To Dr. Flick from W. O.

1 West Franklin St., Baltimore. March 18, 1904.

Dear Flick:

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I do not see at all, if the organization of the Lewis Congress is practically handed over to us, what possible reason you could have for keeping out. A third organization is out of the question, and enough good leaven can be inserted into the present dough to make a really good loaf. What would you propose as an alternative? We ought to have the matter pretty definitely settled among us before the meeting, or there will be no end of confusion.

I am awfully sorry that I cannot go over to the Staff Dinner on Saturday night. I shall of course be delighted to be at the luncheon on Monday.

Sincerely yours,

W^m Osler.