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(Card to Dr. Cushing)  
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ROME

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Rome at last! Wonderful What pygmies we are in comparison with these old fellows. So much to see & everything intensely interesting. I have not yet been to the Vatican Library. Splendid bookshops here. I have already got some treasures. Redi<sup>es</sup> and Valsesieri - splendid editions. So glad of your letter today (11th). Love to the darlings.

Yours/  
W.O.

### Opere di Francesco Redi Naples 1748

The vols were in the mantle at the hotel when we reached Rome. Bt by Rossi Jan 27 09  
of Due Massimo's library Rome.

When in Rome Feb 1909 I heard great deal of 'talk' about this Due Massimo known as the wicked Duke and is believed to have the bad evil eye. Many people said not mention his name, once at a big reception just to come into the room the chandelier fell and killed 3 people. A friend today said to me that they were 'your or mice' and said 'Cura figli'!!

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