

CVS417/52.30

G.R.O.

(Letter to ^{Wm.} Cushing)
from Mrs. Osler)

13, NORHAM GARDENS,
OXFORD

May 29th (1908)

I was delighted last night dear Kate by having Harvey's letter telling me of the safe arrival of ^(Harvey) Harvie & this morning Mary Goodwillie's letter telling me more. It was so good of her to write. I hope by now you are feeling very fit and well and are much pleased with the daughter. You are really a very wonderful person in these matters - really giving no trouble to any one and coming out of it younger each time. Harvey said he was sending a photo' but he didn't. I am sure you will enjoy the house more than ever now. I am already arranging for next Summer when I hope to have you all here - what a joy it will be. I could not endure the disappointment so please don't have another baby. You & Muriel are keeping along together in numbers. We have had such a busy week - with the Allans & Mc Lanes who have come over for the summer. They came to Oxford the day after they arrived in order to be here for the Boat Races - and it was altogether successful. Eleanor the oldest girl stayed here and our only interruption in pleasure was the fact that our parlour maid got diptheria & had to be taken away - we have had antitoxine & watched our throats carefully & they say the danger is now over. Otherwise we have had a merry week. We have ordered a Renault car and hope to have it early in July - Dr. Osler is very fond of motoring & does not mind going fast. I loathe it and am frightened nearly to death all the time. - I dare say I shall become addicted to it. I hope to hear from Miss Goodwillie soon again about a house she wants for some cousin. Our garden begins to look quite lovely - and creepers growing & will soon cover the new brick work - It will soon look old. Tennis going on all the time "Open Arms" still open and will spread wider to welcome you & yours. Best love to you all

Affecty

Tanta Grace

May 25, 1908

