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Feb. 8, 1934.

Dr. W. W. Francis,
The Osler Library,
McGill University,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Dr. Francis:-

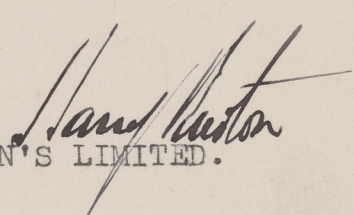
I enclose herewith the final proofs of "A Way of Life," with the changes made in accordance with Mrs. Stewart's desires. As it was necessary to reprint the whole book, the type of the previous edition having been distributed, Mrs. Stewart would be very grateful to you if you would kindly once again go over the proofs, so that we can be sure it is word perfect.

I am enclosing with these proofs a letter from Mrs. Stewart, which is self-explanatory, and perhaps you would express your opinion of the changes she suggests. Mrs. Stewart will no doubt communicate with you herself.

If you will kindly telephone me when you have finished with the proofs, I shall be glad to send a messenger to collect them.

Yours very truly,

HB/KW.


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Wm. Burton
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Mar. 5, 1932.

Dr. W. W. Francis,
The Osler Library,
McGill University,
Montreal, P. Q.

Dear Dr. Francis:-

I wish to thank you for your letter of
the 4th inst., and for the enclosure from Messrs.
Constable & Co.

My negotiations regarding the "Way of
Life" have been through the Macmillan Company,
and I am very surprised that Constable's have not
heard from them.

I shall immediately communicate with
Mr. Eayrs, President of the Macmillan Company, and
endeavor to ascertain why our inquiries have been
delayed.

Yours truly,

HB/KW.

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[Handwritten signature]

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May 28, 1932.

Dr. W. W. Francis,
Osler Library,
McGill University,
Montreal, P. Q.

Dear Dr. Francis:-

Enclosed herewith please find marked proof of
"A Way of Life." Will you kindly read this and return it
to me at your earliest convenience.

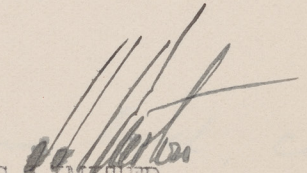
I should like to discuss with you the matter of
the title page. The present form is a copy of the title
page of the American edition with the Publisher's name
omitted, and Constable's require instructions regarding the
imprint we might desire. I have discussed the matter with
Mrs. Stewart who has left it entirely in our hands. When I
say our, I mean yours and mine. My idea is that it might
be something along the lines of the following:-

"Specially printed in London for the William Grant
Stewart (?)"

Perhaps you will communicate with me when you have
considered these matters and I shall be pleased to run up to
see you at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

HB/KW.


BURTON'S LIMITED.

June 1, 1932

Burton's Ltd.,
1245 St. Catherine St. W.,
Montreal.

Dear Mr. Burton:

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Yours

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Proposed imprint on title-page:

Privately printed for Burton's
Ltd., Montreal. 1932.

For the verso of the title-page:

Published by Constable & Co.,
London, 1913, 1918, 1925 and (in The
Student Life and Other Essays by Sir
William Osler) 1928.

The present edition has been specially
printed for distribution, under the
will of the late Dr. William Grant
Stewart, to all medical students of
McGill University.

P. T. O.

W. G. 2.

*Review when the proofs come back, compare
them with my corrections in the 1928
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ed. 1928 or W.G.2.

W.W.S.

June 1, 1932

Burton's Ltd.,
1245 St. Catherine St. W.,
Montreal.

Dear Mr. Burton:

Confirming our telephone conversation this morning, I am posting you, herewith, the proofs of "A Way of Life".

It is very excellently printed, but nearly all the mistakes that I have had to correct are due to their having foolishly copied the text of the Baltimore edition instead of the 1928 London edition, as I requested in my letter to Constable, 27 Jan., 1932, of which I sent you a copy. I have attached to the title-page my suggestions for imprint, etc. I think your name should go on the front, with the date of the edition, and the explanation of the present edition should be printed on the back of the title-page, together with the list of Constable's published editions. I should particularly like Constable's 1928 edition to be mentioned, with its title, because it contains three other addresses for students, and will show them where they can find these.

I approve of your suggestion that ^{we} ~~you~~ should see another proof, and I am glad that you approve of my suggestion that the presentation book-plate should be printed on the end-paper of the front cover instead of being pasted in.

Yours sincerely,

W.W.S.

I enclose when the proofs come back, compare them with my corrections in the Balto ed. 1928 or W.G.2.

