

55 William Street.

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My dear Andrew

just a line or two to acknowledge receipt of your last, and to tell you that I have not overlooked your wishes as to the books. I have been to Mullens and find that some of the books are out in circulation. De Witt is all there and in tip top condition. One vol of Garrison is to hand a little loose in the binding but this they will put up at 1/6 collar. Bain on Mill is also there. I am to see them on Monday when I will make such purchases and arrangements as circumstances will admit.

Walter & I are both very well.

I will write you a longer letter

presently. With affectionate regards to Mrs. C. & the boys. & kisses for the small fry. Believe me ever yours  
 J. G. Thompson