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(To Mrs. A. D. Blackader)

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13, Norham Gardens, Oxford

Dear Mrs Blackader

So glad to hear from you, & to know that the dear Doctor is off for a rest. Not two hours ago at Taplow Armstrong & Finley were talking of how splendidly he has helped in all the extra work of the past few years. Give him my love & best wishes. Our boy went over Oct 1st & has had a heavy winter on the Somme & since then has been thro. Arras & Bulecourt, Messines & this last push. He keeps well, but of course it is an anxious time for us. I was afraid to send the V^l by post - so many things have gone astray. I will take the first chance of sending by hand. I will let you know of any special books &c on architecture that turn up. Greetings to Mrs Gordon

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Ever yours

W^m Osler

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