

ΕΓΚΕΦΑΛΟΝ

ΤΡΩΘΕΝΤΑ

ΕΙΔΟΜΕΝ

ΙΑΘΕΝΤΑ

27th March 1934.

28th March 1934.

Mr. Barnet Philips,
Architects Building,
33101 Park Avenue, Philips, New York City.
I am embarrassed to have to confess that I have got the fourth word of the motto wrong. It should be ΙΑΘΕΝΤΑ, as I had it at first, not ΙΘΘΕΝΤΑ. It is a faulty Α, as printed in our copy. Dear Mr. Philips, secretary telephoned me to verify it, I misread it Ο (Omega). There is no doubt that ΙΑΘΕΝΤΑ I am forwarding you a letter from Dr. Francis on the motto and enclosing the correct Greek for the four words. We assume that Mr. P's workmen will know how to render the Latin letters into Greek. We are all hoping that it will be possible for you to make the ceiling not too striking high so that it will not in any way detract from the lowest of the room. I am leaving this to your good taste, however. I would suggest that you send Mr. P. the better of the two transcriptions which I enclose. With regard to the criticism which I forwarded to you concerning the table hiding the statue, I find that on walking into the entrance it is quite evident that no small table such as you had in mind would shut out the view of the statue.

Yours sincerely,

Signed. W.W. Francis.

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