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(Letter to Dr. Cushing)
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From the Regius Professor of Medicine, Oxford.

Dear Cushing,

I played a low trick on you last Wednesday. Your name was put down by the secretaries as one of the three honorary members from America of the new Historical section of the Royal Society of Medicine, but I told the Council that I felt sure you would rather have Dr. Cordell nominated, and they did so. The old man has not had his deserts, and this sort of thing would please him so much.

A delightful fellow and a great friend of ours, Eric Pearce-Gould, is sailing to Boston about the 24th or 25th of February. He is an F.R.C.S. and a Christ Church man, and he and his brother are among our choicest boys. He wishes to see something of your work in Boston, and I have told him to look you up at once.

Tell Kate it was simply delightful to hear her letter the other day. I am looking forward to a few days with you; what a time I shall have with the children! I shall have a deuce of a time to fit in my engagements.

Hart is getting me a splendid set of photographs about the Press. I have not yet heard definitely whether you want the lecture or not. I think a lantern slide talk would be of interest at any rate.

I was elected President of the Bibliographical Society this month. You must join some year. Our numbers at present are full.

Love to you all.

Sincerely yours,

WM OSLER

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