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SUMMARY

Concerning the statue of H. C. Ørsted. 3 drafts

Aceland **G.M.** to Sir Henry Osmond

Sir Henry

Dear Sir

84 I must beg you to excuse that I have
~~unable till now to write to you~~

I hope that you will excuse that I
have been prevented by several occupations
concerning the destruction of the castle
Christiansborg Castle - to write before now
and to give you some explanations concerning
the little model of a statue of Lado de Godet,
which the sculptor, Mr Bisson has sent
in my name to your ^{address}. I have been
of opinion that Godet ought to be
represented as the discoverer of the Electro-
magnetism, but as the small dimensions
of the base did not permit to place a
table or pedestal, upon which the
magnet ^{in needle} could be planted, we have
adopted the idea to suspend the needle in
a ~~thin~~ ^{thin} ~~wire~~ ^{silk} thread from one of his hands
and to place the galvanic element on a
little ^{pedestal} element at his side in the height
of his second hand which keeps the
conducting thread below the needle.

I now submit this idea to your
consideration and shall be glad to hear

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your opinion of it, ^{but} I ^{leave} ~~find~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{be} ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~your~~ ^{disposal}
little made ~~it~~ ^{entirely} ~~at~~ ^{your} disposal

I am Dear Sir with the highest esteem
Yours very truly.

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C. M.

Sir Henry Adair. M. D.

Dear Sir

The satisfaction with which you have ^{mentioned} received
Mr Bisler's little sketch of a statue of Oersted
has given him and myself so much pleasure that
we have embraced the idea to present you a
model in full size of such a statue by means
of which an english sculptor might be able
when the ^{occasion} convenient time arrives to ^{execute} produce
a true image ^{in stone} of the personality of Oersted
as he appeared when living amidst us.

Mr Bisler has ^{at my invitation} therefore now executed
such a model — to the satisfaction of all
the still living friends of Oersted — which
model I beg you to accept as a remembrance
of the ~~Denish~~ natural philosopher, for whom
you have displayed so ^{great} interest
and as a mark of the high respect with
which your name is honoured here in
Denmark by all those who are acquainted
with your eminent merits of the sciences.
As an humble interpreter of these

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sentiments I beg leave to present the
~~expression~~ of my affectionate homage
and of ^{the} my sincere attachment with which
I am Dear Sir
Respectfully yours.