

Mr. Chatto on the subject (tho
I am not myself inclined to
do so, for the reason I menti-
oned to you the other day), I
sh^d not have any sort of ob-
jection to your showing him
the copy - without however
allowing it to pass out of
your own hands.

I had read over rather
more than half the copy, in the
process of cutting out poems to
to adapt it for a vol. 4 in

your publication: but the
great majority of the poems ap-
pertain to the latter portion
of the copy, not yet thus looked
thru by me.

Yours very truly,
Wm. M. Rossetti