sujet.

Agréez, Monsieur le Professeur, l'assurance de ma considération distinguée.

Monsieur le Professeur Alberto d'Aguiar,
Rua Restauração, 356,
Porto,
Portugal.

For translation into French.

1083

January 31st 1906

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your card of the 21st inst. also the laboratory bulletins advised thereon. Mr Wellcome is at present travelling abroad, and on his return I will bring them before him and communicate with you again.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Prof. Alberto d'Aguiar,
Rua Restauração, 356,
Porto,
Protugal.

Translation of post card from Prof. Alberto d' Aguiar, Rua
Restauração, 356, Porto, Portugal. dated 21st Jan. 1906.

Just as a curiosity, I sent you to-day a few models
of my laboratory bulletins.

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EXPOSITION HISTORIQUE D'OBJETS D'INTÉRÊT EN
MEDECINE, CHIMIE, PHARMACIE ET LES
SCIENCES ALLIÉES

DEVANT SE TENIR PROCHAINEMENT À LONDRES
ORGANISÉE PAR ET SOUS LA DIRECTION DE HENRY S. WELLCOME

1 JAN 26 1906
Description des objets à prêter,
avec détails de date et histoire
(lorsqu'ils sont connus) dimen-
sions et poids approximatifs

21 Janvier, 1906

Monsieur

105
Seulement à titre de curi-
osité je vous envoie dans
cette date quelques modèles
de mes bulletins de labo-

Valeur estimée pour assurance.
Prière d'indiquer si l'assurance
doit être effectuée en transit
aussi bien que pendant l'expo-
sition

rationne

Agreez Monsieur

mes salutations très empressées

Toute suggestion et information recevra mon meilleur accueil

Nom du prêteur

Prof. Alberto d'Aguilar

Adresse

Rua Restauração, 356

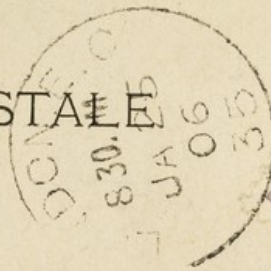
Date

21-I-906

Porto (Portugal)

Vous êtes prié de n'expédier aucun objet, avant de recevoir détails
de temps et lieu

CARTE POSTALE



HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDRES, E.C.

Angleterre

1093

June 21st, 1906,

Madam,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending me the arm-rest, as promised, for the Historical Medical Exhibition. It will be some time yet before the Exhibition is held, but I will store it carefully, and return it to you when the Exhibition is over.

I am,

Yours very truly

Sister Alex,
Gneston,
Canterbury Road,
East Grinstead,
Sussex.

Hillier & Co
Ameslee
Canterbury Rd
East-Grinstead
Sussex.

1093

Homelee (1093)
43 The Governor
Mergate

Sir
I hope you will not
mind - but I shall
be in Sussex for a
few months - so am
obliged to send on
the Amaret -.

Yours Truly
Lester Alex:
H. S. Wellcome Esq

REC'D

21 JUN 1906

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Recd.

APR 17 1906

26 Fitzroy Avenue

Margate

~~March 13th - 06~~
April

Sir

In answer to your kind
letter of the 6th I am writing
to tell you Sister Alex
Homelee

The Provener

Margate

will send the Hospital

Sister who owns the
Arms rest - & who I feel
I shall well lend it - if
I be so asked -

I am Yours Truly

E. H. Rowlett.

1093
17th. April 1906.

Madam,

Nurse E.H. Rowlatt has kindly informed me that you have in your possession an arm rest which was used in the Franco-Prussian War. Please let me know if you would be good enough to loan it to me for the forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition, particulars of which I enclose herewith. Kindly do not send same until I advise you of the time and place to which this article should be forwarded.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Sister, Alex,
Hazelee,
The Grosvenor,
Margate.

Homelee
43 The Garrison
Margale-
Kent-

Dear Sir

I will gladly send
on the little corn rest
if you will let me
know the exact place
I'm free.

Sister Alex:

To H. S. Welcome Esq =

HISTORICAL EXHIBITION OF MEDICAL, CHEMICAL, PHARMACEUTICAL & ALLIED OBJECTS OF INTEREST

TO BE HELD IN LONDON SHORTLY, ORGANISED BY,
AND UNDER THE DIRECTION OF HENRY S. WELLCOME

Description of proposed loans,
with particulars of date and
history (if known), approxi-
mate dimensions and weight

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Estimated value for insurance.
Kindly say if insurance is
desired in transit as well as
during exhibition

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Name and Address

.....
.....

Loans should not be forwarded until date and place of Exhibition
are communicated

If for disposal, please state price

Suggestions and information, etc., will be appreciated

POST CARD

Stamp

HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDON (Eng.)

28/4/06

Reed

APR 30 1855

BLACKWATER,

HANTS.

Dear Sir

2, Exhibition

I can offer if suitable

1. An engraving of
a tooth extraction
circa 1640, obviously
a demonstration of
some famous Surgeon
of that day —
painted in manner
of School of Rubens
Engraving style of
Vorsterman, but having
proof before all letters
too unimpaired in
Pres. Mus. I have been
unable to attribute
definitely
Beyond perhaps it

has further interest in
instruments of the same
being displayed
on Table

2. Portrait of Dr Ward
MP for Marlborough
Always requiring
proof before letters.
Subject Britannia
whenever has sent
into presence of Dr W.

I am

Yours truly

J. H. Adams

To
Henry S. Wallcome

1139
7th. May 1906.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 28th. ult. and for the kind offer to loan the engravings and portrait you mention to my forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition I shall be very pleased to have them and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which they should be delivered.

Yours very truly,

Dr A. L. Adams,
Blackwater
Hants.

(1205)

May 24th, 1906.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your postcard of the 23rd inst., and for your kind offer to loan the article you mention to the forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition. I shall be very pleased to have it, and will advise you in due course of the time and place to which it should be forwarded.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr. P. S. Abraham,
2, Henrietta Street,
Cavendish Square.

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Description of proposed loans,
with particulars of date and
history (if known), approxi-
mate dimensions and weight

1205
[In Original]

a Silver & Bloodstone
Phlebotomy case
belonging to a ^{British} Naval
Surgeon in Jamaica
in the 18th century

Estimated value for insurance.
Kindly say if insurance is
desired in transit as well as
during exhibition

(say) £10

Name and Address

Dr. P. S. Abraham
2 Henrietta St.
Cannon St.

Loans should not be forwarded until date and place of Exhibition
are communicated

If for disposal, please state price

Suggestions and information, etc., will be appreciated

POST CARD



HENRY S. WELLCOME, Esq.

Snow Hill Buildings

LONDON, E.C.

Am

29 November 1913.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your kind letter of the 27th inst., and wish also to convey to you our very cordial thanks thanks for your generous gift to the Historical Medical Museum.

I much regret that owing to pressure of work your query as to the use of the apparatus you have so kindly given us has remained so long unanswered. The part of this apparatus with the bellows and tubes is for use in resuscitating the apparently drowned and was utilised for pumping air into the lungs. There is also in the same case an enema for administering a tobacco injection. Both these objects are of considerable interest to us, and I assure you we much appreciate your kindness in presenting them to the Museum, where they will be carefully preserved and always associated with your name.

Again thanking you for your kind assistance and co-operation in making the Museum a success,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

Charles E. Adams Esq.,
2, Campbell Road,
West Croydon.

CJST

Nov. 27. 13

2 Campbell Rd
West Crofton

C. J. S. Thompson }
Dear Sir.

In reply to a previous
letter received some time
back I wrote saying it
would give me much
pleasure to present
what thing of mine
had been sent up, to
your museum - but
that I was still uncertain
as to the use of the apparatus
enclosed in a box with
bellows etc & would like

To be informed what
it was. . . .

Yours faithfully
Chas. J. Adams

L 14/1/13.

1223. Bellows, appliance
for fractured clavicle,
iron tourniquet, ether
inhaler and 3 other objects.

T. racemosa
appropinquans

122

H.M.M.

30 Dec. 1912.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your kind letter of Dec. 10th.

If you would kindly send the objects you mention for inspection next month, as you suggest, I will give the matter my careful consideration.

Kindly advise me a week before sending same on lender's form.

Yours very truly,

Dr. C. E. Adams.

SWEETPEACH.

CAMPBELL ROAD,

W. GROYDON.

Dec. 10. 12

Honry. S. Wallace Esq

to Historical Museum

Dear Sir.

Of the few things I
had some have been
given away & others ~~been~~
mislaid - the only things
that I can think of at
present are not of much
interest & hardly worth
sending - there is an old
Iron Tourniquet, a ~~tot~~ long
Whalebone probing - a shell
other in kaler & a box containing
a curious apparatus, the use of
which I cannot make out -
it consists of a bellows & a long
tube with various nozzles

used I should imagine
for inflating various passages
if you like they shall be
sent up for your inspection
& if you think they are not
worthy or of sufficient interest
they can be returned to me

Yours faithfully
Chas. V. Adams

(1223)

May 30th, 1908.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 27th inst. has been brought before me in which you kindly refer to the Historical Medical Exhibition, and state that you have one or two ancient things which might be suitable for display.

Would you kindly fill in a description of the same on the enclosed cards and return to me, and then, if you wish, a member of my staff, connected with the exhibition, will call upon you and view the articles in question.

Thanking you for the interest you have taken in the matter, and awaiting the favour of your reply,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr. C. B. Adams,
227, Gipsy Road,
West Norwood.

1223

~~Go~~

May 27. 06

227, GIPSY ROAD,

1223

WEST NORWOOD, S.E.

My dear Benoughs well come to
Dear Sir:

Please send by post
to Mr. C. E. Adams

Wae wood.

51 Frising Rd
Southsea

Remove
our
label

100. Tabloid. Knapin (Bland) Co. ^{12/1}
in a bottle with only directions
on if you have one "one
three times a day after food".

I send the account to me
with reference to your exhibition
I have one or two things
which appear to me rather
ancient & should be pleased
to lend them if you think

They would be of any
interest, perhaps you
could send a representation
down, I shall be at home
any morning next
week between ten & eleven
except Wednesday &
am in most days about
5 p.m.

Yours faithfully
Chas. Adams

D. C. E. Adams.

24978

SE	28 MAY 1906	TERMS
621		ROUTE

Gentlemen ^{CJST} ~~Mr~~
If you have any tickets
for Medical Exhibition
I should be pleased to
have one or two
Thanking you in anticipation
Yours &c W.A.



POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE

NW 20	
21 SEP 1906	
TERMS	ROUTE



Wapnet Berkhough Wellcome
Snow Hill
E.C.

12941

(1291)

October 11th, 1908.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your postcard of the
21st ult. the date of the Historical Medical
Exhibition has not yet been fixed.

When it is announced I shall be
pleased to comply with your request.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Mr. Alban Atkin, M.P.S.,
243, West End Lane,
N.W.

Shotley Bridge
Co. Durham

15th May 1907

Dear Sir-

I beg to acknowledge receipt
of instruments returned.

Regarding those that you hold
I find that the trepanning
Case & contents cost me 10/-
= Which I considered very
cheap as being one eighth of
original cost = so that your

offer of 12/- for it & other two
instruments is just cost price -

I thought that at least you
would offer me 15/- & if you

Can send me that sum I
will have a little ~~profit~~.

However I don't want the
instruments, as I simply
bought on speculation; only
if I cannot make a little
profit occasionally I mustn't
speculate again if you can
send me only send me my
exact outlay.

Please do what you can in
the way of cash & keep the
instruments

Yours very truly
William Allen

H. S. Wellcome Esq^r

1321
May 18th, 1897.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 15th inst., I can assure you that I appreciate your kindness in taking so much trouble to collect these old instruments, and I regret that you have had so little profit.

You will no doubt see from what I stated in my previous letter that, being able to purchase old instruments so cheaply in London, it is not worth while buying them in the provinces unless they can be obtained at lower prices.

I enclose you a cheque for fourteen shillings, which I trust will be acceptable to you.

Again thanking you for your kindness,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Esq., M.D.

Old Instruments on approx.
from
William Allen M.D.
Shelley Bridge
Co. Durham

1321

- | | |
|---|-----------|
| | L - 8 - 2 |
| 1. Stomach Pump & case | 10-6 |
| 2. Trephining case of instruments | 1-1-0 |
| (differs from modern instruments
in central pin non-retractile
whole of outside of head of trephine
being ridged - & bone elevator forceps
having both distal & lateral points) | |
| 3 & 4. Pair of cases containing old bidette
syringes - for the pair | 5-0 |
| 5. old Scalpel by Paton | 2-0 |
| 6 Instrument for plugging posterior nares
before advent of Bello's instrument | 2-6 |
| 7 old bleeding lancet | 2-0 |
| 8. Probe pointed bistoury, with thumb opener, | 2-0 |
| 9 Gum lancet with thumb opener | 2-0 |
| 10 old strongly made forceps for bullet
extraction | 2-0 |
| 11 Pair of metallic nipple shields | 2-0 |
| 12 old Seton needle, curved on flat | 2-6 |
| | 2-13-6 |

5/101

13 MAY 1907

1321

May 14th, 1897.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending me the box of old instruments, etc. for inspection. I regret that I have to return so many as I have already have duplicates of them.

