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From the Regius Professor of Medicine, Oxford,

13, Norham Gardens. 18th March, 1919

Dear Shattuck:

I am delighted with the Memoir of Twitchell, particularly as it is by my old friend H.I.B. It's really a very well-told story, and the old man must have been a fine character. The story of the ligature of the carotid artery in which he made the patient's mother tie the knot is uncommonly well told. The last find for your fund is a beauty- the 1499 "Simplicius on the Categories of Aristotle", one of the four most beautiful bits of early Greek printing.

I had a group of men the other evening at the Athenaeum Club to say good-bye to Colonel Washburn.

Love to your Father and Uncle George.

Sincerely yours,

Wm.Osler.

P.S. Just take Goodspeed by the neck and shake his pineal gland till it rattles for not finding me Vol.35 of Boston Med. and Surg. Jr.