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Dear Shattuck,

We have been reading your Forbes book with much interest, as the old man was a cousin of John Revere's, and both families had affiliation with those interesting old Murrays of Brushhill. I doubt very much if I should give the ether lecture. I have the Sillaman course at Yale, for which I am taking as my subject the evolution of modern medicine. I shall have to do something at the Hopkins and at Montreal, so that I shall be pretty hard pressed. My old friends have been only too urgent in asking me to lecture at different places.

With love to the family

Yours ever

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