With respect to the remainder, namely the case of trepanning instruments, the probe-pointed bistoury, and the seton needle, the best offer I can make you for these three items is twelve shillings. We meet with instruments of this period in great quantities in London, and can buy them at very low prices, so that in making this offer I have gone beyond the limits I generally allow for items of this kind.

I shall be pleased to return the instruments to you at once if you cannot see your way to accepting this amount. In the meantime I have returned the box to you carriage paid.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Esq., M.D.,
Shotley-Briggs,
Co. Durham.

3 MAY 1907
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Sholley-Bridge
Co. Durham

2nd May 07

Dear Sir

1321

SKyll Please say if an old
A Trephine case is Mahogany
case would be any use to
you in yr. collection?

I don't know the matter but
the trephine heads are not
like the modern - having
saw teeth below & serrations
outside the whole of the trephine,
the outside serrations
being only on the lower
part of the head ^{by modern cases} - Besides the central



pinak is not retractible in
this trephine.

The case containing
2 trephine heads
one handle for each
3 different scrapers
1 skull forceps
1 small brush

one instrument is missing -

If this instrument case is
of use to you please let me know
& I'll send it & other small
things that I have besides these
- on appro ~~to~~ as before -

Yours very truly

William Allen

1324

May 4th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your
letter of the 2nd inst.

I shall be glad if you will kindly
send the case of trepanning instruments on
approval, as before.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Esq., M.D.,
Shotley-Bridge,
Co. Durham.

1321

December 12th, 1906.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your kind letter of the 7th inst., and in reply I shall be very pleased to inspect the old surgical instruments you mention if you will kindly send them to me for approval as early as you can.

If I find them unsuitable for my purpose I shall be pleased to pay the cost of carriage both ways.

When sending the instruments, please enclose detailed list of prices required.

I am,

Yours very truly,

William Allen, Esq., M.D.,
Shotley-Bridge,

Co. Durham.

CP. 10 DEC 1906
NSWB

Shottley - Bridge
Co. Durham
7th Dec 06

H. S. Wellcome Esq^r

1374

Dear Sir

I write to ask if any
antique Surgical Instruments
would be of value to you
under your scheme of an
Exhibition of Medical Curios.

There are some very old
instruments the property of
the descendants of a Surgeon
who practised over 80 years
ago and want to turn them

into cash for the salary.
the old people who own
them.

I shall be glad to send
you a priced list if you
wish, but be glad to send
them in approval.

I am
Yours very truly

William Allen M.D.

P.S. An early reply will
oblige you.

33 Snow Green Road
Shottley Bridge
Co. Durham
4th Dec. 1906

Dear Sir

Your letter to hand. To
prevent mistakes I send list
of antique instruments. The
price amounts to £5.13.0 -

If you lodge that amt. with
Bazaar I shall be glad to
forward goods to yr. address
on leaving from Bazaar

Yours very truly
William Allen

Wm Allen's old Surgical Instruments

	<u>L - S - d</u>
Bone Syringe	" 4-0
Saw	" 6-6
Ophthalmic case	" 7-6
Thier Knife & case	" 2-6
Seaton Needle	" 3-0
Shapreen Lancet case - 2 lancets	3-6
Supporting Introducer	" 3-6
Pc long mid. forceps	" 12-6
Do	" 12-6
Pc do. Short	" 10-0
do do	" 10-0
} <u>combined</u>	
Pain cruetels & blunt hooks	
locking together	" 15-0
Pc forceps - lateral lock	" 7-6
do do	" 7-6
Midwifery Perforator	" 7-6
	5-13-0

Y Corner

1164 Avenue Rd

1374
144, Anerley Road,
Anerley,
S. E.

December 7th, 1906.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 4th inst., enclosing the list of old surgical instruments that you have for sale, I should like to have them all on approval, so that I could make a selection, and, to save you time and trouble, I enclose you a post-dated cheque for four pounds ten shillings.

I shall be glad if you will forward the instruments to the above address as early as possible, and I will let you have a reply in the course of a day or two.

I presume you will accept an offer for these instruments, as your prices to a dealer are, I notice, very high.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. William Allen,
33, Snows Green Road,
Shotley Bridge,
Co. Durham.

33 Snarwell Road
1321 Shotley-Bridge
Co. Durham
21st Nov 06

Dear Sir

I send you a priced list
of some of the old surgical &
midwifery instruments I have
& if you are agreeable as to price
I shall be glad to send any on
appro. provided you pay carriage.
They most of them belonged to a
surgeon who died 40 years
ago & who was 35 years in
practice - Nos 6-7 & 8 did
not belong to this Dr but I think
they are old enough.

Yours very truly
William Allen

List of Antiquel Instruments

- No 1. Small bone syringe in elongated pear-shaped paste-board box - with very thin nozzle and bone piston $4/6$ (Knob of piston ^{handle} wanting) 75 yrs old
2. Small Saw with C-shaped frame, turned bone handle & screw to tighten saw. 75 years old - $6/6$
3. Mahogany ophthalmic case with crimson velvet lining containing forceps handled speculum - one eye needle with bone handle & one needle knife with black handle $7/6$
4. one thin knife ^{or scalpel} in flat ~~bone~~ ^{ivory} handle enclosed in elongated pearshaped pasteboard box $2/6$
5. one flat section needle or knife, with

protective bi-valve handle in { 3/
ivory - steel blade with large eye } =

6 1 Small wooden case with green
shapen cover containing two
lancets & tortoise shell protective
handles - & space & box for 4
more lancets - case with hinged
lid & catch (like a visiting card box) 3/6

7. one glass suppository introducer
with piston, contained in a screw
top boxwood case - 3/6

8 Small Homeopathic drug case
containing 12 corked & labelled
tubes (room for 6 more) & small spoon
for powders - 2/6

9 - 4 pairs midwifery forceps with central
fenestrated lock - 2 long & 2 short
12/6 per pair for long & 10/2 p pair short ones

10 - a pair of crotchets & blunt hooks
which can be used singly or locked ^{very rare} 15/6

11 2 pairs midwifery forceps, lateral

locks - $7/6$ per pair -

12. Midwifery perforator. Same age as No 11. $7/6$

13. Box of "Hydrostatic Balls" by Baldy Bombali of Whitehaven - used before invention of Hydrometer for testing specific gravity of fluids - spirits &c. also urine by medical men - The box is complete with the original set of 19 balls, each numbered - and the index to numbers printed inside lid

15/-

14. Old Liverpool ware

drug jar -
colour -



is cream

8/-

15- Pair of large ^{white-} blue delft-
 Snuff jars with ^{japan & o gilt-} tin covers
 with gilt addressed panel
 w. front one having the
 name "Sambuck" the other
 "Gillespie" 2 varieties of
 snuff popular of old &
 north of England & Scotland
 30/2 pair -

30. 1. 10
 15-
 7.6
 7.6
 15.
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1321

March 28th, 1937.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your letter of the 28th inst., and enclose herewith a cheque for one pound ten shillings.

The cream coloured dead jacks are not uncommon, and I have quite a number of them. For those I have bought before I have given from three-and-sixpence to four shillings each but they are really not worth buying at a high price.

Again thanking you for the trouble you have taken in the matter,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Esq., M.D.,

Shotley-Bridge.

Shirley Bridge
Co. Durham

(1321)

23rd March 1907

Dear Sir

Of course if you cannot
give me more than 30/- I must
accept - but I expected 31/6
Wh. W^e have given me a 5/-
profit for my trouble -

Kindly send cheque.

Please say if you want any
more drug jars like the cream
one you selected out of the lot
I have heard of one
similar to the one
sent & it has an



inscription on it. Please say what

You could give me for it and
I will try & buy it for you
very truly yours
William Allen

1321

March 28th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th inst. I am sorry that you cannot see your way to accepting the amount I offer you for the articles you forwarded to me. I regret that they are not worth more to me.

The very utmost that I could offer you for them is thirty shillings. Kindly let me know whether you are disposed to accept this. If not I will return the articles to you immediately.

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

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Esq., M.C.

Shotley-Bridge.

Shotley-Bridge

Co. Durham

20th March 07

21 MAR 1907
ANSW 21 MAR 1907

H. Wellcome Esq^r

1321

Dear Sir

The Articles you selected
Cost me almost as much as
you offer - and I consider 2/6
very little for my trouble in
getting them & sending to you -
& that is all that 29/- would
leave me as my share -

I however leave the matter
to you & if you cannot give
me more please return them
Y^r very truly William Allen

(1321)

March 19th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending me the various articles for inspection.

I regret that the iron castle and mortar are quite useless to me, also the snuff jars, the large stoneware jug and the New castle frog-and. I have returned these to you by rail to-day, carriage paid.

With respect to the four histories, the curved **probe** the forceps, the Stafford pot very good and the cream jug pot, the very best offer I can make you for these articles is one pound nine shillings. If you find that you are unable to accept this I will at once return the articles to you, carriage paid, or, if you accept the amount, I will forward you a cheque immediately on hearing from you.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Mr. Allen, Esq., W.C.B.
Charing-Street.

Shutley Bridge

Co. Durham

14th March 1907

H. Wellcome Esq.

1321

Dear Sir

Yesterday I sent you per
goods train from Blackhill
Station the following

1. Large Metal Mortar & pestle
used by Glem. Lough, Farmer &
Blacksmith, brother to the
Celebrated Lough the Sculptor
(^{separate} in basket) price 21/-
2. Shagreen case with 4 bistories
in black handles by Paton 10/- ^{7/6}
3. One curved probe pointed bistory
clearing in tortoise shell handle with lever opener ~~7/6~~

No 3 (continued) The history has
a lever projection to open it &
is by Paton price 3/6

(2/6)

No 4. Slender steel spring forceps 3/-

No 5 Stafford pottery group of
Florence Nightingale & Soldier 17/6

12/6

6. Liverpool cream ware drug
pot - on balustraded stem,
12/6



5/-

7. Pair of large Liverpool snuff jars
in blue monochrome with gilded inscription
"Jambull" on one "Gillespie" on other
£2.2.0 the pair

8 Large drug pot in brown stoneware
salt glaze - sunken handles 7/6

9 Newcastle Frog Drug - also called
an aigue drug - The figure produced
on seeing the frog apparently leaping
into one's mouth when drinking was
supposed to cure the aigue price 10/-

I have charged ~~net~~ prices and the amount
for the lot sent is £6.7.0.

very Sincerely yours

William Allen

1321

March 9th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending me the second list of old surgical instruments that you have for disposal. I have crossed off those that I already have, and shall be glad if you will send the others to me on approval. I will pay carriage both ways.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Allen, Sec., V.D.,
Shotley-Bridge,
Co. Durham.

Sholley Bridge
Co. Durham

7th March 1907

9 MAR 1907

8 MAR 1907

RECEIVED

REC'D

1321

Dear Sir

I'm very sorry that as yet
I have been unable to send you
my second instalment of Curical
Curios. I therefore send you a
list of what I possess and if
you wish I'll send you part or
whole - as a former terms - you
paying carriage - I will send them
at once but you may be already
supplied with some of the things.

Please say what I will send,
if any - Yours very truly
William Allen
m.d.

RECD 24 JAN 1907
WR 24 JAN 1907

Shotley-Bridge
Co. Durham
22nd January 07

Dear Sir

I herewith send you a short
list of some more old instruments
& appliances. If they are
suitable I shall be glad to send
them on appro. as before with
other lot.

Yours very truly

William Allen M.D.

1321

(132)

List from William Allen
Shirley Bridge

1. Mahogany case with old
Spring box Scavenger (8 lancets)
& 2 glass cupping glasses -
Case 10" X 6" X 4"
2. Old breast pump in mahogany
Case 6" X 4" X 4"
Manufactured by A Green
29 Pond St Sheffield -
3. Shapson covered case
8" X 3½" X 1¼" containing
4 black handled scapulae
by Paton. (had originally a
pair of Sarsen etc.)
4. a large metal Mortar about
12" in diameter, interesting as

being originally the property
of the father of the celebrated
Sculptor, Longh, who belonged
to this district. The mortar was
used by old Longh to mix his
drugs - he being a Farrier
& Blacksmith

W. A.

4. Miscellaneous Col containing

- 1 Small Cane in tortoise shell handle
- 2 Large curved arseens knife with
thumb lever attached to open
in closed tortoise shell handle
- 3 - Long old pattern probe grooved.
- 4 Peculiar long double forceps or
tweezers



1321

January 24th, 1937.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 23rd inst., I shall be pleased to have the instruments, etc., that you mention sent on approval, if you will kindly send us a list of the prices you request for them.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Mr. Allen, Esq.,
Shelley-Beane,
Co. Boston.

