

Oxford.

24, December, 1914.

Dear J. William,

Winston & Co. sent six copies this week, and I have distributed them with private letters to the "Morning Post", the "Spectator", the "Saturday Review", the "Times", the "Daily Telegraph", and the "London Nation". I hope they will give it the notice it deserves. Young Max-Müller, who has just been in, says the copy he took has been circulated. I wish you would send me another half-dozen, as I should like to send to Grey, Asquith, Haldane, Lloyd George, Earl Crewe, Harcourt, and Lord Iveagh; or, what would be better still would be for you to send copies with a private letter, saying, if you like, it was sent at my request. . . .

I enclose you a specific receipt for the amounts received, all of which have been acknowledged separately as they arrived. We have got 21 now on our list, and I am afraid it is going to be a long and expensive job. We have got them very comfortably settled, and they are as happy as can be under the circumstances - about 100 in all.

Things are going very well. The new army is being put into first-class form. Treves, whom I saw on Friday just back from the front, says that the organization is something that he never dreamt of when he looks back upon the South African experiences. . . . The motor ambulance is making a great difference; there are not so many bad septic wounds, and recently very little tetanus.

Love to Mrs. White, and best wishes for the New Year.

Sincerely yours,

W<sup>m</sup> Osler

Spriggs says there will be a review in 'Lancet' Jan. 3rd. I will send it.

W.O.

Things like White's hospital were much needed in England when a district of America was having hard disputes and that Mr. Page could do. Memorandum