

13 Norham Gardens,

January 22nd (1912)

Dear Jacobs:-

Those lovely books came & I have written to thank Mrs. Jacobs. I did not say anything to her about Mr. Boxby's copy. I shall keep Mrs. Jacobs & would you like me to send the other to the Keats-Shelley Memorial Library at Rome, about which I daresay you know. It is in the house in which Keats died. You will have had the catalogue of the remainder of Payne's Library. The herbals & the Milton's will fetch big prices. I have gotten a few good items lately, a 1470 Ars Morrendi and an early Avicenna. I have a treasure of a new secretary - a Scotch girl who is going to be a great help as she knows French, German & Russian well.

I am so glad that the Committee of Selection took Cushing to represent America in the 1913 Congress for the Address in Surgery. I was not on the Sub-Committee. His scientific and experimental work I hear carried the day.

I did not say anything to Mrs. Jacobs about the duplicate copy of Shelley.

Yours ever,

Wm. O.