1321

December 22nd, 1906.

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed cheque for the value of five guineas for the surgical instruments.

I shall always be pleased to consider any instruments that you may send for my inspection so long as they are sufficiently old. Of instruments of the nineteenth century I have a great number, which I do not wish to increase, but any made before 1820 will probably be of service to me for the Historical Medical Exhibition.

I may say that I can only give very moderate prices for such, as the Exhibition is being organised purely for the love of the history of science, and not as a money-making object. You will doubtless understand, therefore, that I am limited as to price for these articles.

Will you kindly sign enclosed receipt and return?

Thanking you for your kind interest and for the trouble you have taken in the matter,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr. William Allan,
Shottley-Bridge,
Co. Durham.

RECEIVED
27 DEC 1906

WILKINSON'S HOUSE
SHOTLEY BRIDGE
CO. DURHAM

1321

20th Dec. 1906

Dear Sir

Your letter to hand
about old instruments.
Your offer is less than I
expected but if you say
£5-5-0 I shall be obliged
if you send me cheque
for that amt.

I have a few more old
instruments & should I care

get some more & w^d be
obliged you you could let
me know exactly what
you want & if there is a
time limit within which
you must have them
delivered

I am dear Sir
Yours very truly
William Allen
M.D.

1321

December 10th, 1908.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending me the box of surgical instruments for inspection. I have carefully examined them, but am sorry that I cannot give you the price you require, as I have already bought similar instruments of the same period at a very much lower rate. I am willing, however, to make you an offer of five pounds for the entire set, which offer I think you will find is a liberal one.

Kindly let me know if this is agreeable to you, and if so I will at once enclose you a cheque for the amount.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr. William Allen,
Shotley-Briggs,

Co. Durham.

Shotley Bridge
Co. Durham

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14 ¹/₂ Dec. 1906

Dear Sir

I send you this day
per rail a box of old
Surgical Instruments for sale
at prices given in list herewith.

Any not approved to be
returned -

Thanks very much for your
kind offer to pay carriage both
ways if you do not approve
of the lot

yours very truly

William Allen
M.D.

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List of Antique Surgical Instruments
Sent by Wm Allen, Shorley Bridge

				£-s-d	
	4.		No 1 - Bone Urethral Syringe	"	5.0
	7.6		2. Saw in frame, bone handle	"	7.6
	5.0		3. Ophthalmic Case, 3 instruments	"	10.0
	1.6		4. This Knife in Ivory handle	"	2.6
	2.		5. Seaton Needle in Ivory Case	"	3.6
X	3.6	-	6. Shear Lancet case - 2 lancets	"	3.6
	2.6		7. Suppository Introducer, boxwood case	"	3.6
Y	10.		8. Long forceps (mid.) narrow blades	"	15.0
	7.6		9. Do - Thicker handles	"	12.6
	5.0		10. Short forceps - central lock	"	10.0
	5.0		11. Do - Do -	"	10.0
X	12.6		12. P. Orsich's & hooks, locking -	"	15.0
	5.0		13. Lateral lock - Short forceps	"	7.6
	5.		14. do do	"	7.6
	2.6		15. Midurethral perforator	"	7.6
X	12.6		16. Hydrostatic Balls - by Bombelly	"	15.0
	1.0	-	17. Old closing abscess Knife	"	4.0
X	2.6		18. Finger Knife, bone handle	"	2.6
	4. 4.6			£	7 = 2.0

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December 29th, 1908.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you very cordially for your kind letter of the 4th inst., and for the interest you are taking in the forthcoming Historical Medical Exhibition.

I have communicated with Dr. Ashmead whose name you so kindly sent me, and trust he will be able to lend me some valuable assistance.

It is my intention to publish an illustrated catalogue of the exhibition when it takes place, which will be available for all who visit it, and in connection with which I shall be pleased to make a note of your name.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Henry Albert, Sec., M.S., M.D.,
The State University of Iowa.

College of Medicine,
Iowa.

HENRY ALBERT, M.S., M.D.
Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology
Director of the Iowa State Board of Health
Hygienic Laboratory
Pathologist to the University Hospital

THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

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Henry S. Wellcome,
London, England.

My Dear Sir:-

I was pleased to receive your letter a few days ago; also a booklet descriptive of the exhibition which you are planning. I am certainly very much interested in such and I sincerely hope that it will be a very successful exhibition which will no doubt be the case and I shall plan to personally see it and shall do what I can in way of gathering material to aid in the exhibition. It may be that I can obtain material illustrating the medicine of our Indians, and possibly also from our mound-builders, there being quite a large number of mounds in this State. I do not know whether you are going to obtain any material from a Dr. Ashmead of New York. He has written some regarding things of medical interest. I have in my possession several articles written by him on the Huacos Potteries of Old Peru, - a Study in Pre-Columbian Pathology. May I suggest that you write a personal letter to Dr. A. S. Ashmead of New York regarding these. If I learn of any more I shall let you know.

I have no doubt but that the catalog of the exhibition will contain not only the names but also photographs or reproductions of many of the subjects of medicine similar to the reproductions that you had in your descriptive circular. I certainly think that such would make an exceedingly valuable volume in the library of any physician. Will you not kindly put my name on your list as a subscriber to your catalog of your exhibit when such is completed and I will be pleased to remit.

Very sincerely yours,

Henry Albert.

find his address
get all he
has written

1337

February 12th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I much appreciate your kindness in sending me your medical writings, which have duly come to hand, and which I shall read with the greatest interest.

With many thanks for so kindly sending them.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr. A. S. Ashwood,
436 West 84th Street,
New York City.

1337

January 1st, 1907.

Dear Sir,

Dr. Albert's name has kindly
been brought to my attention by
one of the friends of the
National Historical Society.
I have been very much
interested in the work of the
National Historical Society
and have been very much
interested in the work of the
National Historical Society.

If you could give me any
information as to the
National Historical Society
and its work, I should be
very much obliged to you.
I am, Sir, very
truly yours,

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truly yours,
Yours very truly,
J. B. A. A. A.

Dr. A. A. A.
New York.

456 W. 24th St.,

N. Y. C.

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June 28th, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I have forwarded to you under separate cover the parcel of pamphlets, papers, etc. that you so kindly sent me, together with the manuscript of your article on the Huccon Potteries, which I received from Mr. Tynhall.

I have been very much interested in reading them, and thank you very cordially for your kindness in forwarding them.

I should be very pleased if, when the article on "The Huccon Potteries of Pre-Columbian Peru" is published, you will let me have a copy of the journal in which it appears.

Again thanking you for the trouble you have taken on my behalf,

I am,

Yours very truly,

A. S. Ashmead, Esq., M.D.,
456, West 24th Street,
New York City.

Mr. C.J.S.Thompson

Three Parcels of Curios belonging to Captain Anderson

As I mentioned to you on the telephone yesterday morning, the objects were returned to you exactly as I received them, unopened, from Mr.Linstead. No list was received from you with the objects, and I am therefore unable to accept any responsibility for the three objects which are missing, particularly,as stated above, I checked the objects myself on receipt and return, and with the exception mentioned in my note of the 9th inst. had no other means of discovering anything which was missing from them as received from Captain Anderson.

May 16th,1911

W.A.D.

Loan No 1395 - from Capt Anderson

21 Poisoned Arrows } ✓
11 Cefpa Shafts

12, Ivory Armlets. Shetluk & Danka ✓

These
only
used

2 Musical Instrument ✓

2 Native Pianos ✓

1. Piblow, Wood. Barlu ✓

1 " " " Danka ✓

Tobacco pouch comb ✓

1 Horn. for salt or drugs ✓

1 Lizard Skin ✓

4 Daggers ✓

1 Knife. Witch doctors ✓

2 Armlets. Female used for defensive purposes ✓

10 Spacels. Iron. Male & Female ✓

2 Circular discs of Iron money ✓

2 Arrow shaped " ✓

1 Plaque or covering board ✓

2 Necklets, Iron ✓

2 Whistles ✓

2 Charms, bone. ✓

6 Necklets & Charms * ✓

4 " Shetluk ✓

6 Charms Arat ✓

5 Rings. finger. ✓

x 1 Pipe

Shetluk ✓

1 Lizard Skin Witch doctors ✓

2 Spacels Arat ✓

May 1911
Donly
Note

Mr. C.J.S. Thompson

I am returning under separate cover the three parcels of curios loaned by Captain Anderson which you lent to Mr. Linstead in February last. In sorting out some Gour and Nyam Nyam charms, etc., I noticed that a love charm of three decorated pieces of wood on a brass ring mentioned on one of the labels was missing, nor could I trace it.

May 9th, 1911

W.A.D.

~~1 Musket Instrument~~
1 Gour Charms
1 Woven Grass Apronlet

When received back
from Linstead
Missing 1 Gour Charm
May 16/11

Capt Anderson

Loan No 1395

rec^d July 1912

2 Nuba Patterns

2

"

"

Smaller

12

Clavms

Sudanese, Beads 9e

1

Whaling Board

14

Clavms

"

Manuscript

1

Kordofan Knife

"

1 Set

Splints

"

1

Holy water Bottle

"

1

Cupping Inst

12

Surgecase Insts

1 piece of ^{leather} ~~broken~~

1 Missig 92 on Kordofan Knife

15

Clavms

"

Leather

COPY.

Y. x Clay Skin Scrapers

RECRUITING DEPARTMENT.

ABBASSIA.

7.3.11.

Dear Mr. Wellcome,

I am sending you a small parcel of Egyptian "Skin scrapers," which may be of interest for your 1913 Exhibition, if you have not already got specimens.

They are termed TAKTAKAM in Arabic, and are universally used throughout Egypt, and, I imagine, most civilised Eastern countries.

Two varieties exist:-

1. Made of fine baked clay.
2. Made of coarse spongy-looking, porous clay.

Both varieties are chiefly used for moving down the coarse skin on the soles of the feet, which in countries where only slippers or sandals (without socks) are worn, grows very rapidly.

The fine clay scrapers are employed over the whole body, and especially on the hands, to smooth and polish the skin. They are sometimes employed too in skin diseases to remove a surface before the application of the actual remedy.

These scrapers are essential in all "Hammams" (which play so large a part in the national medicine and hygiene), and are therefore themselves of considerable medical interest. In the Bath, their use, as a rule, precedes or follows a prolonged massage and "joint cracking."

As regards designs there are an enormous variety. Of their origin I can find no definite clue. They are all apparently bizarre or grotesque and may therefore have to do with the turning away of Gin, evil spirits, and the evil eyed, all of which resort to the Hammam more than to any other place.

Unless there is some such explanation I cannot understand the uni-

2.

versal ornamentation of these articles of mere use (especially with animal, etc. figures), which is quite contrary to the canons of the natives and of their religion.

I hope when you come out next time to Egypt you will let me know that I may help to do the honours of Cairo.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) R. E. ANDERSON.

P.S. Please excuse this very hasty and blotted-in-the-copying letter.

Copy

RECRUITING DEPARTMENT

ABBASSIA

Egypt 7-8-11

Dear Mr. Wellcome

I am sending
you a small parcel
of Egyptian "Stein
Serapetus" which
may be quintessence
for you 1913.

Subscription - if you
have not already
got specimens -

They are termed

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throughout Egypt &
in some other
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Two varieties exist

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spruce - looking, porous
clay -

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Yours sincerely

Richardson

P.S. Please excuse this
very hastily & blotchy-in-the
-copying letter R.D.

1395

October 22nd, 09.

Dear Sir,

I regret that I was out when you called to see Mr Wellcome yesterday with reference to the specimens you have collected in Central Africa, of medical interest. I shall be very pleased to see you on Mr Wellcome's behalf any morning you can call here, between 10 and 12 o'clock.

Faithfully yours,

Capt. R. Stenvide Anderson, R.A.M.C.,
C/o Messrs Holt & Co,
3 Whitehall Place,
S.W.

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ANCO
122 OCT 1909

Captain

R. Grenville Anderson

R. A. M. C.

has called to see

Mr. Wellcome

do Holt-
3 Whitshull pl.

Re Specimens from
Central Africa
for H. M. S.

ANS-
122 OCT 1909

H. C. 27

21 Oct 09.

Captain R. Grenville Anderson.

Royal Army Medical Corps.

Kuallinn

10-6-9

Oka Si

I am obliged
to welcome you
in list of names
he has forwarded
on name of names for
which I have only
wanting record on
my return from
Laguna -

When time
permits I hope to

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from me what
information I can
in the matter. —

Yours faithfully
R. Glendinning
— Captain R. Glendinning

C. S. Glendinning Esq

1395

110, SHOOTER'S HILL ROAD,
BLACKHEATH, S.E.

