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(Dr. W. S. Thayer)

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Dear Thayer

I have been too busy to answer your last about poor Ezra. What a tragedy' and such a fine useful life. very mysterious. I hope Sister Susie is better. She has extraordinary recuperative powers. We are all well. Grace is working so hard- a big shop in one of the Labs. with 120-130 people Revere was home for five days, looking so well. He is to be transferred to the Field Ambulance where the work will be more active. The McGill unit has had a rough time. Tent has blown & split & leaked. They are t move to an old Jesuit college near Boulogne. Our dining room burnt out the other night -fortunately Grace smelt the smoke 320 - an another hour & the house would have gone & my books: It was a very narrow escape.

Para-typhods abundant, particularly from the Dardanells nervous cases & functional hearts are the most important from France Oxford empty. Recruiting is A.1. The armies are getting out good order. 'Twill be a long business. I fear an inconclusive peace would be worse than a defeat

Love to Sister Susan

Yours ever.

Wm Osler