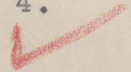


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To Captain Levy, Asst. Political Officer,
Khanaguin, Persia.

Arabic
Mss.

Tomb of
Avicenna.

...Please try to get into touch with a Dr. Sa'eed, a special friend who looks out for Arabic and other MSS for me. I have not heard of him for a couple of years - I would like to know if he is all right.... You may have heard that just before the war we were making arrangements to repair the tomb of Avicenna at Hamadan. I have written to find out from Neligan whether permission has been granted by the Shah as I should like to take the matter up again, and lastly, please remember me if you come across any interesting old medical MSS.