7. 11. 9

Dear Mr Thompson

I am forwarding
by Cecil Palmer
two packages containing

Savage Medical
specimens from the
S. Sudan and
many other
more -

I shall be
leaving England
in a few days. T

Unique hope to call
tomorrow (Monday)
morning to see you
Mr. welcome. -

- Could you let me
have an inventory
of all the specimens
I have + am sending
to Burroughs welcome
with a copy of the
short descriptive notes
attached to each
as I shall on
my return to Egypt -

finish my article
and on these subjects
+ for this will require
the morning & afternoon

Yrs truly

R. G. Lumsden

Duplicate.

1395

9th November 1909

Dear Sir,

I am sending you herewith the list of objects which you have kindly lent for the Historical Medical Exhibition and have also included some notes on them, such as you supplied for the Third Report of the Wellcome Tropical Research Laboratories, Khartoum.

Trusting that the slight delay has not been of any inconvenience to you,

I am, dear Sir,

Yours truly,

HENRY S. WELLCOME

per

Captain R. Grenville Anderson,
110, Shooter's Hill Road,
BLACKHEATH.

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Schedule A.

Henry S. Wellcome,
Snow Hill Buildings,
London. 1909.

Particulars required respecting the practice of medicine, surgery, etc., ^{amongst} by native African tribes.

Disease.

What is the native idea of the origin and cause of disease generally, and of any particular disease?

What diseases are most prevalent and peculiarly characteristic? State particular regions.

Is the introduction of these diseases lost in antiquity, or have they only been known in recent times? ^{which of} ^{approximate dates}

Are there any traditions among the people respecting their introduction, and if so, what are they?

Is anything known of contagion?

Is any precaution taken to prevent the contracting of contagious diseases?

What kind of charms or amulets are worn or used to prevent disease?

Note in particular the prevalence of such diseases as smallpox, cancer, syphilis, epilepsy, sleeping-sickness, malaria, blackwater fever, dysentery, leprosy, tick fever, worms of various kinds, etc.

Methods of medical treatment and remedies.

What are the chief methods of medical treatment employed?

Is any method of inoculation known?

Is bleeding, scarifying, or cupping practised? If so, how, and for what diseases?

What native remedies are used in the treatment of diseases? Enumerate diseases and remedies for the same that are most successful.

^{and method of use} What is the treatment employed for wounds or ulcers?

Medical treatment (contd)

To what extent are substances used in medicine that bear a resemblance to the disease? (e.g. The ~~parts~~ ^{tail} of the crocodile is regarded as a most powerful aphrodisiac by some African tribes.)

What methods are employed in the preparation of native remedies?

What is the dose and the conditions under which they are severally administered?

What purgative medicines are used by the natives? Which are most relied upon?

Are fumigation or massage ^{proper and other baths} employed in the treatment of disease?

Are ^{enemas} clysters used? If so, secure any appliances for the administration of the same.

Is saliva employed as a remedial agent?

Note Obtain specimens of native drugs used. If vegetable, the flowers or flowering tops, seeds and leaves, which would facilitate identification of the plant. If animal or mineral, secure specimens in the form in which the substances are employed. In the case of mineral substances note whether the remedy consists of more than one mineral, and if so, the manner in which the mixture is prepared, and the alleged reason for so doing.

Vegetable drugs collected for ^{botanical or} chemical examination should be ~~thoroughly~~ ^{if possible} dried in the sun (if necessary, by artificial heat) and then packed in tin-lined or other damp- and insect-proof containers.

Specimens should be as complete as possible, and should consist of leaves and flowering tops. Also stems bearing ripe seeds should be taken if possible from the same plant.

Herbarium specimens should be brushed with a solution of corrosive sublimate, four grains to the ounce of methylated

Medical treatment (contd)

spirit, and fleshy fruits are best pickled in formalin (7 to 8% formaldehyde) or methylated spirit.

Surgery

Is surgery practised by a medicine-man or by any special individual?

Is any method of producing anaesthesia, such as compression of the arteries, known or employed?

Are any special or original instruments used in surgery?

Is trepanning known or practised?

Is circumcision practised, and if so, under what circumstances?

What is the usual treatment of fractures? If splints are used, of what description?

What methods are employed for reducing dislocations?

Note Obtain specimens of instruments or appliances used, including those for cutting, extracting teeth, splints for setting broken limbs, or for obstetrical purposes.

The Medicine-man

How is the medicine-man paid?

How does he store and carry his medicines?

Are spectacles known, or shades for the eyes ever used in strong sunlight?

Is cauterising practised? If so, in what form?

~~How are wounds treated?~~

Note details of the dress of the medicine-man and secure costumes and ornaments, charms, etc. Note any practices or habits peculiar to the medicine-man. Procure any

The Medicine-man.

containers in which medicines are usually carried, such as boxes, bags, etc.; also spoons, cups and any other implements used for the administration of medicine. All forms of bandages or applications to wounds or broken limbs, all substances used in the treatment of wounds, substances and instruments used for cauterisation, and all appliances for medical or sanitary purposes should be obtained.

Poisons.

What arrow, spear, ordeal or other poisons are used by the natives?

Is their origin animal, mineral or vegetable? Get particulars.

Is criminal use made of poisons by the natives? Get particulars.

Note Obtain specimens of the same. Ascertain methods of preparation. If vegetable, obtain specimens of the plant, flowering tops, seeds, leaves, etc., in as large quantities as possible.

for chemical examination

Treatment in Childbirth.

Are any methods employed for inducing pregnancy? If so, give description.

methods of delivery - what aids are used

Note Obtain detailed information as to treatment used in childbirth, with methods and any appliances employed.

Magical Rites and other Ceremonies.

Are magical rites and ceremonies employed in the treatment of diseases? Get full particulars.

get fullest particulars possible re. Customs & practices in connection with childbirth. Do men or women attend. Political

Magical Rites and other Ceremonies (contd)

Is smoking of opium, tobacco, hemp or any other substances practised as a habit or curative agent? *From what data*

interfered system - what traditions
Is the serpent associated in any way with the healing art, and is it used with or on any of their fetishes, wands or ceremonial sticks in connection with the healing art? If so, ascertain why, and the origin. *full of traditions*

Note Obtain any idols, deities, amulets, charms, fetishes, etc.

of any description associated with the healing art, such as wooden masks representative of the demons of disease; also phallic emblems or fetishes, or other objects or ornaments fashioned in the shape of the genital organs. Obtain photographs if possible of any monstrosities or abnormal developments found, such as elephantiasis. *Illustrating deformities & diseases*

Any information concerning rites and ceremonies that are performed in connection with the practice of medicine are of interest.

Astrology.

Do the natives believe in the influence of any of the planetary bodies on the human body in health or disease?

Deities.

Get all general information as to their ideas of the source of diseases

Have the natives any special idol or deity of healing to whom they appeal in cases of sickness and disease, or have they separate deities for different diseases? *In what manner are these deities employed or appealed to to cure or ward off*

Note Obtain specimens of all idol deities, sacred wands, etc.

associated with the art of healing.

Charms
and information as to specific powers &c associated with each

Burial customs.

Obtain particulars of any curious customs or rites performed after death.

Cremation or
is embalming known or practised, or any ~~other~~ method of preserving the body after death.

What burial practices. In what position is the body placed - head to East - are
Adulteration of medicines or merchandise used by various tribes.

get specimens
Any examples of cunning deceptions of this kind will be appreciated. *of interest*

to the East before Sabalos
Specify
Note particularly that in furnishing all details the precise locality where the information, object, substance or specimen is obtained should be recorded. A note giving this information, together with the name of the tribe by whom it was used, should be attached to every object. This note should also record the district inhabited by each tribe, the general character of the country, and if possible, the reasons for the employment of each particular object, substance, etc.

Weighing and measuring.

Obtain specimens and full particulars of any contrivances used for weighing, measuring, etc., liquids, solids, etc., etc., any curious or quaint querns or mortars used for reducing substances to powder; also any apparatus that could be used as furnaces or for the purpose of distillation, vessels used in connection with the feeding of infants, etc.

Ancient articles of artistic workmanship.

Obtain fine specimens of ancient ivory or wood carving,

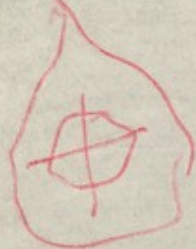
Ancient articles of artistic workmanship (contd)

gold silver copper bronze iron figures

and other objects illustrative of primitive art allied to the above subjects.

Labels

A label or tally bearing a number corresponding to the letter of advice, the name, use and object of the article, where and from what tribe it was collected, the name of the chief and the origin of the tribe, should be firmly attached or tied to each article forwarded.



*C.T. Review quickly and
send copy at once to Captain
Anderson To Dr Balfour Kharlam
and ask him to forward immediately
to Capt Anderson*

as medicine for internal administration and external application in cases of illness, local or general. This course of holy writ in solution constitutes, and is termed EL MAHAIA

- ✓ HOLY WATER. Water from the Prophet's Holy well, ZAMZEN, at Mecca. Used in small quantities as a specific for all ills, and imported in metal flasks by pilgrims
- ✓ One pair of Nuba pattens worn as a Preventive against Guinea Worm Infection - worn down by use.
- ✓ One pair of new and consequently high Nuba Protective Pattens

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS (KORDOFAN)

✓
1 only

Four specimens of El Samandia.

This instrument is a narrow length of iron about six inches long, fashioned as a forceps at one end and as a scalpel or probe at the other. It is used for all minor operations, such as blood-letting, scarring, opening abscesses, removing thorns, etc.

Two such, together with a long native needle, are frequently carried in the sheath of the Kordofan knife, ready in case of necessity.

NOTE. One specimen is of a different variety, having a blade at either end.

✓
1 only

Two specimens of El Murwad.

An instrument shaped as a blunt probe, fashioned of wood, ivory or iron, used to separate the glans penis from the prepuce and also to push back the glans before applying a clamp. Some are perforated at one end for use as coarse threading needles.

- ✓ One specimen of El Reisha.

This instrument is a short scalpel with a small acutely pointed blade, which is triangularly notched at its extremity; the handle ends in a blunt probe (murwad). This instrument is used for scarring, vaccinating, and for the removal of dead flesh - the notched extremity acting as an efficient scraper.

- ✓ One specimen of El Mikhray.

This is a sharp-pointed piece of iron with a wooden handle, used in puncturing the skin for the insertion of setons. A fold of skin is picked up between the finger and thumb, pierced, and a horse or giraffe-hair passed through and loosely tied, a procedure almost identical with the European methods of a past generation.

12 CHARMS.

- ✓ 1. EL BARAD (cold).- An opaque white stone worn round the wrist in order to protect the wearer's horse from horse sickness
This stone is supposed to fall with the hail, hence the name
 - ✓ 2. EL HAGAR ET DAM (blood stone)- Mounted as a ring
 - ✓ 3. EL HAGAR ET DAM - Used as a neck ornament
Placed in water, which is then used as a specific in cases of sunstroke and headache. In epistaxis, one of these stones is tied round the forehead to check the bleeding
 - ✓ 4. EL HAGAR EL AKHDAR (green stone)- Mounted as a ring
 - ✓ 5. EL HAGAR EL AKHDAR- Roughly cut as a neck ornament
The stone is placed in boiling water, which when cool is administered locally and internally in cases of sunstroke and headache. The stone also acts as a styptic when locally applied
 - ✓ 6. EL FEROUS (turquoise). Worn set in a ring. Placed in hot water, which is then drunk to relieve vesical retention. Looked at the first thing in the morning it brings good luck for the rest of the day
 - ✓ 7. KADUG.- Horn fitted with a root (?) for protection against wounds
 - ✓ 8. A spurious written charm
 - ✓ 9. EL HAFIZA (protector)
A silver charm suspended round the necks of children to protect them against the evil eye and illness arising therefrom
The inscription runs as follows.
"Protector! Protector! protect our little Ali from evil"
 - ✓ 10. Horse charms, to protect horse and rider from illness and bad luck on the road.
Vide: "EL BARAD." No.1
 - ✓ 11. ABU ABYAD) To protect children
) against the ill
 - ✓ 12. GOZA) effects of the
) evil eye
- ✓ Love "Ketab" showing the construction of a "Khatim"
- ✓ The seven charms against UM EL SIBIAN. As protection during pregnancy, child-birth and infancy; and as a safeguard against sterility, insanity and evil spirits (on two sheets of paper)
- ✓ The second "Ketab" against the power of the Evil Fairy or Witch UM EL SIBIAN (on seven sheets of paper)
- ✓ Four spurious written charms compiled by an illiterate impostor in imitation of the genuine article. This impostor, who, posing as a Fiki (holy man), for a considerable time sold his wares to the ignorant, was eventually detected and punished.
- ✓ LOHN (or writing board) on which Koranic phrases, mystic inscriptions, etc. are inscribed by FIKIS (holy men). The ink when dry is washed off, and the resulting fluid prescribed

List of Sudanese Objects lent by CAPTAIN R.G. ANDERSON for the
 Historical Medical Exhibition, together with notes thereon.

