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My dear Osler,

On looking over the list of the Royal Society I find that the enclosed names are all friends of my own, and I have not the least doubt that each one of them would be happy to do anything for me. The Scottish names you may safely leave to Cunningham when the paper goes back. As regards the Lord Rectorship I am putting myself in communication with the two political organisations to find out exactly where we stand. If these associations are pledged to the two political names that have been suggested, we shall have to consider the matter very carefully indeed. What I mean to aim at this time if possible, and next time, if it be impossible, is to get you nominated jointly by Conservatives and Liberals, so as to have absolute unanimity.

With kind regards,

Ever sincerely yours,

G. A. Gibson.