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Dear Ogden

Very glad to get your letter the other day. I have been in England about three weeks, and am enjoying London again. It is the world. How I should like to live here! Perhaps you have heard that by Oct. 1st I may have changed my allegiance and joined you as a citizen of the Gt. Republic. I have been asked by some of my Philadelphia friends to be a candidate for the chair of clinical medicine, vacant by the transference of Pepper to the chair of medicine. I have consented and from what Pepper writes me I think they mean to elect me - at any rate I have the strong professional (word omitted?) of the electionary board. The salary is about what I get at McGill and of course the temptations are the larger centre and the prospects of consulting work. I am grieved at the thought of leaving McGill and Dr. Howard, but they will get along quite well without me - any one man is never essential. Give my love to G. C. I have mislaid his address or I should have written. Mrs. F. and chicks are well. I leave on the 7th and take out with me an aunt - a young girl of 84. I wish you could run down to Montreal for the meeting. Tell Dorland we should be delighted to see him.

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Yours most sincerely,
W. O.

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