15 CHARMS: KETAB, HEGAB, OR WARAGA.

- ✓ 1. A charm against the evil eye and evil spirits, compiled by one of the physicians to the late MAHDI and presented to me by his son. The square case contains the KETAB or written charm; the small sack a preparation of roots (composition unknown). This charm is designed to wear round the arm above the elbow. As also Nos. 2, 3 and 4.
- ✓ 2. Written. For desires to be fulfilled
- ✓ 3. Written. Against the sting of scorpions
- ✓ 4. Three written charms designed to cause impotence in others. One is buried in a neighbouring grave; the other two being secretly laid under the subject's bed
- ✓ 5. Written. Against headache
- ✓ 6. Written. Against toothache
- ✓ 7. Written. Against headache
- ✓ 8. A Love amulet. Four written charms, two worn on a level with the breasts; two on a level with the hips. Designed for suspension round the neck. As also Nos. 9 to 15
- ✓ 9. "3 Papers". A love charm
- ✓ 10. CHARM against the EVIL EYE. One case containing a written paper, the second some herb(?)
- ✓ 11. CHARM AGAINST REPTILES. One leather case containing KASIRASWIL root. The other containing a circular disc of WARAL skin (the Lizard IGUANA). Used as a prevention and cure against the attack of reptiles. In cases of snake bite, the wound is "freshened" by being briskly rubbed with the lizard skin, and then cauterised with the charred end of the root
- ✓ 12. Stones from the grave of a Holy man for protection from illness and evil, and to bring good luck
- ✓ 13. CHARMS AGAINST SNAKE BITE. One written, the other a root (?) Designed to be worn round the neck
- ✓ 14. Two written charms for love
- ✓ 15. A false charm, made for a woman, very bulky and containing only wooden blocks instead of genuine charms

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It is employed to catch and draw forward the uvula, for excision with a knife or pair of scissors. A sharp-pointed iron hook (Ishfa) may be used for the same purpose.

- ✓ One specimen of El Sakin. The Kordofan knife (worn at the bend of the left elbow), alluded to above as carrying in its sheath the sawandia, needles, etc., is also used itself in the rough native operations on both man and beast, besides being the universal weapon in all cases of necessity. It is kept particularly keen and well-pointed. Written and herbal charms are frequently attached to the sheath for convenience and safety.

- ✓ One specimen of El Mihgam (native Cupping Instruments), manufactured of metal or horn. The site for cupping having been selected and scarred, the mouth of the cup is greased and held in position and the blood is caused to flow by creating a partial vacuum in the cup by suction. Professional cuppers and blood-letters are to be found in every large suk - their half-naked victims seated around in groups, with mihgams hanging on to their flesh like limpets. Cupping is a universal procedure for the cure and prevention of almost all ills, in much the same manner as was the vogue in England during the last century, and possibly borrowed by the west from that "most perfect physician", the Arab. Favourite sites are the back of the neck, the thorax, and front of the abdomen, and any locality of pain. It seems almost essential to let blood before the commencement of the Kharif (rainy season), as, indeed, at all times on the slightest provocation. The scars, which are rudely dressed and leave lasting marks, can be detected in number on any Arab's body.

- ✓ One bundle of Tabat - native splints - consist of varying narrow lengths and sizes of split cane or other light wood, each piece being notched at either extremity for the attachment of tying strings (12 inches to 18 inches long). These splints are arranged and used in sets of four, distributed at equal intervals around the circumference of the broken limb, over the site of fracture; rough padding of cloth or wood fibre intervenes between the skin and the splints, which are secured in position by means of the tying strings and a couple of lengths of bandaging cloth firmly fastened over all.

Such splints serve in some degree to steady the fractured bone and in consequence to lessen pain; the same reason adjacent joints may be included and thus immobilised. Reed-grass, tree-bark and fine twigs are also used to encase broken limbs.

Splints are usually worn for a period of from two to six weeks, and during this time seldom re-adjusted; considerable deformity and fixation commonly result, especially in fractures of the lower extremities.

- ✓ One Specimen. El Baleeha. Employed to catch and draw forward the uvula for excision with a knife or pair of scissors

This treatment is employed to relieve inflammations, especially of the eye when the seton is inserted at the outer angle of the orbit, a custom still in vogue among some of our more antiquated ophthalmic surgeons.

✓ One specimen of El Ishfa.

This instrument is a small blunt-pointed iron hook on a stem about five inches long and supplied with a wooden handle - it is used in operations for opening up the vulva before marriage and child-birth, the hook being passed under and caught in the thin scar tissue which occludes the vaginal orifice; traction is then exerted in an outward direction, and the semi-circular piece of skin, thus brought into prominence, rapidly removed with a single cut of the "muz." After such an operation a smooth cylinder of wood may be worn within the vulva to prevent the raw surfaces completely uniting.

✓ Two thorns for scarification purposes

One specimen of El Kamaia.

This is a primitive instrument used for cauterisation, consisting of a piece of camel's- or sheep's dung dried and impaled on a long thorn. The dung is placed over charcoal until it smoulders, and then applied to the skin.

✓ One specimen of El Lazim.

This is a clamp to hold the prepuce and exclude the glans during circumcision. It is constructed of two roughly curved jaws of sheet iron, each about 8 inches long, and pivoting at one end on a hinge, the free extremities acting as handles.

✓ One specimen of El Fass.

This consists of a length of dura pith (2 inches to 3 inches) attached to which is about a foot of soft cotton string. It is used in male circumcision, the pith to push back the glans whilst the string is tightly wound round the prepuce above its (the pith's) extremity, the knife being carried down between the tying cord and the fass.

✓ One specimen of El Saleeha.

A snare, simply constructed from a piece of dry dura (millet) stalk, about 8 inches to 9 inches long and a stout giraffe tail hair. One end of the hair is firmly bound to an extremity of the stalk, its free length being then looped back and passed through a perforation, traversing the stalk obliquely from the centre of its extremity to a point 1 or 2 inches lower down, where it emerges to be used as a tightening string.



S.H. well come Egypt

Snow Hill Buildings

Holborn

England

London



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X. Quite possible that pipe stem was taken
for a musical inst.

There is no glass wrestle on my list as you
will see.

One Charon is certainly missing

1395

NO. SHOOTER'S HILL ROAD,
BLACKHEATH, S.E.

25-10-9

Dear Mr. Thompson

I am in receipt

of yours of the 22

inst - I shall be

pleased to call in &
see you some morning
between 10 & 12 O'Clock

re a few medical
specimens from Capica
for the RG Anderson
Capt. R. M. M.

Note re Dr Anderson.

10.3.09.

When Dr Anderson's collection, which is in the possession of the A.D. (see Waldron), are stored away, a proof of the article with illustrations in the Balfour Report is to be placed with them in the packing-case. Cases of textiles for Gordon College to be addressed to Dr Balfour with a note of advice from Mr Wellcome that these are for the Museum. The cases to be forwarded when anything is going to Khartoum.

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List of articles sent by Dr. G. Corney of Fiji.

One packet of losilosu twigs as bougies, including bamboo histouries or scalpels.

One packet containing

- (1) Cocoanut-shell bleeding porringer.
- (2) Mussel-shell for lancets.
- (3) Cocoanut fibre for making cilia snares.
- (4) Hydrocule trocar and cannicula or exploring needle of bone.

Extract from a letter from Dr. B. Glanvill Corney, of Fiji, dated June 15,

1906.

' I have now the pleasure of forwarding further specimens of the staff or hongie made of losilosil wood, used in the operation of coka losi, or internal urethrotomy, as performed by the native "experts".

Accompanying these is a bleeding porringer, used in the same operation, and consisting of half a cocoanut-shell, and some bamboo bistouries or scalpels. I also include some of the husk fibres of the cocoanut go forward, being the raw material out of which the "cilia snares" I sent last month are prepared, and a nurosel shell (from fresh-water mollusc) out of which fragments are broken for use as bleeding lancets.

I also include one hydrocule trocar and cannula (in one piece) or exploring needle, made from the wing-bone of the pteropus or "flying-fox", and used by the natives in tapping the "tumica vaginalis" - the only specimen I have been able, so far, to procure, though the instrument is well-known, and often used with temporary relief. No radical cure is performed for hydrocule by the natives.

The losilosil tree, which is about as large as an English may-bush, appears to be, botanically, according to the late Dr. Berthold Seeman, a species of ficus. The leaves are edible when cooked, and the wood possesses a remarkable evenness of grain, and smoothness of surface, when rubbed down with fine sand-paper.'

Recd.
18 FEB 1909

Anderson

Meridi

Bahr-el-Ghazal

15. 1. 1909

Dear Mr. Wellcome

I am writing since I think
you will be interested to know that
instead of going straight, amongst the
civilized society of Khartoum or Cairo
I find myself now more in the "wilds"
this time of the Bahr el Ghazal, &
amongst the very interesting people of
the NAIM - NAIM or ZANDEH.
(as members of the Sudan Egyptian
Society & Commission) - which means
a great deal of travelling & an
intimate contact with the native
I think their medical customs have
been quite unexplored. even by Dr.
Schweinfurth who was among them
for a considerable time, so I have
started a campaign to discover what
I can in this direction, with very
encouraging results - having now
in a short time collected many
specimens of drugs, charms etc
& numerous notes on such interesting
subjects as initiation, premature burial

most
common
place
objects
enemas
etc etc

and the like. which customs have
rapidly died out since the accession of the
government. - I can find distinct
traces of the influence of Arab & Egyptian
(Phoenician) influence in the superstitions
attributed introduced by the old Jewish
slave & ivory trade -

- When last at Constantinople D'Arny
had just received the final report of the
report which were universally admitted
despite the previous volume is
already on its way from England

- Please remember me to Mr.
Finch. who I am sure is glad to
be furnished with the last report
of the Report -

Yours sincerely

R. B. Mansel

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Mr Wellcome's paper.

27th April, 1909.

Dear Sir,

I am desired by Mr Henry S. Wellcome to enclose you a list of queries and notes concerning the practice of medicine, surgery, etc., among native African tribes of which he is desirous of obtaining information.

I understand that Mr Wellcome conferred with you on this matter when you saw him in London.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

(signed) C.J.S. THOMPSON.

To

Captain Anderson,

C/O Dr Balfour,

The Wellcome Research Laboratories,

Khartoum.

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Anderson (Captain.)

December 15th, 1909.

Dear Capt. Anderson,

I have not heard from Mr Wellcome with respect to your query whether you were to forward your notes on the native objects, which you obtained on your last journey, to Dr Balfour or to him. Mr Wellcome, in a letter which I have just received, states that he will be glad if you will kindly send the notes, when completed, direct to Dr Balfour.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

Capt. R.G. Anderson,
Royal Army Medical Corps,
Cairo,
EGYPT.

Inventory of Objects received from Capt. Anderson,

November 3th, 1909.

- ✓ 1 (Sheluk) tobacco pipe. ✓
- ✓ 1 (Niam Niam) pillow steel ✓
- ✓ 12 (Dinka and Sheluk) ivory armlets. ✓
- ✓ 2 (Arab) ivory bracelets. ✓
- ✓ 1 (Niam Niam) wooden "oracle" ✓
- ✓ 1 Witch Doctor's switch. ✓
- ✓ 2 (Kederun) iron necklets. ✓
- ✓ 1 armlet. ✓
- ✓ 1 armlet. ✓
- ✓ 10 (Gour) bracelets. ✓
- 1 (Kederun) woven grass armlet.
- only 5 ✓ 6 Small (Gour) charms. ✓
- ✓ 4 (Niam Niam) knives. ✓
- ✓ 1 Doctor's knife. ✓
- ✓ 4 (Sheluk) neck amulets. ✓
- ✓ 2 Spade) moneys. ✓
- ✓ 2 Spear) ✓
- ✓ 5 (Niam Niam) rings. ✓
- ✓ 2 Hunting and charm whistles. ✓
- only 1 ✓ 5 Musical instruments. ✓
- ✓ 1 Lizard skin. ✓
- ✓ 6 Arab koranic charms. ✓
- Separate parcel.
- ✓ 0 25 Poisoned arrows. ✓ ✓ 21
- ✓ 1 Dinka pillow and pouch combined ✓
- ✓ 1 Horn for salt and drugs. ✓

Kaffir Medical Necklace.

1 Arab Charm Mysico Loory

1 Arab Charm Loar Loory

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Morning

110, SHOOTERS HILL ROAD
BLACKHEATH, S.E.

- 1. (Shukur) tobacco pipe
- 1. (Nani Nani) silver clock
- 12. (Dinka & Shukur) iron
armlets
- 2. (Arab) iron bracelets
- 1. (Nani Nani) wooden
"rattle"
- 1. white D^r switch
- 2. (Keduru) iron square necklets
- 1 " " " " armlets
- 1 " " " " armlets
- 10 (Gour) bracelets
- 1 (Keduru) woven grass armlets
- 6. Small (Gour) charms
- 4. (Nani Nani) Bivors
- 1. Oddris Bivors

4. (Shukur) neck amulets
2. "Spade" } money
2. Spear } money
- 5 (Nami Naim) ring
- 2. Hunting & game whistles
5. Musical instruments
- 1. Lizard skin
6. Arab Koranic charms.

