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Dear Mac

*[The System of Medicine
for Modern Practice]*

I am still a delinquent. I am struggling with that introduction and hope to get it off next week. I have the bulk of it done. They could go ahead as I have always urged and print my introduction with roman pagination as is the case with von Ziemssen and *Hollenberg*. It will not take a week to print my part and it need not come back.

I have written to Poynton. I have not heard from Billings or perhaps he has written to you direct. I suppose we must accept the name Modern Medicine. I will write about the title page in which of course your name must come. I doubt if they will allow it on the back.

What have you settled about the Mental section?

I have been knocked out with a cold but am better. *My Secretary* ~~Miss Nichols~~ mother has been ill and is dead and she has been laid up with the grip - dry and wet. The house is still in possession of workmen, but one by one we are ousting them.

I had a most festive visit last week in *Winburgh*. I was half dead with a cold but I lectured to 900 students and had a great evening at the Royal Medical Society, at which they asked Rush, Shippen, Wister, Bard, Hossack, Sam L. Mitchell, the *Mountains* ~~77~~ *Moultrie* (Charleston), *David Ramsay*, Upton Scott (1st President, Medical & Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland) and a number of the old Colonial members to meet me. I wish Welch had been there.

Yours,

W.O.