W.W.S.

July 21, 1932

Mr. Burton,
1243 St. Catherine St. W.,
Montreal

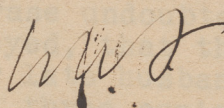
Dear Mr. Burton:

I return herewith the second proofs of the "Way of Life". I have been through them twice today and find them word perfect. I think it will make a very fine little book. I suppose the phrase which, at my direction, they have printed on the back of the title-page, "Under the will of the late Dr. William Grant Stewart", is correct? There seems to be some doubt about it here. Would it be possible to get Mrs. Stewart's approval of that clause? I think she told me that she did not wish her name to appear in print in connection with it.

^{to} When the book appears, I should like, if I might, have copies for the Library, for myself, and for my fellow literary executor, Dr. Archibald Malloch, that is, three copies in all.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



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July 23, 1932.

Dr. W. W. Francis,
Osler Library,
McGill University,
Montreal, P. Q.

Dear Dr. Francis:-

Many thanks for so promptly returning the proofs of "A Way of Life," and for so carefully correcting and annotating them. I have sent them on to the printer for completion, for I believe the phrase that is questioned, namely:- "Under the will of the late Dr. William Grant Stewart," is substantially true for the present, and will be even more so for the future. Mrs. Stewart certainly does not wish her name to appear, and it would be equally untrue to say that it was a fund founded by Dr. Grant Stewart as what is already said. That phrase undoubtedly conveys what Mrs. Stewart wishes to be conveyed, that the idea and its perpetuation is the work of her late husband. When the book is ready, I shall promptly send three copies to you.

With kind regards,

Yours truly,

HB/KW.

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August 12, 1932

Mr. Burton,
Burton's Ltd.,
1243 St. Catherine St. W.,
M o n t r e a l

Dear Mr. Burton:

I returned the proofs of the Toronto reprints of the Way of Life to Miss Day of the Ontario Department of Health. It strikes me as having been very well printed.

After I telephoned you yesterday, Mrs. Chapin, Lady Osler's sister and executrix, told me that she would like to have 100 copies in sheets for private distribution, of the Grant Stewart edition of the Way of Life. If this is a greater number than you would care to supply, would you please let me know at once, in which case it might be better for you or me to communicate immediately with Constable's, in order to get an extra hundred printed.

I fancy it would save double customs duty if her copies could be sent direct from England to the States. Please let me know your opinion.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

W. W. F

Oct. 11, 1932

Burton's Ltd.,
1243 St. Catherine St. W.,
M o n t r e a l

Dear Mr. Burton:

Lady Osler's sister would like 50 copies, not 100 as she first suggested, of the "Way of Life". Would you please arrange to have them sent, in sheets, to her address:

Mrs. H. B. Chapin,
4, Louder's Lane,
Jamaica Plain,
Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Stewart very kindly told me that I might apply to you for as many copies of the bound booklet as I needed. Could you conveniently let me have five?

I am a little doubtful about the particulars of the telephone call of Aug. 5, for which you have sent me the enclosed bill for \$3.25. Did it come through to me at Como? Surely they did not bill you for the call from Toronto? At any rate it seems to me that the Toronto people should pay it. The official in charge of the matter was Dr. B. T. McGhie, Director of Hospital Services, Ontario Department of Health, Toronto. Would it not be better for you to send the bill to him? If you prefer me to do it I must have some particulars of it.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

W.W.T.

P.S. I would very much like to be at the presentation on the 6th. Dr. Dean, Dr. Martin spoke gratefully of your work on the booklet.

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Oct. 12, 1932.

Dr. W. W. Francis,
Osler Library,
McGill University,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Dr. Francis:-

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th inst. I am immediately instructing the printers to mail fifty sets of sheets of "A Way of Life" to:-

Mrs. H. B. Chapin,
4 Louder's Lane,
Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass,

and trust they will reach her without trouble or delay. Under separate cover I am sending five bound copies of of this book to you.

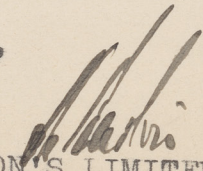
Will you kindly accept my apologies for the charge for the telephone call. I do not know how the bill ever came to be sent to you, but it is a mistake, and I am very sorry that it was made and has caused you any concern whatever.

Mrs. Stewart telephoned about the presentation, and promised to let me read your address, a copy of which I believe you are to send to her. I am looking forward to this very much indeed.

With kind regards,

Yours truly,

HB/KW.


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