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Separate parcels

25 poisoned arrows.

1 Dinka Pillow & pouch
combined

• 1 Horn for salt & drugs

2 2 2 Cairo.

January 22nd, 1910.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you very cordially for so kindly sending me the two ancient cupping glasses, which have duly arrived uninjured. They will form a most interesting addition to the Historical Medical Exhibition, when it takes place, and of which I am sending you herewith the latest syllabus. Any object of medical, or surgical interest, you may meet with in your district, I shall be most pleased if you will send me, with a description of the same, or, if genuine, and it could be purchased at a reasonable price, I should always be glad to acquire it.

Again thanking you very heartily for your kind gift, and for the interest you have taken in the matter,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Dr D. B. Asken,
American Mission,

Fayoum. EGYPT.

Dr. D. L. ASKREN
AMERICAN MISSION

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Egypt Jan 5th 1910

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Mr. Henry S. Welcome Esq.
Barroughs Welcome Bld
London, Eng.

Dear Sir,

Under separate
cover I am taking the liberty of sending
you two ancient cupping glasses which I
saw in an antique dealers shop here.

I do not know to what period they belong
but I suppose probably to Roman as we
have many ruins showing Roman occupation.
If they are of any value to your collection
place them in it if not simply toss
them in waste basket for I make no
collections myself except an occasional
scrab.

If at any time I could be of any service
to you in looking for special antiques
please command me and while not an expert
I know a genuine one when I see it and I am
in Cairo every few days.

Trusting I can be of service to you
some time I am,

Yours,
D. L. Askren

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H.M.E.

9th June, 1910.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your letter of the 2nd inst., and for your kind offer to give me your valuable assistance, in connection with the "savage section" of medicine in the Historical Medical Exhibition. If you could make it convenient to give me a call before you return to Africa, and let me have a list of any suitable objects you might be good enough to loan me, I should greatly appreciate your kindness.

Again thanking you,

I am,

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Henry S. Wellcome.

Major C.H. Armitage,

76 Jermyn Street,

St James's,

S.W.

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76, JERMYN STREET,
ST JAMES'S, S.W.

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Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 24th
February last missed me
on the Coast & has been
forwarded to me here.

I shall be very pleased
to help you in making
the "Savage Section" of
your Exhibition a Success

to lend you any
objects which you
may think suitable
from my collection.

I do not leave
~~again~~ for the West-
Coast again before
September, ^{next} & shall
be pleased to hear
from you at any

time with regard to
the Exhibition

I am truly
Yours truly
W. F. Mudge.

H. S. Wellcome Esq

February 24th, 1910.

Dear Sir,

I am informed by my representative - Mr T.R. Walton, that you have kindly offered to loan me from your collection, some objects of medical interest, in the form of fetishes, amulets, and native surgical instruments etc., for the Historical Medical Exhibition to be held in London in the year 1913.

I am very desirous of making a "savage" collection of these objects as complete as possible, and should be greatly indebted to you if you could see your way to loan me a selection of any articles of this nature that you may have.

I understand from Mr Walton that you are coming to England in the Spring, and if you will kindly communicate with me again, I shall be pleased to give you any further information with respect to the forthcoming Exhibition.

Yours very truly,

Major C.H. Armitage, D.S.O.,

Obuasi,

Via Sekondi,

Gold Coast.

W. Africa .

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le 19 Mai, 1910.

Monsieur,

Je désire vous remercier cordialement de m'avoir
envoyé une copie de l'ancien Pharmacopoeia intitulé
'Pharmacopoea'Eateana' pour la future exposition histor-
ique médicale. Je le mettrai de côté avec les
autres objets, que vous avez eu la bonté de m'offrir,
jusqu' à ce que l'exposition ait lieu.

En vous remerciant de nouveau pour la peine que
vous vous êtes donnée à mon égard, agréez, Monsieur
l'expression de mes sentiments distingués,

Mons. le Docteur Abreu,
Rue de S. Victor, 70,
Braga,
Portugal.

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H.M.E.

March 17th, 1910.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for so kindly sending the objects for the H.M.E., which have duly arrived in safety. I will preserve them with every care until the Exhibition takes place, and will then communicate with you again. I trust you will be able to visit London the year the Exhibition is held.

Allow me also to thank you for the old and interesting engraving you have sent me, and for the interest and trouble you have taken on my behalf.

Yours very truly,

Dr Abreu.

le 17 Mars, 1910.

Monsieur,

Je désire vous remercier bien cordialement pour les divers objets pour l'exposition historique médicale, qui sont arrivés a bon port. Je les garderai avec soin jusqu'a ce que l'exposition ait lieu lorsque je me mettrai en rapport avec vous de nouveau. J'espere que vous pourrez visiter Londres lors de l'exposition.

Permettez moi de vous remercier aussi de l'ancienne gravure interessante, que vous m'avez envoyée, et de la peine que vous vous êtes donnée a mon égard,

Agréez, Monsieur mes salutations distinguées,

Mons le Docteur Abreu,

Rue de S. Victor 70,

Braga,

Portugal.

I have duly received your kind letter of the 10th inst, and beg to inform you that I have already sent you a registered parcel, no.159 on the 2nd inst. This parcel contains the old lancet, the big volume of the Dr Chourao, the copy of the Gazetta de Lisboa, and Dr Castillo's autograph letter.

I should be glad if you would kindly inform me when you receive this parcel. I have still a few more things for the Exhibition.

Yours etc.,

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Braga. Rue de S. Victor 70. le 13 mars 1910.

M^r. Henry S. Wellcome, Esq.

J'ai bien reçu votre aimable lettre
du 10 de ce mois. J'ai l'honneur de
vous informer, que je vous ai déjà envoyé
un colis postal recommandé, N^o
159, dans le 2 de ce mois. Ce colis postal
contenait le vieux lancetier, le gros vol.
du Dr. Chourão, le N^o de la Gazeta de
Lisboa, et la lettre autographe du Dr. Castilh.
Je vous prie la bonté de m'informer,
quand vous aurez reçu ce colis.
J'ai ici encore de petites choses pour
votre exposition.

agréés mes sentiments distingués.
Dr. Edmardo Frey

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le 10 Mars 1910.

Monsieur,

J'ai l'honneur de vous accuser reception de votre aimable lettre du
lier Ct, dans laquelle vous m'offrez le vieux lancetier pour la future
exposition historique médicale. J'aurai grand plaisir a l'accepter, lorsque
il vous conviendra de me l'envoyer.

J'aurai aussi bien du plaisir a recevoir le gros volume manuscrit du
Dr Chourao, au sujet du Vaccine, de même que la copie du "Gazetta de Lisboa"
pour l'an 1812, et la lettre autographe, adressée au Docteur Mouras, qui
seront fort interessant..

Je me sers de l'occasion de vous remercier bien cordialement de l'intérêt
que vous avez pris a mon projet, et je serai bien content de faire exposer
les objets, que vous avez la bonté de m'offrir.

Agréez, Monsier, mes salutations les plus distinguées,

Mons. le Docteur Abreu,

Rue de S. Victor, 70

Braga.

PORTUGAL.

Dr. Eduardo Abreu

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10 MAR 1910

BRAGA

68, RUA DE S. VICTOR, 70

Translation of letter addressed to Mr. Wellcome by Dr. Eduardo Abreu, Rue de S. Victor 70, Braga, Portugal; dated March 1st, received March 5th, 1910.

I have duly received your esteemed favour of Jan. 10th, 1910. I think that the ancient thesis "De Prophylaxi" is very curious. My monography on the "Hospital Real de todos los Santos de Lisboa" is of an inferior importance.

I have been offered a very small and incomplete lancet outfit, containing 4 lancets for drawing out blood. This present was found amongst the small inheritance of a very old and noble Portuguese, who died in this province of Chinho, a month ago. This very illustrious gentleman was a collector as all his ancestors. In the traditions of the family, the lancets of English manufacture were used by an English surgeon who came to Lisbon in the 18th century as private doctor to King Joao V of Portugal, who was very plethoric and always loved in the monasteries. But there is not yet a written proof confirming this tradition about the lancets. However, they are very antique. Perhaps they are of the epoch when they commenced to leave off the blood-letting, scalping or "gladiolus myrtaceus," of the blade fixed on a solid handle of wood or of metal, used since antiquity. I take the liberty of offering this small present for your Historical Exhibition of Rare and Curious Objects.

The vaccine^{lin} discovered by the immortal Jenner and which he publicly sold in 1796, after having confirmed it by 20 years of researches, commenced in Portugal in 1806 by the studies and observations of the distinguished Portuguese doctor, Dr. Chourao. I am sending you for your Exhibition the very precious and large MM. volume (unpublished) of Dr. Chourao of 1806 to 1817, where he has transcribed his correspondence with the "Institut Vaccinique de l'Académie Royale des Sciences" of Lisbon; his experiences and clinical observations and his enthusiasm for the discovery of the celebrated English doctor. This unpublished volume has a great historical importance because it includes the first works on Vaccination in the Heberic Peninsular, Portugal and Spain.

I am also sending you for your Exhibition: The No. 240 of the "Gazeta de Lisboa" of Oct. 13th 1812 where Dr. Jose Feleciano de Castilho, Secretary of the "Institut Vaccinique de l'Académie Royale des Sciences" of Lisbon, officially announces the benefits of the Vaccine, and recommends all doctors the immediate practice of vaccination. Secondly; An autograph letter (the signature) from Lisbon May 29th 1813 addressed to Dr. Mouras by Dr. Jose Feleciano de Castilho re the Vaccine.

I believe that you will not despise these modest subsidies and that your noble ~~ambition~~ desire is to render the Exhibition as complete as possible.

10 MAR 1910

Yours etc.,

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Portugal. Braga. Rue de S. Victor 70.
le 1. mars 1910.

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M^r. Henry S. Wellcome.

London. E. C.

J'ai bien reçu votre aimable lettre du 10. Janvier. 1910. Je crois que l'ancienne thèse "De Prophylaxi" est très-curieuse! La monographie sur l'"Hospital Real de todos os Santos de Lisboa", est d'une importance inférieure.

On vient de m'offrir un très-petit et incomplet lancetier, en contenant 4 Lancets, pour la saignée. Le Cadeau a été trouvé dans le petit héritage d'un très-pieux et noble portugais, décédé dans cette province du Chinho, il y a un mois. Cet honorable très-illustré, était un collectionneur, comme tous ses ancêtres. Dans la tradition de la famille, les lancets de fabrication anglaise, ont servi à un Chirurgien anglais, qui a vécu à Lisbonne dans le siècle 18^e, comme médecin particulier du Roi D. João V, de Portugal, qui était très-pléthorique et toujours amoureux dans les Chonastères. Mais il n'y a pas encore la preuve écrite en confirmant ce-tradition-la sur les Lancets. Toutefois, elles sont très-antiques. Peut-être elles seront de l'époque où ont commencé à abandonner le phlebotomus, le scalpedus ou gladius mortaceus, de lame fixée sur une manche solide de bois ou de métal, usé depuis l'antiquité. Je prends la liberté d'offrir ce petit Cadeau pour votre "Historical Exhibition of rare and Curious objects."

La vaccine découverte par l'immortal Jenner, et qu'il rendit

publique en 1796, après l'avoir confirmée par 20 années de recherches,
- a commencé à Portugal en 1806, par les études et observations
du distingué médecin portugais, Dr. Chourão. Je vous envoie
pour votre Exposition le très-précieux et gros volume manuscrit
et inédit du Dr. Chourão, de 1806 à 1817, où il a transcrit sa
Correspondence avec l'Institut Vaccinique de l'Académie Royale
des Sciences de Lisbonne; ses expériences et observations cliniques,
et son enthousiasme pour la découverte du Célèbre médecin
Anglais. Ce volume inédit a grande importance historique,
parce qu'il embrasse les premiers travaux sur la Vaccine, dans
la péninsule ibérique; Portugal et Espagne.

Je vous envoie aussi pour votre Exposition 1^{re}: le n^o 240, de la
"Gazeta de Lisboa" de 13 Octobre 1812, où le Dr. José Feliciano de
Castillo, secrétaire de l'Institut Vaccinique de l'Académie Royale
des Sciences de Lisbonne, annonce officiellement les bienfaits de
la Vaccine, et recommande à tous les médecins la pratique
immédiate de la Vaccination: - 2^o Une lettre autographe (la
signature), de Lisbonne, le 29. Mai 1813, adressée au Dr.
Chourão, par le Dr. José Feliciano de Castillo, sur la Vaccine.

Je crois que vous ne mépriserez pas ces modestes subsides,
et que votre noble désir est de rendre l'Exposition aussi
complète et variée, que possible.

Je vous prie d'agréer, Monsieur, l'expression de mes
sentiments distingués.

