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Dear Mr. Ferrater Mora,

This card is not my reply to your letter! I'm sending it--while I think of it--merely to announce to you that I am mailing to you a little paper-backed volume which you may enjoy reading at an idle moment sometime (if you ever get any). Perhaps you know it already, in which case--if you agree with me in my high estimate of the book--you might want to pass it on to someone else. The book is H. D. F. Kitto's The Greeks, first published, I believe, in 1951. How "original" it is I can't tell, because I don't have that much independent information about going theories on Greek history and character. But I find his theses absorbing and his English style (that's an ambiguous phrase; all I mean is his way of using English) refreshing. The gentleman has a wry sense of humour which he indulges to just the right degree in ^{just} the right places. Or at least so it seems to me. 16-VI-56.

While I'm on the subject of books--and have a bit of card left--could you tell me if Alquié's book is yet published? I've succeeded in getting the dept. to order Guérault's, but I can't request that Alquié's be

ordered until it's published. J.J.