1028/57/322 CUSH17/57.324 Library of the MARCIA C. NOYES Medical and Chirurgical Faculty Librarian of the State of Maryland. 1211 Cathedral Street, Baltimore. October sixth 1 9 2 Dr. Harvey Cushing, 721 Huntington Ave., Boston, Mass. My dear Dr. Cushing: In acknowledging the return of the copies returned by Ilti of "Osler's Practice", loaned you for use on the biography, I must add a word about the book. You have given back Dr. Osler to those of us who knew him and to those who did not, you have sketched him so realistically that he is a living presence. I count it the greatest privilege to have been mentioned in connection with such a life, and if in my small way I can keep the ideals for which he stood alive here in this Faculty that he loved so much. I shall feel repaid. I hate to think what those first years would have been without his influence and encouragement. and wish some second Osler might be given us to hold ideals before the younger men in this commercial age. Don't you ever come to Baltimore? We are hoping that you may be induced to do so this winter and give a talk to the "Book and Journal Club" about some of the many personal things that you were compelled to leave out in the biography. Very sincerely yours, Marcia Coyes MCN/JK