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London, Nov. 25. 1817.

I have not yet seen the announce of
Leon & Githna in the public papers. — Be
so good as not to let it be delayed a day
longer, as the books are now ready.

I wish a parcel of twelve to be sent to
me as soon as you can get them put in
boards. If you will send me the account
of the expense of the advertisements I will
transmit you the money the moment they
are appear —

Dear Sir
Yours most obed.
Thos. Kelly



7
Mr. Price,
3 Welbeck St.
London

PERCY BYSSHE SHELLEY, A. L. S., 25 November 1817,
to Charles Ollier.

Marlow, Nov. 25. 1817.

Dear Sir

I have not yet seen the announce of *Laon & Cythna* in the public papers.—Be so good as not to let it be delayed a day longer, as the books are now ready.

I wish a parcel of *twelve* to be sent to me as soon as you can get them put in boards. If you will send me the account of the expense of the advertisements I will transmit you the money the moment they ever appear [long dash]

Dear Sir

Your most obe^d.

Percy B. Shelley.

[vertical, upper left:] Send one [word or words destroyed by paper deterioration] Hunt the first thing.—Dante? & the Spectator?

ALS, 1 page. Double sheet, 24 x 18.8 cm.

Wove paper. Watermark: indistinguishable, 1.3 x 5 cm.

Seal: black wafer.

Postmarks: MARLOW | [straight-line mileage number blotted];

C | 26 NO 26 | 1817 [evening duty stamp, London]. Postal fee: 7.

Address: Mr. Ollier, Bookseller | 3 Welbeck St. | London.

Provenance: Kern sale, 22 January 1929 (with no. 1084, *Laon and Cythna*, 1818); A. S. W. Rosenbach, [1940]. Listed in De Ricci, p. 188 (no. 343).

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Notes: 1. I cannot illuminate the query about Dante.

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