

(President of Johns Hopkins University)

FROM THE REGIUS PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE, OXFORD.

30. X. 18. (October 30th)

*Also the President
of the University*

EDWARD REVERE OSLER FUND.

Dear President;

The Toronto General Trust Company will hand over to the Johns Hopkins University securities, realizing between \$1500-2000 a year, which Lady Osler and I give as a memorial to our son, Edward Revere, and in grateful recognition of the happy years we spent in Baltimore.

I. In accordance with his interests we devote this fund to the encouragement of the study of English literature in the Tudor and Stuart periods.

II. With this object in view we suggest that the Professors of English literature and the Collegiate Professor of English, their staffs, with the special students of the departments, collegiate and graduate, form a Tudor and Stuart literary club, of which the University Librarian should be an ex officio member.

III. The books collected by Edward Revere Osler to form the nucleus of the Club Library, which should be a section of the departmental library. To these will be added later the special works in English literature collected by me.

IV. The interest of the fund to be expended in the purchase of books relating to the periods, and in the promotion of good fellowship and a love of literature among the members.

V. The management of the Club and the expenditure of the fund to be, as far as possible in the hands of the students; the qualifications for membership to be determined by you, the Professors of English, Prof. Welch and the Librarian; a few special members could be chosen annually.

VI. In the organization of the Club, in addition to those already mentioned, we would like to suggest as original members, the Hon. F. Osler & Sir Edmund Osler, Toronto; Mrs. Herbert Charles Gwyn, Dundas, Ontario; Mrs. Henry B. Chapin and Mr. E.H.R. Revere of Boston; Prof. and Mrs. Harvey Cushing of Boston; Prof. W. S. Thayer, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Barton Jacobs of Baltimore; Mrs. Robert Brewster of New York; Miss Sarah Woolley of Washington; Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Fitcher of Baltimore; Dr. and Mrs. T. McCrae of Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Howard of Iowa City, Iowa; Dr. W. W. Francis of Montreal; Dr. T. A. Malloch of Montreal; and R. Vam Buren Emmons of New College, Oxford.

Sincerely yours,

The President,
The Johns Hopkins University,
Baltimore.