Dr. Eduardo Horta
De l'Académie R. des Sciences de Lisbonne; de l'Académie
de Médecine de Barcelonne, etc.

le 10 Janvier, 1910.

Monsieur,

J'ai l'honneur de vous accuser reception de votre aimable lettre du 3 Ct, et je désire vous remercier de votre bonté en m'envoyant l'ancienne thèse , "De Prophylaxi", que j'ai examiné avec grand intérêt , de même que le feuilleton intitulé Hospital Real de Todos os Santos de Lisboa.

Lorsque les arrangements pour l'exposition historique médicale seront plus avancées, j'aurai du plaisir a vous en fournir plus de détails.

En attendant, je vous prie d'agréer, Monsieur, l'expression de mes sentiments distingués.

Dr Eduardo Abren.

68, Rua de S. Victor, 70.

Braga. PORTUGAL.

Letter addressed Mr Wellcome from Dr Eduard Abren, Rue de St Victor, 70, Braga, Portugal, dated 3rd Jan. recd, 7th Jan. 1910.

I duly received the Wellcome Medical Agenda. It is a very instructive and important publication. Please accept my thanks for your kindness. I should be much obliged if you would kindly send me another copy for my young son, who is studying medicine at Lisbon.

I am taking the liberty to offer you for your Historical Exhibition, a treatise of the year 1780, - "De Prophylaxi chorborum Epizooticorum" etc., which happens to be a very curious and rather rare thesis.

Yours etc.,

10 JAN 1910

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10 JAN 1910

Mrs. Henry G. Wellcome.

Londres.

J'ai bien reçu l'"Agenda Médical Wellcome".
C'est une publication très-instructive et distinguée.
Je vous remercie bien pour votre gentillesse, et je vous
prie la bonté de m'envoyer un autre exemplaire pour
un mon jeune fils, qui fait ses études à Lisbonne,
pour médecin. Je prend la liberté de vous offrir
pour votre notable Exposition Historique, une thèse
de 1780 "... De Prophylaxi morborum Epizooticorum"
... Erlangae. etc. C'est une thèse très-curieuse,
et assez rare.

Recevez, chousiens, l'assurance de ma considération
distinguée.

Dr. Eduardo Abreu

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H.M.E.

9 Giugno 1910

Egregio Signore

Mi pregio ringraziarla per la sua lettera del 24 u.s. e per la sua offerta di prestito di libri, come da sua lista, per la prossima Esposizione Medico-Storica. Avrei volentieri approfittato della sua proposta se non avessi già copie di questi libri nella mia biblioteca.

Ho preso anche nota della sua suggestione di raccogliere qualunque documento raro o oggetto primitivo di medicina, chirurgia o farmacia per l'esposizione, che si potesse trovare a Napoli o nei dintorni. Se Lei vorrà essere tanto gentile di farmi sapere se ne trova, inviandomi dettagli completi e prezzo, sarò ben contento di prendere la cosa in considerazione.

Di nuovo ringraziandola pel disturbo che si è preso con distinta stima in creda

Suo dev^{mo}

(Signed) Henry S. Wellcome.

Dott Constantino Andreucci,

Via Montella Gaetano 27,

N a p o l i .

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TRANSLATION of letter from Dr. Constantino Andreucci, Via Montella
Gaetano, 27, Naples, dated 24th May - recd. 28th May 1910.
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ANS:
JUN 1910

9 Enclosed I send you a list of the valuable books which I
possess and which I should like to exhibit at your Universal
Exhibition if you will give me the means and also sufficient
guarantee in case of loss or non-return at the proper time.

I should also be disposed to sell them for reasonable
value before and after the Exhibition. It would be very easy,
here in Naples and in the provinces, to collect precious and
rare documents and primitive objects of medicine, surgery and
pharmacy. If you would give me the relative means, I would
undertake to buy them and I am sure that I could collect many.

Kindly favour me with a reply,

Yours etc.

COSTANTINO ANDREUCCI

MEDICO-CHIRURGO-OCULISTA

SPECIALISTA PER LE MALATTIE DEI BAMBINI

NAPOLI

VIA MONTELLA GAETANO, 27

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ANS.
9 JUN 1910

li. 24 Maggio 1910

Pres.^o Sir: Henry S. Wellcome
Imperial Institute Buildings -
London

G. G. / Guglielmo

Le auguro un elenco di Libri preziosi
che possiedo, che volentieri farei figurare
in questa Esposizione mondiale, se Ella
volesse fornirvene i mezzi e sufficienti.
Le garanzia in caso di smarrimento o non
reputare consegna a suo tempo.

Sarei pure disposto a cederti mediante
buon compenso prima o durante l'Esposi-
zione.

Sarebbe agevole qua' a Napoli, e nelle
Province fare inetto di preziosi e rari
documenti ed oggetti primitivi di Medi-
cina, Chirurgia, e Farmacia - se Ella volesse
fornirmi i mezzi opportuni, io mi occu-
perei di proposito ad acquistarli, e so-

certo che ne parei l'organo anche
Mi usi la cortesia di una sollec.
La rigo di risposta alla presente e
con tutta stima.

Devo
D. G. Andreucci

Scrittura. Perché non fa un deposito dei suoi insu-
perabili Tabloid anche qua a Napoli, da servire
per tutte le Province del Mezzogiorno?

Ne metterei volentieri la Direzione curandone
la larga diffusione, che mi sarebbe agevole per
le infinite relazioni, che ho in tutto il Meridio-
nale, compresa anche la Sicilia.

Accogliendo la mia proposta, Le scriverei le mie
referenze.

- 1.^o Galeni Quarta Editio Volumis octo
Venetiis Apud Iuntas 1565
- 2.^o Teatro Farmaceutico dogmatico e pragmatico
del dottor Giuseppe Sargenti Napolitano,
Barone di S. Nicola - Volume uno
Napoli 1675
- 3.^o Galeni Opera ex Octava Iuntarum Editione
quae, quid superioribus praestet, pagina verba
ostendit ad accuratissimum Venetorum Medicorum
Collegium - Venetiis apud Iuntas - 1609
- 4.^o De Morbis Venereis libri novem Auctore
Joanne Astruc. Volum. duo. Napoli 1768
Ex Typographia Josephi de Socinivis.
- 5.^o Corporis Humani Anatomia Auctore
Philippo Verheijem in Universitate Lovanensi
Anatomiae Professore Regio Lovanii. Expensis
Gerardini Gelsari. Vol. I. 1706.
- 6.^o Domini Guglielmii Opera Omnia Mathematica
Hydraulica, Medica et Physica; accessit vita Auctoris
A. Jo. Battista Morgagni, cum figuris etc. Volum. duo
Genevae sumptibus Graevius, Percheron et Socii
Vol. 2. 1719.
- 7.^o Elementa Medicinae Physico-Mathematicae Aubibaldi
Pitarum. Venetiis 1733. Apud Satorium Pastoli. Vol. I

8.^o Supplementum Anatomicum: Opus rarissimū
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Vol. 1. Neap. b. 1717. Cypri Felici Mosca -

9.^o Bernardini Campani Opera Omnia Medi-
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Editione quinta cum figuris etc. Vol. 1.
Londini apud Haubium et Isaacum Vaillaut
1742 -

10.^o Gerardus van Swieten Commentaria in
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cognoscendis et curandis morbis. Vol. octo
Neap. 1758. ex Typographia Benedicti Gessari.

11.^o Computi Medici di Nicolo' Girillo. Vol. tre in 8a.
noti 1738. Appresso Sorello de' Cronis. Stampatore Venetov.

12.^o Opere Medico-Chirurgiche del Signor Francesco
Moricaui, già Presidente della Societa' dei Maestri Chi-
rurghi Ricapitati della Citta' di Parigi. Traduzione
dal francese. Venezia 1740 presso Gio: Battista Macurati.

13.^o La Pratica Universale in Chirurgia di M. Giovanni
di Vico. con figure. Venezia Ciz. Santorini. Vol. 1. b. 1560

14.^o Joannis de Garter Chirurgia reorganata. Patavii typis
seminariis 1750. Apud Joannem Maugre.
Vol. 1

15.^o Anafanua de corpore unguis - S. Giordani Patologiae configura-
tione. Vol. 1. Venezia. Haugneria de Giunti 1608

16.^o Act. Praestandi de exitu Regrotantium. Porcino. Al-
bites Simon Romae Medicinae Professor. Vol. 1. 1795-

17.^o Antonii Musae Bratavoli Medici Ferrarentis. et
omnes Galeni Libros Praestantissimus. Index. Vol. 1.

18.^o Registrum Aegritudinum ac raumediocum. Venetijs
in Officina Juntarum Vol. 1. 1581-

19.^o Galeni Opera ex Septima Juntarum Editione Venetijs
apud Juntas 1597. Vol. 1.

20.^o Galeni Librorum Prima Glabri Naturae corporis
Humani. Venetijs apud Juntas 1597. Vol. 1

21.^o Bibliotheca Anatomica. sive Recensio Aristoteli inventorum
Thesaurus sumptuosissimus in quo integre atque absolutissi-
ma totius corporis humani descriptio, ejusdemque accedunt
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fatus practicas addiderunt Daniel Le Clerc et J.
Jacobus Haugner. M. D. D. cum judicibus necessariis
figurisque recens. Exaudino Geneva. sumptibus Joan-

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22.^o Friderici Hoffmanni Consilarii Regii
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Medicinae Primarii in Academia Halensi
Opera omnia Physico-Medica, deinde revisa,
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Dr. Ackland
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W.H.M.M.

19 January 1914.

Dear Sir,

On behalf of Mr. Wellcome I desire to thank you very cordially for so kindly presenting the two portraits of the late Sir William Gull and the three stethoscopes to the Historical Medical Museum. I can assure you we greatly appreciate your kindness in so doing, and feel sure that both the pictures and the stethoscopes will add to the interest of the collection gathered together in the Museum.

Again thanking you very heartily,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C.F.S.

Dr. Acland,

19 Bryanston Square, W.

H. H. H.

13 December 1913.

Dear Sir,

Some few months ago when you visited the Historical Medical Museum, you very kindly offered to present us with a portrait of Sir William Gull also a number of old stethoscopes.

I venture to remind you of your kind promise as we are now entirely re-arranging and classifying the Museum, which will be opened in the spring of next year. If you could see your way to let us have these objects we should much appreciate your kindness.

To save you any trouble, if you will kindly let me know by telephone what day and hour will be most convenient for you, I will send a man for the parcel.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. J. S. T.

Dr. Acland,
19, Bryanston Square, W.

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H.M.E.

26th January 1911.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your letter of the /9th inst., and for so kindly offering me the book entitled Jno. Jacob Wecker's Antidotarium Speciale, Basle, 1623.

I should be pleased to avail myself of your kind offer to loan when the Historical Medical Exhibition takes place in 1913. As soon as definite arrangements are made, I will duly advise you as to the time and place to which the book should be forwarded.

I am,

Yours very truly,

H.S.W.

S. Acheson Esq.,
207 Lorne Terrace,
Albertbridge Road,
Belfast.

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207, LORNE TERRACE,
ALBERTBRIDGE ROAD,
BELFAST.

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Mr A. S. Wellcome

Dear Sir

I have a copy of
Antidotarium Speciale
Jus Jacob Wecker
Basle

DI 15CXXIII

(1623)

It is a "materna medica &

Pharmacopoeia" in Latin.
It also contains notes on Pharmacy.
I do not know if it would
be of any interest at your
coming exhibition. If so
please let me know.

I am yours sincerely
S. Acheson

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H.M.M.

9 October 1913.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your kind letter of the 6th inst., I think you have mistaken the purport of my communication to you respecting the Historical Medical Museum. Some months ago, your firm was kind enough to lend us several old instruments and specimens of early dentures for the Historical Medical Museum of the International Congress of Medicine. As the Museum is now to be a permanent institution in London, I write to ask you if you would let us have these objects on permanent loan, or if you would be willing to dispose of the same to us so that they could remain in the Museum. If you are willing to do so, I should much appreciate your kindness, as they form a connecting link in the instruments we already have in the collection.

Thanking you in anticipation of an early reply,

Yours very truly,

H.S.W.

Messrs. Cladius Ash, Sons & Co.,
5 to 12 Broad Street, W.

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TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,

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TELEPHONE,

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*5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,*

London, 8th Oct: 1913.
W.

H.S. Wellcome, Esq.,

Dear Sir,

In reply to your circular asking if we can supply any objects of interest to the Historical Museum, for which you are preparing a collection, we beg to say that the requests from Dental Hospitals and Colleges in all parts of the world are so numerous that we find it almost impossible to get together a sufficient number of Dental Instruments, etc., of historic interest to meet direct enquiries from our clients in the Dental Profession, and are therefore unable, to our regret, to send anything to the Collection in question.

We are, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO., LTD

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24 Feb. 1913.

Dear Sirs,

Please deliver to bearer the objects you are kindly loaning
for the Historical Medical Museum.

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S. Thompson.

