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Dear J.H.

Many thanks for the Bowditch. He was a noble old citizen and the life is well told. I wish there had been a little more about his Paris days. There has been a proposal made to start a National Medical Historical Society. What do you think of such a move? It seems a pity to start a new society, when there are so many & when we all have such hard work to keep up our interest in existing organizations. Whether it should be started - & if so should it be a section of the Am. Med. Ass. or an independent body - & of unlimited membership or of limited? At your leisure drop me a line. The question has not been discussed openly as yet.

Ever yours

WM OSLER.

Your W.W. Gerdards Typhus & Typhoid paper has not yet come back from London. I think I told you I had sent a copy to be bound.