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Letter from Lord Sherborne to W.O.
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Sherborne House,
Northleach, R.S.O.,
(Glos.)
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Dear Sir William,

Many thanks for the Religio Medici. I will certainly find a place for it in the Library.

I have ordered my carpenter to take down the portrait, and the Burford man, (Foster, a very good photographer), will come and photograph it and I will send you a copy.

The year 1895 was the year after my marriage and I was living again here. I sent all the pictures in the dining-room to a picture cleaner at Cheltenham to be cleaned and rehung with chains. He had them in his shop for some time. He let it be known he had them and people came to see them. Hence no doubt the report of this portrait. I think it must have come here with the Barwick portraits, Peter Barwick being a-physician and M.D. and physician to Charles II.

Yours sincerely,
SHERBORNE.

P.S. I reopen my letter to say that the portrait of Sir Thomas Browne has been taken down. The inscription on the frame states that he married a daughter of Sir Ralph Dutton. This I was not aware of.

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