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Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons & Co., Ltd.
5 to 12 Broad Street,
Golden Square.

H.M.M.

22 Feb. 1913.

Dear Sirs,

I desire to thank you for your kind letter of the 21st inst., in which you enclosed the form for insurance of the dental specimens and old instruments which you are kindly loaning for the Historical Medical Museum. We note that you will be unable to make the models of the instruments.

I should be glad if you could have the instruments and other objects you are loaning ready by 2.30 p.m. on Monday, the 24th inst., when I will send a porter to collect them.

Trusting this will be convenient to you,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons & Co., Ltd.,
5 to 12, Broad Street,
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*5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,*

London, Feb. 21st 1913.
W.

C.J.S. Thompson, Esq.,

W.

Dear Sir,

We enclose form with value for Insurance of Dental Specimens and also attach a detailed list of articles in question.

With reference to your enquiry of the 4th inst. we much regret being unable to comply with your suggestion to make the instruments about which Dr. Sambon spoke, as our factories are all too busy to cope with ordinary work now in hand.

We have looked out a number of old Dental books which are open to your inspection should you care to look at them.

Yours faithfully,

CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO., LTD.

P. H. Barker

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C.J.S.T.

24th October 1911.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to yours of the 10th inst., we will keep the work by
Guerini on the History of Dentistry, if you will kindly charge
it up to us, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Burroughs Wellcome & Co.
per

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons,
& Co., Ltd.,

5-12 Broad Street,

Golden Square, W.

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No 420 GERRARD (5 LINES)

5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,

London, *W.* Oct. 10th, 1911

Mr CFS Thompson
Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.,

Gentlemen,

We beg to acknowledge receipt of the old Ash's Catalogues
lent you with thanks.

May we point out that you also had on loan a Guerini's Work -
will you kindly return this or shall we charge it up to you?

Awaiting your esteemed instructions,

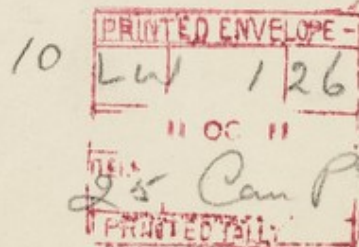
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Yours faithfully,

FOR CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO LTD

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From

CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO, LIMITED.

5 TO 12, BROAD ST GOLDEN SQ.

LONDON Oct. 7th, 1911.
W.

To Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co

Dear Sirs,

Reference C.J.S.T.

Thank you for your memo dated Oct. 3 advising return of the Catalogues which we lent you. We will check them off on Monday next and let you know if they are all in order.

Yours faithfully,

CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO., LTD.

J. Smith



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C.J.S.T.

3rd October 1911.

Dear Sirs,

Please accept our cordial thanks for the loan of the enclosed catalogues, which we now return herewith, and trust you will receive safely.

Again thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

We are,

Yours truly,

Messrs. Claudius Ash,
Sons & Co. Ltd.,
5-12 Broad Street,
Golden Square, W.

B.W.&Co.

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons, & Co. Ltd.

C.J.S.T.

30th March 1911-

Dear Mr. Higson,

I desire to thank you very cordially for your kind letter of yesterday's date, and have noted your willingness to loan us your collection of ancient instruments, and to furnish us with specimens of the latest patterns when necessary. When I get the matter further advanced, I shall have pleasure in communicating with you again.

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

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

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CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO., LIMITED.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"FRENES" LONDON.

TELEPHONE,
NO 420 GERRARD (5 LINES)

5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,

London, *W* Mar. 29th, 1911.

Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.

Dear Mr. Thompson,

Reference C.J.S.T.

We shall be glad to loan you any of the old instruments which we have in our museum and also to supply you with the latest patterns of up-to-date workmanship whenever you wish to have the ancient and the modern delivered to you.

We await your further pleasure in the matter, and shall be glad to do anything we can to help you.

Yours faithfully,

per pro CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO LTD

J. Hilson

.....Director.



B.W.&Co.

G.J.S.T.

28th March 1911.

Dear Sir,

I regret you were engaged when Dr. Sambon and myself called to see you yesterday afternoon, but we much appreciated your kindness in allowing us to see the interesting little collection of early dental instruments, which one of your assistants kindly showed us. There are several among them that we have not seen before, and should you be willing to loan them to us for identification we will take the greatest care of them.

I may say that it is our desire to trace if possible the history of each important instrument to its origin, and obtain specimens showing the development down to the very latest pattern of up-to-date workmanship, which I have no doubt you would be able to supply later on.

I am retaining the catalogues you kindly loaned us for a few weeks, and will return them to you when we have finished with them.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

G.J.S.T.

J. Higson Esq.,

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons
& Co. Ltd.,

5-12 Broad Street,

Golden Square, W.

C.J.S.T.

23rd March 1911.

Dear Sirs,

We desire to thank you very cordially for your kind letter of yesterday's date with reference to the old dental catalogues, and note that you are sending us a supply on Saturday morning.

The gentleman engaged on this work, Dr. Sambon, and Mr. C.J.S.Thompson, will have pleasure in calling upon you to inspect the old instruments which you have so kindly selected for the purpose of the Historical Medical Exhibition, on Monday, between 1.45 and 2 o'clock, if this is convenient to you.

We are sending you under separate cover a packet of addressed envelopes as requested. If these are not large enough, and you will kindly let us know, we will send you a further supply.

We are,

Yours very truly,

B.W.&Co.

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons & Co. Ltd.,
5 to 12, Broad Street, Golden Square, W.

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NO 420 GERRARD (5 LINES)

5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,

London, *W* Mar. 22nd, 1911.

Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.

Dear Sirs,

Old Catalogues. *Ref C. J. S. T.*

We are sending herewith the following old and modern Catalogues:

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1871 Appendix, 1875, 1876, 1886,
1892 Appendix, 1893, 1899, 1905,
1910,

which we have put on appro. to you at a charge of £20. We will
cancel the appro entry when you return the Catalogues.

The old instruments which we have are ready for your inspection
whenever you care to call and see them.

Yours faithfully,

per pro CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO LTD



J. Wilson
.....Director.

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5 to 12, Broad Street,
Golden Square,

London, W Mar. 22nd, 1911.

Ad
Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.

Dear Sirs,

Old Dental Catalogues, Ref. G.J.S.T. *Exhibition*

In answer to your favour dated Mar. 21, we will try and have the old Catalogues ready by Friday and send them down to you on Saturday morning.

We will also have the old Instruments which we have by us arranged for your inspection, and ask you to let your representative call and see whether you would like to use any of them in the Exhibit which you are making.

Yours faithfully,

per pro CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO LTD

J. H. H. H.
.....Director.



*Please send a supply of
your addressed envelopes
per return.*

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C.J.S.T.

21st March 1911.

Dear Sirs,

I desire to thank you for so kindly loaning us Guerini's "History of Dentistry," which I will return to you very shortly.

I trust you have been able to find some old dental catalogues of your own, which would be of the greatest possible service to us in identifying ancient dental instruments. If you find any, and would send them to us, we should greatly appreciate your kindness.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

Messrs. Claudius Ash, Sons
& Co. Ltd.,

5 Broad St, Golden Sq., W.

TELEPHONE,
No 420 GERRARD (4 LINES)

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"FRENES", LONDON

MEMORANDUM

From

CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO. LIMITED,

5 to 12, BROAD ST. GOLDEN SQ.

LONDON
W.

Mar. 13th, 1911.

To Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co

Dear Sirs,

Catalogue of Dental Instruments.

If you will kindly let us know for what purpose you require the old Catalogues of Dental Instruments dating back from 1880 as far as possible, for which you enquire in your favour dated Mar. 13, we will see what we can do to help you.

Yours faithfully,

per pro CLAUDIUS ASH, SONS & CO. LTD



J. Hilson Director.

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B.W. & Co.

13th March 1911.

Dear Sirs,

Could you supply us, either by purchase or loan, with any old catalogues of dental instruments dating back from 1880 as far as possible.

Awaiting the favour of your reply,

We are,

Yours very truly,

B.W. & Co.

Messrs. Claudius Ash
Sons, Co. Ltd.,
5 Broad Street, Golden Sq.

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Claudius.

P. H. & Co.

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Claudius Ash

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7 Feb. 1913.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you for your letter of the 5th inst. and your kind offer to loan three medical manuscripts for the Historical Medical Museum. I shall be very pleased to have these if you will kindly forward them at your early convenience.

They will be guarded with the greatest care and insured for the value you wish. They shall be duly returned to you about the end of September, when the Exhibition is closed.

I enclose a lender's form for the necessary details.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Rev. A. Amandolini.

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H.M.M.

5th March 1913.

Dear Sir,

Many thanks for the loans of the notes on Hindu customs for the
Historical Medical Museum. I enclose them with thanks for sending the
same.

I am,
Faithfully yours,

C.J.S.T.

Rev. F. Adalbert Admandolini,
The Presbytery,
Broadstairs, Kent.

H. M. M.

12 February 1913.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you very cordially for so kindly forwarding me the three medical MSS. for the Historical Medical Museum. They will be returned to you at the close of the Exhibition.

I am,

Yours very truly,

The Rev. A. Amandolini.
The Presbytery,
Broadstairs.

1558.

Feb. 9th 1913.
3, Walmley Road
THE PRESBYTERY,
BROADSTAIRS,
KENT.

Dear Sir,

I beg to en-
close three manuscripts:-
one of 3 pages; one of 4,
& one of 20.

The notes were jotted
down by me on the spot,
in the year 1880.

I must tell you, that

THE PRESBYTERY
BROOKFIELD
NEW YORK

They were obtained on
hearsay, as I never
witnessed any thing
I have described.

I do not wish my
name to appear in
connection with them.

If you should find
anything interest.

ing in them, you can
appropriate it.

I shall be pleased to
have them back when
the exhibition closes.

Yours sincerely

F. Adalbert Admandolini

O. S. B.

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H. M. M.

15 May 1913.

Received from Mrs. Aitken, on loan for the Historical Medical
Museum, a Wedgewood retort formerly the property of William
Black, the chemist of Edinburgh.

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Duplicate

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11 January, 1906

Dear Sir,

I am informed by my representative Mr E. L. Merry that you have kindly offered to loan me a compressed bandage which was carried by your father through the Crimean war, for the Historical Medical Exhibition. I should be most pleased to have the same and will advise you in due course of the time and place where it should be forwarded as soon as the date of the exhibition is fixed.

Yours very truly,

Dr T. Archer,
15 York Road,
S.E.

1035

August 23rd, 1906.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you very heartily
for so kindly sending me the old bandage
which your father carried in the Crimea.
It will form an interesting addition to the
surgical section of the Historical Medical
Exhibition when it takes place.

With many thanks,

I am,

Yours very truly,

Thomas Archer, Esq., M.D.,

15, York Road,

S. E.

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1906

BIRROUGHS WELLCOME & CO., LONDON.

6 Hilgrove Road N.W.

Jan'y 3/06

Re Historical Medical Exhibition.

Gentlemen,

W. L. Archer of 15 York Road S.E. mentioned, during the interview I had with him this afternoon, that he had in his possession a compressed bandage which had been taken by his father all through the Crimea, and had never been unrolled.

Thinking this was the kind of thing you required for the above named Exhibition, I mentioned the matter to Mr Archer, who is quite willing to loan the bandage as long as it may be required.

Yours truly

E. L. Merry

Dr Archer
" Jan '06 cjs

Wandsworth
14.8.1906

Dear Sir

At last I have found
the bandage wh. my father
took to the Crimea.

It has never been undone.
I make you a present of it
with much pleasure.

Yours truly

Jos. Archer M.D.

Henry S. Wellcome Esq.

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Henry S. Wellcome
off.

Dr T. Archer,
15 York Road,
S.E.

the International Congress of Medicine.

Again thanking Your Lordship,

I am,

Your obedient servant,

H. S. W.

2 September 1913.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Ashburnham,
Battle Abbey,
Hastings.

My Lord,

I beg to inform you that on Friday last, as arranged with Mr. P.G. Collins, the Curator of the Historical Medical Museum delivered to him the box containing the shirt, garters, watch and other relics of King Charles I, which you so kindly lent to the Historical Medical Museum.

May I take this opportunity of thanking Your Lordship very cordially for your great kindness in lending these interesting relics to the Museum. I can assure you they have excited the greatest interest among the large numbers of people from all parts of the world who visited the Museum at the time of the meeting of the International Congress of Medicine.

Again thanking Your Lordship,

I am,

Your obedient servant,

H. S. W.

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30th June 1913.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Ashburnham,
Ashburnham Place,
Nr. Battle.

My Lord,

On behalf of the President of the Section of the History of Medicine of the XVIIth International Congress, I desire to thank you for so kindly lending the relics of King Charles I. which I have duly received from Mr. Collins today and which have now been placed in the Historical Medical Museum.

I am sending under separate cover a guide-book to the Museum and an admission card, and trust you will be able to pay it a visit.

I am, my Lord,

Your obedient servant,

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