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The Athenaeum
Bell Markt SW
July 6. 1953

My dear Erman

Your publication about Papyrus
Harris reached me many weeks
ago & gave me the greatest pleasure,
though I am not competent to
decide upon the value of your
explanation yet I see the great
interest of the subject & rejoice
in the signs of ^{your} vigorous work
which the article shows.

When may we expect to see you in

Lindam again? Göttenberg has
been with us but goes on to Vienna
& Rome - we are now looking for
some German friends - The Egyptian
seems to have been fruitful at the
exhibitions at University College,
just opened, contains valuable objects
Crum tells me of a board inscribed
with some verses of S. Matthew's Gospel.
I have been occupied with the Paris
Gospel fragments during the last
weeks & I am surprised to find
that they are not more complete

Neither of Matthew nor I Mark can
yet be printed without lacuna
so that we shall have to supplement
them our text from Rome.

Balestri promises the publication of
the Boeglin fragments of N. T. at
an early date - He will not give
an apparatus criticus except of
the fragments themselves - There
will be no reference to the Greek
or other versions - This information
comes from Guidi who has probably
sent you his Omelia of S Ephrem in

Coptic - extracted from 'Bessarione'

Greenfield & Hunt have discovered some
more 'Logia' & a summary of lost
books of history which does not agree
with the extant forms, & as they
have two or three more seasons
work before them, much more new
Greek if not Coptic & Latin may be
expected - what did you think of
Griffiths' idea that Christian Coptic
was not written till the third or
fourth century? He only put it out
as a possibility, awaiting ^{much confirmation} much confirmation.
I hope sincerely that Mr. Lemon &
the rest of the family are well I send my very
best remembrance to all
Yours G. Forster