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### Invoice from George Donaldson to Ogden Goelet

George Donaldson

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104, NEW BOND STREET,

LONDON <sup>13</sup> Aug 19 1891

Dear Sir

Yours my  
last letter cannot  
have reached you  
as I have not heard  
In buying the best  
Louis XVI Commode in  
the sale for £377.10..  
I had not money  
enough to buy you



another so I did  
as was suggested  
I bought you a few  
things that were cheap  
and useful in such  
a house as yours.

The list are

No 264 — 16. 10.

282 — 33

283 — 31. 10

285 — 13.

334 577. 10

402 42. 1

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713 11

Commissions 35. 13. 6

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749 4

and on receipt of  
your instructions I will  
pass you a cheque for  
the difference of £800 -  
you left me.

I send you the sizes  
of the two Gothic Tapestries  
you saw since which  
I have bought a splendid  
Gothic Tapestry 14 ft long  
11 ft high Price £850 -  
The coloring is rare and  
fine the borders being  
a rich red. The costumes



are very gorgeous and  
the subject represented is  
the Queen of Sheba and  
attendants bringing presents  
to King Solomon. It is  
in a good state and of rich  
golden color and if you  
have the spot for it I  
most strongly advise you  
to buy it.

I take this opportunity to repeat  
your memory about the things  
you saw here.

San Francisco 1<sup>st</sup> Coffin \$250

Italian enamel Cassoni 220

3 Panels of petit point for bed 280

a square of do for bed 80

I shall be glad to have you  
as to sending the things off as I  
go away for two months on Sept 20?  
Yours truly George Donaldson