Letter from Sir Wm. Osler accompaning the silver cigarette box which he presented to number three Canadian General Hospital in France.

(handwriting)

Sept 6th./16

Dear Birkett

I am sending by Billy Francis a bit of silver from the mess which please ask the men to accept with my love & best wishes as a souvenir of my visit last year. I wish after the war that you will hand it over to the medical Faculty of which I hope it may become the nucleus of a collection of table silver, to used at the Faculty dinners! /

Sincerely yours

wm Osler