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Dear Shepherd

I came thro from Milan two days ago & sail on the 13th to N.Y. by the adriatic. I have seen Mills twice. Matters have gone badly with him - cystitis about 3 w. ago the abd. wound suppurated & he had trouble with bladder / &c, so Walker put him in the Home again, 29 Wimpole Street, and opened the bladder & has put in a solid sound. There has never been proper restitution of the urethra - how the deuce there~~ever~~ is I do not understand! He has a little fever and the urine is turbid. With it all he looks remarkably well - pulse good appetite good, and he is in excellent spirits. Poor chap, he has really borne this trouble with great fortitude. Walker speaks hopefully.

I shall be with you about June 12th. I hope the Veral⁵ came. It is a very fine copy. The box of ^{Votivas (?)} will come by the Allan Line. I will have a case made for them & I have some photo's illustrating the Asul^aopian temples &c. I saw Sherry again in Florence. His girl does not look very strong. When is Cecil to be married? I hope I may be in time. It would be delightful to see Como again.

Sincerely yours
W Osler

Love to the girls.