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Gentlemen:

Among the effects in your "Fondo Lemmi" (Busta 368, No. 369) there is a bracelet with three miniature paintings. The mini" atures were painted by an American, Walter Gould, in July, 1851 in Kutahia, Asia Minor and represent the three children of Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian Patriot, Lately I have been fortunate to locate a number of Gould's paintings, done at the same time in Kutahia. Shortly these paintings will be put on permanent exhibition in our building, shown above. Since I am preparing an essay on Gould and his Kossuth paintings, I would need a photograph of these miniatures for publication purposes. I would be much obliged if you would be kind enough to make a photograph of the bracelet. Whatever expenses will be in connection with it, we will gladly pay it.

Hoping to hear from you, I am cordially yours

Edmund Vasvary