

13 Norham Gardens,
Oxford.

Feb. 17th, 1917.

Dear Jacobs,

I have sent to Spielman about the Maguire picture, which should not be difficult to trace. I will let you know.

I did not send the touch piece as it turned out to be only a pattern and not a genuine t.p., and there was an uncertainty whether or not it could go through.

I told a bookseller the other day, I have forgotten which, to send you word about the Jenner pamphlet. I am glad your collection is thriving.

We are all much interested about the condition in America. What a difficult problem to settle. We are preparing to tighten our waistbands, a process that in moderation will do the country no harm.

Revere writes cheerfully and hopes to get leave by the end of the month. The poor laddie had a pretty hard three months of it on the "Ancre," but he seems to have stood it wonderfully well.

I hope Mrs. Jacobs is better. Love to you all.

Sincerely yours,

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